



Inventory for FOIA Request 2017-0156-F

Records on Anna Chennault

Extent

15 folders, approximately 948 pages / 378 assets

Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to George W. Bush Presidential records is governed by the Presidential Records Act (PRA) (44 USC 22, as amended) and the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 USC 552, as amended) and therefore records may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

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Provenance

Official records of George W. Bush's presidency are housed at the George W. Bush Presidential Library and are administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processing by

Staff Archivists, 2020. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 08/12/2020

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2017-0156-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of records responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

FOIA 2017-0156-F requested materials related to Anna Chennault.

This FOIA primarily contains pamphlets, letters, event schedules, business cards, fax cover sheets, routine memoranda, webpage printouts, printed newspaper articles, printed emails, drafts of condolence letters and commendations, and requests for presidential messages about public events. Researchers should note that there are very few documents related to Anna Chennault and most records only mention her briefly.

Electronic records include articles, news compilations, invitations, agendas, press guidance, and letters from organizations. There are many emails concerning The Committee of 100 Annual

Conference at which Anna Chennault was honored in 2005, such as invitations to White House staff, including President George W. Bush and Vice President Richard B. Cheney, agendas, biographical information of speakers, and event logistical information. Also present are media information and press releases regarding the release by the State Department of "Foreign Relations, 1964-1968, volume VII, Vietnam, September 1968-January 1969" which mentions Anna Chennault. Some records simply list Mrs. Chennault as a member of an organization in letterhead for letters sent to the White House from organizations. Lastly, there is a Worker and Visitor Entry System record for Mrs. Chennault from a March 27, 2003 visit to the Old Executive Office Building (OEOB).

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2017-0156-F are a systematic body of records responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

Records responsive to this FOIA were found in these collection areas – White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject Files, and George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records.

The White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) contains a variety of series created to organize and track documents and correspondence. The WHORM Subject Files and Alpha Files were compiled by staff in the White House Office of Records Management and are a series of documents assigned a letter/number combination and filed in a series of categories by subject. WHORM Subject Files and WHORM Alpha Files are processed at the document level.

The Executive Office of the President (EOP) instance of the Electronic Records Archive (ERA) contains electronic records created or received by President George W. Bush. These records are stored in Search and Access Sets (SAS) that represent their originating computer program, such as Exchange Email or the Worker and Visitor Entry System (WAVES). In addition to records captured from the White House's electronic systems, EOP-ERA also contains records from the home and shared drives used by White House staff.

The following is a list of electronic search results lists (SRLs) and folders processed in response to FOIA 2017-0156-F:

George W. Bush Electronic Records

ARMS contains 46 assets.

Exchange contains 289 assets.

Exchange – 40 Days contains 2 assets.

RNC contains 1 asset.

NSC contains 3 assets.

OA contains 4 assets.

PFIAB contains 1 asset.

WHO contains 31 assets.

WAVES contains 1 asset.

George W. Bush Textual Records

Box 1

Records Management, White House Office of

Subject Files

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Subject Files - FG006-03A (Chief of Staff, Office Files)

504516[1]

504516[2]

Subject Files - FG006-27 (Office of Senior Advisor - Karl Rove)

538214

635961

Subject Files - FG010 (The Cabinet)

752006

Subject Files - FG999 (Proposed Federal Agencies)

506771

Subject Files - IV (Invitations)

497200

497209

Subject Files - ME001-03 (Messages – Condolence/Death)

537690

Subject Files - ME002 (Messages Sent to Groups/Organizations)

651633

755796

Subject Files - WH004-01 (Mail Reports)

688502

Alpha Files

515702 Bradley Blakeman April 2001 Folder 10 [1]

515702 Bradley Blakeman April 2001 Folder 10 [2]

Container List for Previously Opened Folders:

**Counsel's Office, White House
Gonzales, Alberto**

Reagan Library Documents: National Archives/Requests [749930]

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