



Clinton Presidential Library

*1200 President Clinton Avenue
Little Rock, AR 72201*

Inventory for FOIA Request 2006-0195-F

Records concerning Micronesia, the Republic of Palau, and the Republic of the Marshall Islands

Extent

108 folders, approximately 5,489 pages

Access

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

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Provenance

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

Processed by

Staff Archivist, August 2010. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content

The materials in FOIA 2006-0195-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 request 2006-0195-F contains a variety of records concerning Micronesia, the Republic of Palau, and the Republic of the Marshall Islands during the Clinton Administration.

The White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) Subject Files contain a variety of topics concerning the Marshall Islands, Micronesia, and Palau. These topics include ownership, American support, and the maritime interests of these islands; natural disasters in the Marshall Islands and Micronesia, such as typhoons, coastal surges, and droughts; President Clinton's ambassadorial appointments to the Marshall Islands, Micronesia, and Palau; and public health issues resulting from World War II.

White House Staff and Office Files contain requests from the Marshall Islands and Micronesia to President Clinton and the Federal Emergency Management Agency for disaster declarations and assistance; drought in Micronesia and the Marshall Islands in 1998; Tropical Storm Paka's impact on the Marshall Islands; Tropical Storm Isa and Tropical Storm Jimmy's impact on Micronesia; Typhoon Dale's impact on Micronesia; Typhoon Fern's impact on Micronesia; and high waves impacting the Marshall Islands in 1994 and 1997. The collection also contains records concerning the Investment Development Fund Advisory Board of the Marshall Islands and the Micronesian Investment Development Fund Advisory Board. Records from the National Security Council are largely made up of various correspondences concerning the ongoing struggle in the Marshall Islands, Micronesia and Palau to achieve some level of economic development required to lessen their dependence of foreign aid.

The Automated Records Management System and Tape Restoration Project records contain emails from various White House staff and people outside of the White House concerning a variety of topics including but not limited to concerning government, immigration, economic policy and legislation.

System of Arrangement

Records that were responsive to this FOIA request were found in five collection areas - Clinton Presidential Records: WHORM Alpha Files; Clinton Presidential Records: WHORM Subject Files; Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files; Clinton Presidential Records: Automated Records Management System [Email]; and, Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management System.

The White House Office of Records Management (WHORM) contains a variety of series created to organize and track documents and correspondence. The WHORM Alpha file was compiled by the White House Office of Records Management from 1993-1996 and is a series of documents arranged by name of persons, organizations, or events. The WHORM Subject file was compiled by the White House Office of Records Management and is a series of categories designated by a letter/number combination.

Staff and office files were maintained at the folder level by staff members within their individual offices and document all levels of administration activity.

WHORM files are processed at the document level; whereas, Staff 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 Automated Records Management System (ARMS) is a database that contains email records of the executive office of the President. This system maintained unclassified Presidential email. The ARMS dataset is comprised of 6-sub-series of email records called “Buckets.” The buckets include NPR, OPD, POTUS, WHO, CEA, and Default. ARMS emails are arranged chronologically by creation date.

The Tape Restoration Project (TRP) is a database consisting of restored emails from the Automated Records Management System from July 1994 through June of 2000. The TRP is a database that contains email records of the Executive Office of the President. This system maintained unclassified Presidential record email. The TRP dataset is comprised of 6 sub-series of email records called “Buckets.” The buckets include NPR, OPD, POTUS, WHO, CEA, and Default. TRP emails are arranged chronologically by creation date.

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2006-0195-F:

Box 1

Clinton Presidential Records: WHORM: Alpha File

Category	Case Number
AF	297811 [Micronesia]

Clinton Presidential Records: WHORM: Subject File

Category	Case Number
CO085	084683 [Marshall Islands]
CO109	005023 [Marshall Islands]
CO109	048650 [Marshall Islands]
CO109	158042 [Micronesia]
CO109	260948 [Marshall Islands]
CO109	317125 [Marshall Islands]
CO113	160733SS [Micronesia]
CO113	217281 [Micronesia]
DI002	081507SS [Marshall Islands]
DI002	120429 [Marshall Islands]
DI002	202492 [Micronesia]
DI002	209141SS [Micronesia]
DI002	255947 [Marshall Islands]
DI002	257263SS [Marshall Islands]
DI002	258863SS [Micronesia]
DI002	261718 [Micronesia]
FG001-06	228518 [Marshall Islands]
FG001-07	417107 [Micronesia]

