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Mr. President --

When you see Senator Kennedy at the AFL-CIO Convention in Los Angeles on Monday, you may want to thank him for the personal letters he sent to the ADA Board members asking them to endorse you.

Dan Tate

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The attached was returned in the President's outbox today and is forwarded to you for your information.

Rick Hutcheson
1. I AM DELIGHTED TO BE WITH YOU THIS MORNING IN DOWNSTATE ILLINOIS.
2. THIS IS ONE OF THE MOST CRUCIAL AREAS IN OUR CAMPAIGN.
3. AND OUR ROAD TO VICTORY HERE MUST BE SMOOTH & COMPLETE.
4. THAT'S A LOT DIFFERENT THAN SOME OF THE DOWNSTATE ROADS I'VE HEARD ABOUT.
5. I'M VERY HAPPY TO SEE ALAN DIXON.
6. FROM ALL INDICATIONS, HE WILL BE THE NEXT "U.S." SENATOR FROM ILLINOIS.
7. AND ALAN, I WANT YOU TO KNOW
8. THAT I APPRECIATE YOUR KIND OFFER TO GIVE ME SOME TIPS ON DEBATING.
9. IF YOU WATCHED TELEVISION LAST NIGHT,
10. YOU MAY HAVE SEEN A PROGRAM THAT MOVED MILLIONS OF AMERICANS
11. WITH ITS INTELLIGENCE, ITS INTENSITY, & ITS EMOTION.
12. IT'S NO WONDER THAT "MIDNIGHT EXPRESS" WAS NOMINATED FOR AN ACADEMY AWARD.

(=pick up Core Speech=)
NAME  MOYNIHAN, Daniel P.

TITLE  Senator (D/New York)

CITY/STATE  Washington, D.C.

Phone Number--Home (____)________________________

Work (202) 224-4451

Other (____)________________________

INFORMATION (Continued on back if necessary)
Needs call on Tax Bill primarily, but it would also be very helpful if you acknowledged the fact that you know he is supporting you on Tarapur and how important his views are, given his background as Ambassador to India. (His staff is opposed and is working at him.)

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NOTES: (Date of Call 9-22)

Says CBS is listening in on ATR conversations- will help procedurally on Tax cut

Helping on Tarapur- "will be close"

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NAME  RIBICOFF, Abraham

TITLE  Senator (D/Connecticut)

CITY/STATE Washington, D.C.  

Phone Number--Home (___)__________  
Work (202) 224-2823  
Other (___)__________  

INFORMATION (Continued on back if necessary)

Needs to be called on Tarapur and Tax Bill.

-- on Tarapur -- he was one of the original cosponsors of the Glenn resolution of disapproval, but we think a personal appeal for support from you on a close vote is worth a try.

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NOTES: (Date of Call 9-22 )

Committed to Glenn re Tarapur
Will help procedurally on Tax bill
Will vote for some tax proposals if they are presented.
NAME  BAUCUS, Max S.  

TITLE  Senator (D/Montana)  

CITY/STATE  Washington, D.C.  

Phone Number--Home  (____)_______  

Work  (202) 224-2651  

Other  (____)_______  

INFORMATION (Continued on back if necessary)  

Needs call on Tax Bill only.  

Requested by Frank Moore  

Date of Request  Sept 20, 1980  

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NOTES:  (Date of Call  9-22 )  

Agrees completely.  Working with other Senators.
NAME  BRADLEY, William W.

TITLE  Senator (D/New Jersey)

CITY/STATE  Washington, D.C.

Phone Number--Home (____)______________
    Work (202) 224-3224
    Other (____)____________________

INFORMATION  (Continued on back if necessary)

Needs to be called on Tarapur and Tax Bill.
-- on Tarapur -- He is undecided.

Requested by  Frank Moore
Date of Request  Sept 20, 1980

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NOTES:  (Date of Call  9-22)

Tax bill can avoid this week. Next week have promised some positive votes on tax
Tarapur + (Very interested in Superfund)
NAME: EXON, James

TITLE: Senator (D/Nebraska)

CITY/STATE: Washington, D.C.

Phone Number--Home (___)
Work (202) 224-4224
Other (___)

INFORMATION (Continued on back if necessary)

Needs call on Tarapur only. He is genuinely undecided.

Requested by Frank Moore
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Undecided now. Will listen
to debate.
1. Mayor Jim Armstrong, I appreciate your help in scheduling this meeting.

2. Six weeks from now, our country faces a critical decision.

3. This decision will set the course not just for the next 4 years, but for generations to come.

4. It will help to decide what kind of world we live in, and whether or not that world is at peace.

5. That is an awesome choice.

6. And here in this great & free land of ours.

7. It is a choice we get to make ourselves.

8. Even in these times of great complexity & great challenge & great excitement.

9. We Americans have the inalienable right

10. To choose our own future, ...to set our own course as a free people.

(=over=) (I have an...)
1. I have an optimistic vision of our country's future,
2. because I know the strength & good sense of the American people,
3. I feel that strength & good sense
4. at town meetings like this all across our country.
5. when people are told about a challenge in clear-cut terms,
6. when they understand what is at stake,
7. they are ready & determined to do the right thing —
8. to invest in our country's future.
9. today there are healthy signs of economic recovery in our country.
10. there are indications that our economy is responding better than expected,
11. but my strongest source of optimism is not any set of statistics,
12. but the way the American people
13. have responded themselves to our country's challenges.

(=NEW CARD=) (I AM A.....)
1. I AM A FARMER & BUSINESSMAN BY PROFESSION.

