



Inventory for FOIA Request 2014-0512-F

Records on the 21st Century Energy Project

Extent

1 folder, approximately 10 pages / 919 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 2201) 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.

Copyright

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Provenance

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

Processing by

Staff Archivists, 2017. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released. Last Modified: 07/16/2020

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2014-0512-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult the archivist about related materials.

FOIA 2014-0512-F requested materials related to the 21st Century Energy Project, a lobbying group promoting Bush administration energy policies organized by Ed Gillespie.

This FOIA primarily contains advertisements and emails related to an energy policy meeting. The textual records consist of press releases, printed advertisements, and scripts for radio advertisements from the 21st Century Energy Project and Americans for Better Education. The electronic records consist of emails with attachments of advertisements for the 21st Century Energy Project, a memo announcing a meeting between senators and energy interest groups, an invitation from Ashley Meece (a staff member of the 21st Century Energy Project) to the White

House for an energy policy meeting, RSVPs for the aforementioned meeting, news articles with commentary, and a spreadsheet containing statistics regarding advertisements promoting and advertisements against Bush Administration policies.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 2014-0512-F are a systematic body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

Documents responsive to this FOIA were found in these collection areas – Staff Member and Office Files and George W. Bush Presidential Electronic Records.

Staff Member and Office Files are maintained at the folder level by staff members within their individual offices and document all levels of administration activity.

Staff Member and Office Files are processed at the folder level, that is, individual documents are not selected and removed from a folder for processing. While this method maintains folder integrity, it frequently results in the incidental processing of documents that are not wholly responsive to the subject area.

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 2014-0512-F:

George W. Bush Electronic Records

ARMS2 contains 692 assets.

Exchange 2 contains 3 assets.

RNC_PST2 contains 220 assets.

Shares_WHO contains 4 assets.

George W. Bush Textual Records

Box 1

Staff Member Office Files

Strategic Initiatives, White House Office of

Rove, Karl – Subject Files

21st Century Energy