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Category	Case Number
FG006-01	262671 [Micronesia]
FG035	026237 [Republic of Palau]
FG380	018555 [Micronesia]
FO002	072275SS [Micronesia]
FO002	145927SS [Marshall Islands]
FO002	179877SS [Republic of Palau]
FO002	180513 [Micronesia]
FO002	188973SS [Republic of Palau]
FO002	219388 [Micronesia]
FO002	279712SS [Micronesia]
FO002	287132 [Micronesia]
FO002	414484 [Republic of Palau]
FO002	427329 [Marshall Islands]
GI002	184037 [Micronesia]
IV094	070033 [Micronesia]
ME001-03	032127 [Marshall Islands]
ME001-03	032129 [Marshall Islands]
PE002	283306 [Marshall Islands]
PE002-01	301645SS [Micronesia]
PE002-01	419438 [Micronesia]
PP005-01	270283 [Micronesia]
PP005-01	432971 [Marshall Islands]
ST051	011389 [Republic of Palau]

Clinton Presidential Records: WHORM Subject File CF

CO189-CF	004485 [Republic of Palau]
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Box 2

Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files

Cabinet Affairs

Balderston, Kris

FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Federated States of Micronesia 4/2/98
[OA/ID 12883]
FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Marshall Islands 4/2/98 [OA/ID 12884]
FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: RMI (Republic of Marshall Islands) 3-20-98
[OA/ID 12883]
FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Micronesia Appeal Denial 12/16/97 [1]
[OA/ID 12883]
FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Micronesia Appeal Denial 12/16/97 [2]
[OA/ID 12883]

Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files (continued)

Cabinet Affairs

Balderston, Kris

FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Micronesia Appeal Denial 12/16/97 [3]
[OA/ID 12883]

Silverman, Stephen

FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Federated States of Micronesia 03/07/1997
[OA/ID 11414]

FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Federated States of Micronesia 03/11/1997
[OA/ID 11414]

Box 3

Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files

Cabinet Affairs

Silverman, Stephen

FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Marshall Islands Denial 06/05/1997
[OA/ID 11611]

FEMA Requests for Disaster Relief: Micronesia Denial 06/20/1997
[OA/ID 11611]

Subject Files

1994 Nevada/Maryland and Marshall Islands – FEMA – Marshall Islands Oct. 4,
1994 [1] [OA/ID 6098]

1994 Nevada/Maryland and Marshall Islands – FEMA – Marshall Islands Oct. 4,
1994 [2] [OA/ID 6098]

Chief of Staff

Podesta, John

312378 [Micronesia] [OA/ID 13957]

Correspondence

Houser, Bobby

292624 [Micronesia] [OA/ID13344]

409511 [Micronesia] [OA/ID 15241]

National Security Council

214943 [Marshall Islands] [OA/ID 8313]

214943 [Micronesia] [OA/ID 8313]

214943 [Republic of Palau] [OA/ID 8313]

Asian Affairs

Kristoff, Sandra

Palau [OA/ID 1041]

Roth, Stanley

Country Files

Palau [OA/ID 404]

Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files (continued)

National Security Council

Staff Director

Soderberg, Nancy

Delegation Files – Palau [OA/ID 1409]

Palau [OA/ID 1417]

TNT [Transnational Threats]

Eddy, R.P.