2. I KNOW THAT YOU DO NOT TURN A PROFIT TO UNTIL AFTER YOU HAVE MADE YOUR INVESTMENT.

3. IF YOU WANT TO GET SOMETHING OUT, YOU FIRST HAVE TO PUT SOMETHING IN.

4. THE SAME GOES FOR A FAMILY THAT BUYS A HOUSE OR PUTS MONEY INTO EDUCATION.

5. IF YOU WANT A BRIGHTER FUTURE, YOU HAVE TO INVEST IN IT.

6. YOU HAVE TO WORK FOR IT.

7. AND THE SAME GOES FOR A COUNTRY.

8. OUR LAND HAS FACED SOME TOUGH, UNPRECEDENTED CHALLENGES THESE PAST 4 YEARS.

9. FOR THE 1ST TIME IN MEMORY

10. WE HAVE HAD TO CONFRONT A MAJOR ECONOMIC THREAT FROM OUTSIDE --

11. THE CHALLENGE OF FOREIGN OIL DEPENDENCE.

(=OVER=) (FOR TOO MANY.....)
1. FOR TOO MANY YEARS WE HAVE BEEN IMPORTING HIGH-PRICED OIL, IMPORTING INFLATION,
2. AND EXPORTING THE ECONOMIC POWER WE NEED TO CREATE JOBS HERE AT HOME.
3. 3½ YEARS AGO I CALLED OUR NATION’S ENERGY CHALLENGE "THE MORAL EQUIVALENT OF WAR."
4. MANY PEOPLE WERE SKEPTICAL.
5. THEY SAID THAT DEALING WITH OUR ENERGY CHALLENGE WAS POLITICALLY INFEASIBLE,
6. THAT IT WOULD BE UNPOPULAR,
7. THAT THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WOULD NOT RESPOND.

(=NEW CARD=) (THE SKEPTICS....)
1. THE SKEPTICS WERE WRONG.

2. DEALING WITH OUR ENERGY CHALLENGE HAS NOT BEEN EASY.

3. CERTAINLY IT HAS NOT BEEN ALL THAT POPULAR.

4. BUT IT HAS BEEN NECESSARY.

5. AND PEOPLE HAVE COME TO SEE OUR ENERGY PROGRAM

6. AS THE SOUNDEST POSSIBLE INVESTMENT IN OUR COUNTRY'S FUTURE.

7. WE ARE JUST BEGINNING TO SEE SOME EARLY RETURNS ON THAT INVESTMENT.

8. THIS YEAR THE "U.S."


10. THIS YEAR OUR PRODUCTION OF AMERICAN CRUDE OIL IS UP,

11. AND WE ARE DRILLING MORE OIL WELLS THAN DURING ANY OTHER YEAR IN HISTORY.

12. AMERICAN COAL PRODUCTION IS AT AN ALL-TIME HIGH.
1. BUT THE REAL BREAKTHROUGHS LIE AHEAD.
2. TODAY WE ARE LAUNCHING THE GREATEST ENTERPRISE IN HISTORY,
3. TO TAKE THE BILLIONS WE NOW SEND TO "OPEC"
4. AND INVEST THOSE BILLIONS CREATING NEW AMERICAN FUELS,
   CONSERVING ENERGY & NEW AMERICAN TECHNOLOGY,
   NEW AMERICAN JOBS HERE AT HOME.
5. WE ARE NOT STOPPING HERE.
6. WE ARE MOVING TO REVITALIZE AMERICAN INDUSTRY ACROSS-THE-BOARD,
7. TO REFIT OUR PLANTS & EQUIPMENT TO MEET THE COMPETITION OF THE 1980s,
8. THERE ARE SOME WHO DISAGREE WITH THIS EFFORT.
9. MY OPPONENT APPARENTLY BELIEVES
10. THAT WE SHOULD RELY SOLELY ON THE OIL COMPANIES
11. TO SOLVE OUR ENERGY CHALLENGE.

(=NEW CARD=) (HE OPPOSED......)
1. He opposed the windfall profits tax on the oil companies.
2. While you & I were fighting the lobbyists on Capitol Hill to get it passed.
3. He belittles the role of conservation.
4. He believes that instead of stimulating investment in industry
5. We should give giant tax cuts to the rich --
6. Tax cuts that will not work,
   THAT WILL BE MISDIRECTED,
   THAT WILL ONLY ADD TO INFLATION.
7. I believe that the American people know better
8. And when it comes to the time of decision,
9. They will continue on the bold, exciting course
10. We have charted for our country.

(=over=) (We Americans.....)
1. WE AMERICANS HAVE ALWAYS BEEN PIONEERS.
2. WE WERE PIONEERS WHEN WE MOVED WESTWARD ACROSS THE PRAIRIES & THE MOUNTAINS
3. TO THIS BEAUTIFUL LAND OF CALIFORNIA.
4. THAT PIONEER SPIRIT REMAINS AT THE HEART OF OUR COUNTRY --
5. AT THE HEART OF OUR EFFORT
6. TO DEVELOP NEW ENERGY SOURCES & NEW PRODUCTIVITY FOR AMERICAN INDUSTRY.
7. A GENERATION AGO, AMERICA SET A GOAL -- TO GO TO THE MOON.
8. TODAY WE FACE CHALLENGES THAT ARE
9. -- BOTH IN THEIR IMPORTANCE & IN THEIR SCOPE -- EVEN MORE ADVANCED.

