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Inventory for FOIA 2018-0083-F

Photographs of Vice President Gore with White House Staff Member Paul Cusack

Extent

Four contact sheets containing approximately 95 photographs

Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Gore Vice 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 may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

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Provenance

Official records of the Albert Gore, Jr. vice presidency are in the custody of the Presidential Materials Division in Washington, DC and are administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processed By

Staff Archivists, December 2018. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2018-0083-F are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of records responsive to the topic of the FOIA.

The photographs processed for this request depict Vice President Gore with West Wing staff member Paul Cusack walking together outside the Oval Office, meeting aboard Air Force II, and on a tour of the Joshua Subdivision near Columbus, Ohio. In addition, there are photographs of Vice President Gore meeting with other staff members in his West Wing office, with the President's Committee of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST) in the Roosevelt Room, and with students at the Ella Risk Elementary School in Rhode Island. There are also images of President Clinton in an Oval Office meeting with White House staff.

These photographs are dated 1997 to 2000. They were taken by White House photographers Molly Bingham, Michael Deavers and Callie Shell.

System of Arrangement

Records responsive to this FOIA request were found in the Vice Presidential records of the White House Photograph Office.

The White House Photograph Office assigned each roll of 35 mm film a unique roll number. The roll numbers for the Vice Presidential photographs begin with "V" in order to distinguish them from the Presidential photographs taken by White House photographers during the administration. The office created a contact sheet for each roll of film and organized them in binders by film type (color or black and white) and roll number. The contact sheets responsive to this request are arranged by binder book number, and thereunder, by roll number. The Photograph Office left gaps in the roll numbers for unexplained reasons.

Archival processing of photographs is done at the contact sheet level.

The following is a list of photograph contact sheets processed in response to FOIA 2018-0083-F:

Gore Vice Presidential Records: White House Photograph Office Vice Presidential Photographs Book 145 (V16444-V16542)

V16481 December 11, 1997

Book 171 (V20635-V20865)

V20722 February 22, 1999

Book 35 B/W (V22120-V23280)

V23103 September 10, 1999

Book 197 (V26641-V26863)

V26735 June 28, 2000

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