Palau [OA/ID 1498]

Unclassified Records Management System (URMS)

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

Scanned: Case Number 9305657 [OA/ID 1377]

Presidential Personnel

Background Information – MIR [OA/ID 14594]

Decision Memos – MIR A – Z [OA/ID 14594]

Decision Memos – MIR Other [O/ID 14594]

Marshall Islands [OA/ID 19020]

Micronesia, Fed States of the [OA/ID 14594]

Micronesian Investment Development Fund Advisory Board [OA/ID 14594]

MIR – Others [OA/ID 14594]

Box 4

Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files

Presidential Personnel

Resumes – MIR [OA/ID 14595]

Clinton Presidential Records: Automated Records Management System [Email]

OPD [OA/ID 250000]

[Marshall Islands, RMI]

[10/29/1996-09/20/2000]

[Micronesia]

[02/16/1995-05/31/2000]

[Palau]

[04/15/1999]

WHO [OA/ID 500000]

[FSM]

[11/17/1999]

[Marshall Islands, RMI]

[02/28/1994-09/20/2000]

[Micronesia]

[08/27/1993-03/13/2000]

[06/21/2000-01/18/2001]

**Clinton Presidential Records: Automated Records Management System [Email]
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WHO [OA/ID 500000]
 [Palau]
 [07/06/1996-11/18/2000]
Default [OA/ID 1100000]
 [Palau]
 [03/16/1993-10/26/1995]
CEA [OA/ID 950000]
 [Marshall Islands, RMI]
 [10/16/1999]
 [Micronesia]
 [08/19/1997]
Default [OA/ID 1100000]
 [Marshall Islands, RMI]
 [05/25/1995]
 [Micronesia]
 [06/09/1997-12/13/1999]
NSC [OA/ID 1200000]
 [Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]
 [10/21/1998-08/29/2000]

Clinton Presidential Records: Tape Restoration Project [Email]

OPD [OA/ID 250000]
 [Micronesia]
 [08/10/1998]
Default [OA/ID 1100000]
 [Micronesia]
 [11/25/1998]

Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management System

NSC Cables
 Jan 1993-Dec 1994
 [Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]
 [01/04/1993-02/26/1993] [OA/ID 505000]
 [02/26/1993-07/29/1993] [OA/ID 505000]

Box 5

Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management System

NSC Cables

Jan 1993-Dec 1994

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[07/31/1993-01/06/1994] [OA/ID 505000]

[01/08/1994-03/21/1994] [OA/ID 505000]

[03/24/1994-07/22/1994] [OA/ID 505000]

[07/29/1994-12/30/1994] [OA/ID 505000]

NSC Cables

Jan 1995-Dec 1996

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[01/11/1995-04/09/1995] [OA/ID 510000]

[04/11/1995-08/15/1995] [OA/ID 510000]

[08/29/1995-03/04/1996] [OA/ID 510000]

[03/07/1996-06/28/1996] [OA/ID 510000]

[07/10/1996-10/28/1996] [OA/ID 510000]

[11/11/1996-12/31/1996] [OA/ID 510000]

Box 6

Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management System

NSC Cables

Jan 1997-Dec 1998

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[01/03/1997-06/12/1997] [OA/ID 520000]

[06/16/1997-09/30/1997] [OA/ID 520000]

[10/31/1997-12/21/1998] [OA/ID 520000]

Jan 1999-Dec 2000

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[01/03/1999-10/30/1999] [OA/ID 530000]

[11/08/1999-04/03/2000] [OA/ID 530000]

[04/09/2000-12/05/2000] [OA/ID 530000]

Jan 2001

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[01/04/2001] [OA/ID 540000]

NSC Emails

A-1 Record (Jan 93-Sept 94)

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[07/29/1993-09/16/1994] [OA/ID 570000]

MSMail-Record (Sept 94-Sept 97)

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[09/23/1994] [OA/ID 590000]

**Clinton Presidential Records: NSC Cable, Email, and Records Management System
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NSC Emails

Exchange-Record (Sept 97-Jan 01)

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[04/29/1998-06/14/2000] [OA/ID 620000]

[06/15/2000-06/26/2000] [OA/ID 620000]

Exchange-Non-Record (Mar 97-Jan 01)

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

[09/23/1997-06/14/2000] [OA/ID 630000]

NSC Records Management

[Marshall Islands or Micronesia or Palau...]

9405425 [OA/ID 478]

9405936 [OA/ID 206]

9407730 [OA/ID 214]

9408634 [OA/ID 219]

9601930 [OA/ID 1092]

9700325 [OA/ID 1598]

9806659 [OA/ID 2061]

9806693 [OA/ID 2061]

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