(=NEW CARD=) (ONCE AGAIN...)
1. ONCE AGAIN, IT NEEDS TO BE A JOINT EFFORT.
2. A REAL PARTNERSHIP OF BUSINESS & LABOR & GOVERNMENT.
3. ONCE AGAIN, IT WILL CALL UPON OUR GREAT SCIENTIFIC GENIUS,
   OUR GREAT TECHNOLOGICAL KNOW-HOW.
4. ONCE AGAIN, IT WILL CALL FOR THE INGENUITY & THE SWEAT
   OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF AMERICAN WORKERS.
5. ONCE AGAIN -- AS WE HAVE DONE SO OFTEN BEFORE --
6. WE AMERICANS ARE MEETING THE CHALLENGE.
7. ONCE AGAIN, WE ARE EXPLORING OUR UNIVERSE, IN ALL ITS POTENTIAL.
8. ONCE AGAIN, WE ARE LEARNING TO MASTER OUR FATE,
    TO BUILD THE FUTURE WE ALL WANT.
9. NOW, I WILL TAKE THE 1st QUESTION.
10. NOW, I WILL TAKE THE 1st QUESTION.
Betty 81-82
Kay - Sec Sec income
Mark - Anderson
Merisa - Pres
- Reaction
Sharon - Ed -
Draft
Myrna - Morality
Mike - Barnos
Fernord Booth - Commissary
Kay - Fair Honesty
Cora Lee - Socialized Medicine
John Mandel - Inflation
Jim - Cuban aliens
Patricia - Iran - US
Tim - Solar
Eugene - Labor
1. I AM VERY PLEASED WITH THE GASOHOL PROJECT WE HAVE JUST SEEN.
2. IT DEMONSTRATES HOW FARMERS CAN PRODUCE THEIR OWN MOTOR FUEL.
3. BUT IT DEMONSTRATES SOMETHING MORE.
4. YOUR PROJECT, & THOUSANDS OF OTHER EFFORTS ACROSS THE COUNTRY,
5. ARE PROOF THAT THIS NATION & ITS GOVERNMENT
6. HAVE AT LAST UNDERSTOOD THE CHALLENGE OF ENERGY SECURITY, ...
7. AND WE ARE FINALLY MEETING THAT CHALLENGE HEAD-ON.
8. THIS YEAR WE FACE A CHOICE BETWEEN 2 ENERGY FUTURES.
9. IT IS A CHOICE THAT WILL AFFECT US TODAY,
10. AND OUR CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN TOMORROW.

(=OVER=) (IT WILL HELP.....)
1. IT WILL HELP DETERMINE WHAT KIND OF WORLD WE LIVE IN,
2. WHAT ROLE THE "U.S.A." WILL PLAY IN THAT WORLD,
3. AND TO SOME EXTENT WHETHER OR NOT THAT WORLD CAN REMAIN AT PEACE,
4. LET ME PUT THE CHOICE AS SIMPLY AS POSSIBLE:
5. WILL AMERICA HAVE A SECURE FUTURE OF RELIABLE ENERGY
6. FROM SOURCES AS OLD AS THE SUN
   \& PROCESSES AS NEW AS SYNTHETIC FUEL --
7. OR WILL IT FACE A PRECARIOUS FUTURE
8. AT THE MERCY OF UNCERTAIN SUPPLIES & UNCONTROLLABLE PRICES?
9. WHAT I HAVE SEEN TODAY & ALL ACROSS THIS LAND
10. CONVINCES ME THAT AMERICANS ARE READY
11. TO REVERSE OUR DEPENDENCE ON FOREIGN OIL.

(=NEW CARD=) (FROM THE MOMENT.....)
1. FROM THE MOMENT OF ASSUMING OFFICE,
2. I HAVE MAINTAINED THAT OUR ENERGY PROBLEM
3. IS A CLEAR & PRESENT DANGER TO OUR LIVES & LIVELIHOOD --
4. AS INDIVIDUALS & AS A NATION.
5. WE ARE AT THE RECEIVING END OF A 12,000 MILE SUPPLY LINE.
6. ON THE OTHER END OF THAT SUPPLY LINE IS DANGER,
7. UNCERTAINTY,
8. TURMOIL --
9. AND UNTIL THIS YEAR, NEARLY HALF THE OIL WE USE.
10. THAT IMPORTED OIL THIS YEAR WILL COST US $85 BILLION -- $85 BILLION!
11. THAT IS ALMOST $400 FOR EVERY MAN, WOMAN & CHILD IN AMERICA!
12. THAT IS MORE THAN THE NET INCOME
13. OF ALL THE FORTUNE 500 COMPANIES COMBINED. (Just as......)
1. *Just as foreign oil drives our cars,*
2. *its ever-increasing price drives our inflation.*
3. *With inflation comes unemployment* & *declining productivity in our country --*
4. *and scarcity & poverty in less developed countries.*
5. *The inflation caused by foreign oil dependence*
6. *affects the quality of our schools,* health care, & *other social services.*
7. *It makes old age harder for the elderly* & *growing up less hopeful for the young.*
8. *It hurts all of us -- not just by causing inconvenience,* but by *undermining our society itself.*

(=NEW CARD=) (These are....)
1. THESE ARE THE HARD FACTS,
2. AND IT HAS BEEN HARD FOR AMERICA TO FACE THEM.
3. AFTER THE 1ST BIG "OPEC" PRICE HIKE IN 1973, THE 
4. REPUBLICAN ADMINISTRATION DECLARED THE ENERGY CRISIS OVER
5. & DID NOTHING TO PREPARE FOR THE LONG, HARD STRUGGLE AHEAD.
6. THE RESULT WAS PREDICTABLE.
7. OUR IMPORTS BETWEEN 1972 & 1977 NEARLY DOUBLED --
8. FROM 4½ TO 8½ MILLION BARRELS PER DAY --
9. WHILE OUR DOMESTIC PRODUCTION DECLINED STEADILY,
10. AMERICA DID NOT SEARCH FOR MORE OIL & GAS,
11. AMERICA DID NOT DEVELOP ALTERNATIVE SOURCES,
12. AND AMERICA DID NOT CONSERVE.

