



VIA EMAIL
(LM 2016-097)

October 12, 2016

The Honorable W. Neil Eggleston
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20502

Dear Mr. Eggleston:

In accordance with the requirements of the Presidential Records Act (PRA), as amended, 44 U.S.C. §§2201-2207, this letter constitutes a formal notice from the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) to the incumbent President of our intent to open Bush Vice Presidential records in response to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) requests listed in Attachment A.

This material, consisting of 26 pages, has been reviewed for all applicable FOIA exemptions, resulting in a total of 0 pages restricted. NARA is proposing to open the remaining 26 pages that do not require closure under 44 U.S.C. § 2204. A copy of any records proposed for release under this notice will be provided to you upon your request.

Pursuant to 44 U.S.C. 2208(a), NARA will release the records 60 working days from the date of this letter, which is January 10, 2017, unless the former or incumbent President requests a one-time extension of an additional 30 working days or the incumbent President asserts a constitutionally based privilege, in accordance with 44 U.S.C. 2208(b)-(d). Please let us know if you are able to complete your review before the expiration of the 60 working day period. Pursuant to 44 U.S.C. 2208(a)(1)(B), we will make this notice available to the public on the NARA website.

If you have any questions relating to this request, please contact me at (202) 357-5144 or NARA General Counsel Gary M. Stern at (301) 837-3026.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "B. John Laster". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "B" and a long, sweeping underline.

B. JOHN LASTER
DIRECTOR
Presidential Materials Division

Enclosure

ATTACHMENT A

<u>Case Number</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Pages Processed</u>	<u>Pages Restricted</u>	<u>Pages Proposed for Opening</u>
2016-2424-F	Fair Housing Amendments Act	26	0	26

This researcher submitted a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for records related to the Fair Housing Amendments Act from the C. Boyden Gray Files in the Counsellor's Office. The George Bush Vice Presidential records proposed for opening are letters, cover sheets, an agenda, a transcript, and biographical profiles. These materials consist of a letter from HUD Secretary Samuel Pierce to James McRae of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs regarding HUD rulemaking; a letter and cover sheet from HUD Secretary Samuel Pierce to Vice President Bush regarding updates on the Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 legislation; a letter from attorney Pamela Beck Danner to C. Boyden Gray regarding HUD rulemaking; a transcript of testimony of the National Institute of Building Sciences by MacDonald Becket and Rene A. Henry, Jr. before the Subcommittee on HUD-Independent Agencies; and biographical profiles of both MacDonald Becket and Rene A. Henry, Jr.

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