(over) (Now we ....)
1. NOW WE HAVE A NATIONAL ENERGY POLICY -- 
2. AND ITS RESULTS ARE ALREADY A FACT OF LIFE. 
3. AMERICANS IN ALL WALKS OF LIFE & ALL LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT 
4. ARE PROVING THAT THIS COUNTRY CAN PRODUCE MORE, RETELL MORE, CREATE MORE, & CONSERVE MORE ENERGY -- 
5. AND WE USE AMERICAN RESOURCES, AMERICAN KNOWLEDGE, & AMERICAN LABOR TO DO IT. 

(At last count,...)
1. AT LAST COUNT THERE WERE 3,124 DRILLING RIGS ACTIVE IN AMERICA --
2. MORE THAN AT ANY TIME IN THE LAST 25 YEARS.
3. MORE NEW OIL & GAS WELLS WILL BE DRILLED IN 1980 THAN IN ANY OTHER YEAR IN OUR HISTORY.
4. WE HAVE LAUNCHED A MASSIVE SYNTHETIC & RENEWABLE FUELS PROGRAM TO TURN OUR COAL & SHALE & FARM PRODUCTS INTO FUEL FOR OUR CARS & TRUCKS, 
5. & TO TURN THE LIGHT OF THE SUN INTO HEAT & ELECTRICITY, FOR OUR HOMES.
6. OUR STRIDES IN ENERGY CONSERVATION ARE JUST AS GREAT.
7. NET OIL IMPORTS ARE DOWN MORE THAN 1½ MILLION BARRELS A DAY COMPARED TO LAST YEAR.
8. THAT IS A REDUCTION OF ABOUT 20% SINCE 1979.
9. AND DURING MORE RECENT WEEKS WE HAVE IMPORTED ONE-THIRD LESS OIL THAN DURING THE SAME TIME LAST YEAR.
1. The American people realize that energy saved means money saved --
2. For ourselves as individuals & for our nation as a whole.
3. The soul of our energy policy is this:
4. That there are many paths to energy security,
5. And all must be explored.
6. We are mining American coal in record quantities,
7. And we want it to become a powerful rival of "OPEC" oil.
8. Our goal for the year 2000
9. Is that 20% of our energy will come from the sun --
10. Energy that is renewable, non-polluting, & can never be embargoed.

(=New card=) (In 1981 alone.....)
1. IN 1981 ALONE WE WILL SPEND MORE THAN $1 BILLION ON SOLAR ENERGY.
2. IN 1975 -- TWO YEARS AFTER THE OIL EMBARGO --
3. THE REPUBLICAN ADMINISTRATION SPENT ONLY $54 MILLION ON SOLAR.
4. WE HAVE MORE OIL LOCKED UP IN OUR SHALE THAN 3 SAUDI ARABIAS,
5. AND THROUGH OUR NEW SYNTHETIC FUELS INDUSTRY WE CAN TAP THAT RESOURCE.
6. OUR STRONG EMPHASIS ON GASOHOL
7. WILL MAKE FARMERS MORE SELF-SUFFICIENT & ALL AMERICANS MORE SECURE.
8. 18 MONTHS AGO VIRTUALLY NONE WAS PRODUCED.
9. NOW WE HAVE THE CAPACITY TO PRODUCE 135 MILLION GALLONS OF ETHANOL
10. AND BY 1981 WE SHOULD REACH 500 MILLION GALLONS.
11. MY GOAL IS THAT BY THE END OF 1990 WE WILL PRODUCE ENOUGH ALCOHOL FUEL
12. TO REPLACE 10% OF AMERICA'S GASOLINE USE.

(=OVER=) (AS WE DEVELOP,...)
1. As we develop new sources of energy,
2. it is vital that we increase conservation —
3. the quickest, cheapest, & cleanest energy there is.
4. and we must also conserve our air,
   our water,
   & our land.
5. In our haste to develop, we must not weaken our environmental standards.
6. we must not forget
7. that whenever we dig coal, shale, & tar sands
8. we dig into the living earth;
9. (and that wherever we produce waste,
10. we will affect the water we drink & the air we breathe.)

(=new card=) (It is obvious,...)
11. IT IS OBVIOUS THAT THE FIGHT FOR AMERICA'S ENERGY SECURITY MUST BE WAGED ON MANY FRONTS; THIS IS RECKONED.

2. FOR THE NEW REPUBLICAN LEADERS, OF COURSE, EVERYTHING IS VERY SIMPLE.

3. THEIR ENERGY PROGRAM HAS ONLY 2 PARTS.

4. THE 2nd PART IS WORSE:

5. FIRST IS TO "TURN THE OIL COMPANIES LOOSE"

6. THE 2nd PART IS WORSE:

7. TO IGNORE OR REVERSE OUR HARD-WON GAINS IN SOLAR ENERGY, GASOHOL, SYNTHETIC FUELS, & CONSERVATION.

8. THEY FOUGHT THE WINDFALL PROFITS TAX EVERY STEP OF THE WAY.

9. THEY FOUGHT THE WINDFALL PROFITS TAX EVERY STEP OF THE WAY.

10. THEIR VISION OF THE FUTURE DOES NOT INCLUDE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT ON NEW SOURCES OF ENERGY, OR THE REVIVAL OF OLD ONES SUCH AS SMALL DAMS.

11. THEIR VISION OF THE FUTURE DOES NOT INCLUDE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT ON NEW SOURCES OF ENERGY, OR THE REVIVAL OF OLD ONES SUCH AS SMALL DAMS.

12. OR THE REVIVAL OF OLD ONES SUCH AS SMALL DAMS.
1. THEY APPARENTLY DO NOT UNDERSTAND
   THAT WE MUST WAGE OUR ENERGY FIGHT ON MANY FRONTS --
   {PUBLIC, PRIVATE, INDIVIDUAL.}

2. 

3. THEY SEEM TO WANT US TO SOLVE THE ENERGY CRISIS
   THE SAME WAY THEY WANT US TO FIGHT INFLATION --
   BY JUST CONSUMING MORE & LETTING THE FUTURE TAKE CARE OF ITSELF.
   THAT IS EXACTLY HOW WE GOT IN TROUBLE IN THE FIRST PLACE.

4. AS FOR NUCLEAR WASTE, THEY SIMPLY SAY,
   "ALL THE WASTE IN A YEAR FROM A NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
   "COULD BE STORED UNDER A DESK."
   AND SEEM TO BE CONTENT TO LET IT GO AT THAT.

5. WELL, IT'S NOT QUITE THAT SIMPLE, & NEITHER IS ANYTHING ELSE.

(=NEW CARD=) (FOR THE REPUBLICANS. . . . . . .)
1. FOR THE REPUBLICANS, THE ENVIRONMENT SEEMS TO BE NO PRIORITY AT ALL.
2. THEY HAVE PLEDGED TO ABOLISH THE 55-MILE-PER-HOUR SPEED LIMIT,
3. WHICH EVEN THE OIL COMPANIES SUPPORT.
4. NOTHING COULD CONTRAST MORE WITH MY OWN VISION OF THE FUTURE.
5. I WANT THE PRIVATE SECTOR TO HAVE A MAJOR ROLE IN OUR ENERGY FUTURE.
6. IN FACT, ALL OF THE ACTUAL PRODUCTION WE ENVISAGE
7. IS IN THE HANDS OF FREE ENTERPRISE.
8. BUT I WANT ALL OF US TO PARTICIPATE IN OUR NATIONAL ENERGY POLICY.
9. ALL OF US CAN CONTRIBUTE TO IT --
10. AND ALL OF US WILL BENEFIT FROM IT.

(=OVER=) (Our goal, ....)
1. Our goal is nothing less than changing the way America produces, uses, & even thinks about energy.

2. And it is the most exciting single undertaking.

3. In the last part of the 20th century.

4. In the past when we switched from wood to coal, & then from coal to oil,

5. Those changes brought only better things to Americans --

6. Better lifestyles, more leisure time, essentials like electricity & heat.

7. Now, as we switch from foreign oil to American fuels,

8. We stand only to gain -- for our economy, our security, & our confidence.

(=NEW CARD=) We have...
1. WE HAVE THE ACCUMULATED SUCCESS OF 204 YEARS OF MEETING CHALLENGES.

2. WE HAVE THE WILL & POWER OF A MATURE NATION.

3. WE HAVE THE VISION & DETERMINATION OF A YOUNG PEOPLE.

4. AMERICA'S FIGHT FOR ENERGY SECURITY

5. IS THE MOST IMPORTANT STRUGGLE IN OUR PEACETIME HISTORY.

6. IT IS A FIGHT FOR JOBS.

7. IT IS A FIGHT AGAINST INFLATION.

8. IT IS A FIGHT FOR FREEDOM.

9. AND, IN A VERY REAL SENSE, IT IS A FIGHT FOR PEACE.

10. WE HAVE A GREAT CAUSE, A GREAT CHALLENGE --

11. AND TOGETHER WITH YOUR HELP WE WILL HAVE A GREAT VICTORY.

12. AND GUARANTEE A SECURE ENERGY FUTURE FOR OUR CHILDREN & OUR CHILDREN'S CHILDREN.

# # #
I am delighted to be here at Lincolnland College. This is an area that is truly a prediction of things to come in the field of energy.

Not only was I impressed by your alcohol fuel facility, but I also noticed a windmill on campus. Dr. Poorman tells me it is a very practical source of energy for the college.

He also said he was very happy that I was here because when someone gives a political speech, there's enough wind to light up half the city of Springfield.

(I have always believed...)
I have always believed in the development of new energy sources. And today, I am delighted to be one.

Alan Dixon

KIRO

I-571 Rockford → Cairo

Central Illinois Expwy

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1. PRESIDENT JACK HENNING, MEMBERS OF THE CALIFORNIA "AFL-CIO":
2. I HAVE ONLY A FEW MINUTES, SO I WANT TO BE BRIEF.
3. SIX WEEKS FROM NOW, THE AMERICAN PEOPLE WILL AGAIN GO TO THE POLLS
4. TO ELECT THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.
5. BUT THE CHOICE WILL BE MORE THAN BETWEEN 2 CANDIDATES OR 2 PARTIES.
6. IT WILL BE A CHOICE BETWEEN 2 VERY DIFFERENT FUTURES.
7. WE WILL CHOOSE
8. WHETHER OR NOT TO CONTINUE THE LAST 5 DECADES OF SOCIAL & ECONOMIC PROGRESS,
9. WHETHER OR NOT
10. THE WORK OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY & AMERICAN LABOR MOVEMENT WILL CARRY ON,
11. WHETHER OR NOT THIS COUNTRY WILL STAND BY
12. ITS COMMITMENTS TO JUSTICE, EQUALITY, & FREEDOM.
1. IN KEEPING THESE COMMITMENTS, IN THE PAST 3½ YEARS,
2. WE HAVE FACED SOME OF THE MOST DIFFICULT PROBLEMS EVER IN OUR COUNTRY.
3. WE FACED UP TO ENERGY --
4. AND NOW OIL IMPORTS ARE DOWN 24%,
5. WE ARE DRILLING MORE OIL & GAS WELLS THAN EVER IN OUR HISTORY,
6. AND WE ARE LAUNCHING A MASSIVE PROGRAM OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY,
7. WE HAVE BEGUN TO REBUILD OUR NATION'S ENERGY BASE,
8. AND NOW WE ARE BEGINNING TO REBUILD OUR INDUSTRIAL BASE,
9. THE ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION PROGRAM YOU HELPED DESIGN
10. WILL CREATE A MILLION NEW JOBS IN THE NEXT 2 YEARS --
11. JOBS IN GROWING, COMPETITIVE INDUSTRIES.

STONG DEFENSE INER PRODUCTIVITY

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1. We will modernize our basic industries, like steel & automobiles, encourage high-technology industries, expand research & development, rebuild our transportation system & expand exports.

2. And we will direct aid to communities & workers hit hard by economic change.

3. When we are finished,

4. The American economy will be a full-employment economy --

5. And the American worker

6. Will continue to out-work, out-produce, workers & out-compete every other country on this earth.

(=over=) (To do that....)
1. TO DO THAT JOB RIGHT,
2. WE NEED A NEW CONSENSUS THAT RECOGNIZES THE LEGITIMATE RIGHTS OF LABOR.
3. I AM STILL WITH YOU ON "COMMON SITUS".
4. I WILL VETO ANY ATTEMPT TO REPEAL "DAVIS-BACON".
5. AND I CONTINUE TO SUPPORT, FOR OUR NATIONAL INTEREST, LABOR LAW REFORM.
6. WE NEED TO INCLUDE LABOR IN OUR MOST BASIC ECONOMIC DECISION-MAKING.
7. AS LONG AS I AM PRESIDENT,
8. THE LABOR MOVEMENT WILL BE AT THE TABLE WHEN THOSE DECISIONS ARE MADE.
   (=NEW CARD=) (As we.....)
1. As we rebuild our economy,
2. I am determined that we expand social & economic justice in America.
3. We must sustain programs for the poor, the weak, & the elderly.
4. We need to enact national health insurance.
5. We need to enact welfare reform,
   & to expand youth employment.
6. We have much unfinished work ahead.
7. But these past 3½ years have laid the base for a new future --
8. A future of an expanding economy,
   a just society,
   & a secure nation.
1. IN CONTRAST TO THAT,
2. WE FACE A REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE & A REPUBLICAN PARTY
3. WHO OFFER A COUNTERFEIT FUTURE.
4. THE REPUBLICANS PROMISE THE SAME REPUBLICAN FORMULAS
5. THAT LONG AGO FAILED THE MAJORITY OF AMERICANS,
6. WE HAVE HEARD
7. THE REPUBLICANS PRAISE THE NEWBORN FREE TRADE UNIONS OF POLAND
8. DON'T YOU WISH
9. THEY WERE AS ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT FREE TRADE UNIONS IN AMERICA?
   (=NEW CARD=) (THEIR CANDIDATE.....)
1. THEY OPPOSE THE MINIMUM WAGE.
2. THEY SUPPORT SO-CALLED RIGHT-TO-WORK LAWS.
3. THEY SUPPORT INCLUDING UNIONS IN ANTI-TRUST LAWS.
4. THEY OPPOSE "HUMPHREY-HAWKINS".
5. THEY SUPPORT REPEAL OF "DAVIS-BACON".
6. THEY OPPOSE LABOR LAW REFORM.
7. THEY WERE AGAINST "MEDICAID", AGAINST "MEDICARE", AND CALLED FOR MAKING "SOCIAL SECURITY" VOLUNTARY.
8. WE'VE HEARD THAT UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION IS "LITTLE MORE THAN A PAID VACATION FOR FREeloaders".
9. YET AFTER ALL THAT, THEY NOW CAMPAIGN AS THE FRIEND OF WORKING PEOPLE.
1. TO SOLVE OUR ENERGY PROBLEM, THEY HAVE A SIMPLE ANSWER:
2. JUST TURN IT OVER TO THE OIL COMPANIES --
3. TRUST THEM TO CONSERVE OUR SCARCE OIL RESOURCES & TO DEVELOP ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SOURCES.
4. THEY DENY THE NEED FOR ENERGY CONSERVATION
5. AND ANY NOTION THAT OIL IS A SCARCE RESOURCE.
6. THEY FOUGHT THE WINDFALL PROFITS TAX.
7. THEY HAVE ANOTHER SIMPLE ANSWER FOR ALL OUR ECONOMIC PROBLEMS....
8. A MASSIVE TAX CUT THAT WOULD BE A WINDFALL FOR THE RICH.
9. ONLY ONE-TENTH OF THAT TAX CUT WOULD GO FOR JOB-PRODUCING INVESTMENTS.
10. THE REST WOULD SET OFF AN INFLATIONARY WHIRLWIND.

(=new card=) (There is nothing.....)
1. There is nothing in this simple answer
2. • for rebuilding our ports & railroads,
3. • for research & development,
4. • for retraining workers,
5. • for aid to cities hit by economic change.
6. That is the real future the Republicans hold out —
7. And the reason you & I
8. Must work with the majority of American voters who share our commitment,

(=over=) (We need to....)

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1. WE NEED TO WORK TOGETHER TO TURN OUT DEMOCRATIC VOTERS IN CALIFORNIA --
2. THE WORKING PEOPLE
3. WHO HAVE BEEN THE BACKBONE OF SOCIAL & ECONOMIC PROGRESS.
4. LET'S REDEDICATE OURSELVES TO THIS TASK --
5. AND JOIN THE STRUGGLE FOR JUSTICE & HUMAN DIGNITY.
6. LET'S JOIN TOGETHER
7. IN MAKING THIS GREAT COUNTRY OF OURS EVEN GREATER.

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Thank you, Jack. I too am familiar with being quoted out of context by the same group. And these are the same folks who have said, and I quote, "There are two ways to deal with facts. You can look them up -- or you can make them up."

Well, now they've found a third way -- you can botch them up.

But don't feel too bad about it, Jack. After all -- you're the only labor leader in America who's in a position to collect residuals from the Republican National Committee.

And I hope you'll let me know if you collect, it'll be the first time the Republicans ever kept an obligation to a working man! Beat RC in Calif.
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7. THAT’S WHY I AM DELIGHTED TO BE HERE IN HOLLYWOOD TONIGHT.

(=OVER=) (I’M SORRY THAT.....)

Ms Pres.
We are adding up some jokes to replace the slot job.

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3. INCIDENTALLY, THERE IS NO TRUTH TO THE RUMOR
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9. AND QUALIFIED FOR $10 MILLION IN FEDERAL CAMPAIGN FUNDS.

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2. WHAT YOU ARE SEEING TONIGHT IS DemoCRATy UNIty -- LIVE!
3. AND THOSE ARE NOT THE ONLY DIFFERENCES IN OUR PARTIES,
4. I CANNOT REMEMBER A TIME IN MY LIFETIME
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7. IT IS A FUTURE WHERE GOVERNMENT OFFERS A HELPING HAND TO THE WELL-OFF,
   A THUMBS-DOWN TO THOSE WHO NEED HELP.

(=NEW CARD=) (LET ME ......)
1. Let me leave you with this final important thought --

2. We stand here in a vital part of our country,
   A vital part of our national economy,
   A vital part of our nation's culture,
   A vital part of our nation's future.

3. We are a pioneer nation.

4. California is a state of pioneers.

5. You look to the Pacific & its great trade opportunities.

6. You look to the future & its technological wonders.

7. I share your hopes for the future.

8. I believe our country's future will be a bright one.

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Lou Wasserman - Chuck Nanat

Ken - hard to follow

Good team on same bill Beverly Hills

Average - grass roots - Hollywood

Unity - stark choice

Common vision - future

Jobs - human justice -

Disadvantaged - working - aged

Women minorities - age

Quality of life -

Qual office

Energy - revival - China - nuclear weapons -

Peace - Mid East

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September 19, 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Al McDonald
       Rick Hertzberg
       Jack Kaplan

SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks:
         Meeting with Springfield
         Political Leaders

         Scheduled delivery:
         Mon, Sept 22
         Springfield, Ill.

Your opening remarks for this group
are attached.

Copies have been sent to Pat Caddell
and Jerry Rafshoon. Jody will write
his comments on this original before
giving it to you.
Salutations will be provided by Advance]  

Jack Kaplan  
A-1, 9/19/80  
For delivery:  
Mon., Sept. 22, 10:45 AM

Jokes - Springfield Democratic Leaders

1. [Salutations]  

2. Jokes

I'm very happy to see Alan Dixon. From all indications, he will be the next United States Senator from Illinois. And Alan, I want you to know that I appreciate your kind offer to give me some tips on debating.

If you watched television last night, you may have seen a program that moved millions of Americans with its intelligence, its intensity and its emotion.

It's no wonder that Midnight Express was nominated for an Academy Award.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Al McDonald
       Gordon Stewart

SUBJECT: Presidential Speech:
         Lincolnland
         Community College

         Scheduled delivery:
         Mon, Sept 22
         Springfield, Ill.

Your speech for this event is attached.

Copies have been sent to Pat Caddell
and Jerry Rafshoon. Jody will write
his comments on this original before
giving it to you.

Clearances

DOE
DPS
Remarks to Lincolnland Community College

I am very pleased with the gasohol project we have just seen, which demonstrates how farmers can produce their own motor fuel. But it demonstrates something more. Your project, and thousands of other efforts across the country, are proof that this nation has at last understood the challenge of energy security. And something even more important, we are finally meeting that challenge head on.

This year we face a choice between two energy futures. It is a choice that will affect us today, and our children and grandchildren tomorrow. It will help determine what kind of role the U.S. of America will play in that world we live in, and whether or not that world can remain at peace.

Let me put the choice as simply as possible: will America have a secure future of abundant energy from sources as old as the sun and as new as synthetic fuel -- or will it
face a precarious future at the mercy of OPEC and the oil companies. 

What I have seen today and all across this land convinces me that Americans are ready to fight to reverse its dependence on foreign oil. 

From the moment of assuming office, I have maintained that our energy problem is a clear and present danger to our lives and livelihood — as individuals and as a nation. 

We are at one end of a 12,000 mile supply line. On the other end of that supply line is danger, uncertainty, turmoil -- and until this year nearly half the oil we use. [Our dependence on imported oil this year will cost us $85 billion.]

That is almost $400 for every man, woman and child in this country, and it is more than the net income of all the Fortune 500 companies combined.
Just as foreign oil drives our cars, its price drives our inflation. With inflation comes unemployment and declining productivity in our country -- and scarcity and poverty in less developed countries.

The inflation caused by foreign oil dependence affects the quality of our schools, health care, and other social services. It makes old age harder for the elderly and growing up less hopeful for the young. It hurts all of us, not just by causing inconvenience, but by undermining our society itself.

These are the hard facts, and it has been hard for America to face them. After the first big OPEC price hike, the Republican Administration declared the energy crisis over and did nothing but artificially control the price to prepare us for the long hard struggle ahead. The result was that our imports between 1972 and 1977 nearly doubled -- from 4 1/2 to 8 1/2 million barrels per day -- while our domestic production fell off. America did not look for more oil and gas, America did not develop alternative
sources, and America did not conserve.

Now we have a national energy policy -- and its results are already a fact of life. Americans in all walks of life and all levels of government are proving that this country can produce more, discover more, create more, and conserve more energy --- and we use American resources, American knowledge, and American labor to do it.

**DRILLING**

At last count there were 3,124 oil rigs active in America -- more than at any time in the last 25 years. And more are going up. More new oil wells will be drilled in 1980 than in any other year in our history. [We are not limited by a shortage of capital -- but by a shortage of drilling rigs.]

We have launched a massive synthetic and renewable fuels program to turn our coal and shale and farm products into fuel for our cars and trucks, and to turn the light of the sun into heat and electricity, for our homes.
Our strides in energy conservation are just as great. Net oil imports are down more than 1 1/2 million barrels a day compared to last year. That is a reduction of about 20 percent since 1979. And for the four-week period ending September 12, figures are even better. We imported more than one third less oil this year than we did during the same time last year.

The American people realize that energy saved means money saved -- for themselves as individuals and for our nation as a whole.

The soul of our energy policy is this: that there are many paths to energy security and all must be explored.

We are mining American coal in record quantities, and someday it will become a powerful rival of OPEC oil. Our goal for the year 2000 is that 20 percent of our energy will come from the sun -- energy that is renewable, non-polluting,
and can never be embargoed. In 1981 alone we will spend more than $1 billion on solar energy. In 1975, the Republican administration, long after the embargo of 1973, spent only $54 million on solar.

We have more oil locked up in our shale than three Saudi Arabias, and through our new synthetic fuels industry we will tap that resource.

We are using agricultural products to create gasohol and other biomass fuels. 18 months ago virtually none was produced. Now we have the capacity to produce 135 million gallons of ethanol and by 1981 should reach 500 million gallons, the bulk of it going to gasohol. Our strong emphasis on gasohol will make farmers more self-sufficient. In 1978 there were only 10 permits issued, and in only the first 7 months of this year we issued 4,700 permits. My goal is that by the end of 1990 we will produce enough alcohol fuel to replace 10 percent
of America's gasoline use.

As we develop new sources of energy,

[In the course of energy development] it is vital that we

increase conservation -- the quickest, cheapest, and cleanest

energy there is. And we must conserve more than energy. Our

air, our water, and our land — these are resources we cannot

live without. In our haste to develop we must not weaken our

environmental standards. We must not forget that whenever we

dig coal, shale, and tar sands we dig into the living earth,

and that wherever we produce waste, we will affect the water

we drink and the air we breathe.

It is obvious that

Our path to a better future involves many steps, from

home conservation to massive synfuels plants. The fight for

America's energy security must be waged on many fronts.

For the new Republican leaders, of course, everything

is very simple. Their energy program has only two parts.

First — in the words of the Republican candidate, which he has
said over and over, "turn the oil companies loose." The second part is worse:

They want us to ignore or reverse our hard-won gains in solar energy, gasohol, synthetic fuels, and conservation. They fought the Windfall Profits Tax every step of the way. Their vision of the future does not include research and development on new sources of energy or the revival of old apparently ones such as small dams. They do not understand that we must wage our energy fight on many fronts -- public, private, and individual. They want us to solve the energy crisis the same way they want us to fight inflation -- by just consuming more and letting the future take care of itself. That is exactly how we got in trouble in the first place.

[Ronald Reagan says, "nuclear power today represents the greatest opportunity this country has to meet energy needs for the next 25 years."

As for nuclear waste, [Mr. Reagan] says, "all the waste in a year from a nuclear power plant could

*Stu feels that given our own nuclear position this and the words bracketed in the next two paragraphs doesn't help us, but says the waste attack is fine. Don't use it, I do.
be stored under a desk."

Go at that. Well, it's not quite that simple — and neither is anything else.

[That is Mr. Reagan's misunderstanding of nuclear energy and nuclear waste epitomizes his disregard for the future.]

For the Republicans, where the environment has always been a top priority of this administration's energy program, the environment is no longer a priority at all. For Governor Reagan he has pledged to abolish the 55-mile-per-hour speed limit, which even the oil companies support. [Worst of all, he has pledged himself to a policy dominated by oil companies and nuclear energy.]

Nothing could contrast more with my own vision of the future. I want the private sector to have a major role in our energy future. In fact, all of the actual production we envisage is in the hands of free enterprise.

But I want all of us to participate in our National
Energy Policy. All of us can contribute to it -- and all of us will benefit from it.

Our goal is nothing less than changing the way America produces, uses, and even thinks about energy -- and it is the most exciting single undertaking in the last part of the 20th century.

In the past when we switched from wood to coal, and then from coal to oil, those changes brought only better things to Americans -- better lifestyles, more leisure time, essentials like electricity and heat. Now, as we switch from foreign oil to American fuels, we stand only to gain -- for our economy, our security, and our confidence.

We have the accumulated success of 204 years of meeting challenges. We have the will and power of a mature nation. We have the vision and determination of a young people.
America's fight for energy security is the most important struggle in our peacetime history. It is a fight for jobs. It is a fight against inflation. It is a fight for freedom. And, in a very real sense, it is a fight for peace.

We have a great cause, a great challenge -- and together with your help we shall have a great victory. And guarantee a secure energy future for our children and our children's children.

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September 19, 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:          Al McDonald
               Rick Hertzberg
               Chris Matthews

SUBJECT:      Presidential Remarks:
               Torrance Town Meeting
               Opening Statement

               Scheduled delivery:
               Mon, Sept 22, 2 p.m.
               Torrance, Calif.

Your opening statement for this town meeting is attached.

Copies have been sent to Pat Caddell and Jerry Rafshoon. Jody will write his comments on this original before giving it to you.

Clearances

Charlie Schultze
David Rubenstein
Mayor Jim Armstrong, I appreciate your help in scheduling this meeting.

Six weeks from now, our country faces a critical decision. This decision will set the course not just for the next four years, but for generations to come. It will decide what kind of society our children and grandchildren live in. It will help to decide what kind of world we live in, and whether that world is at peace, or not.

That is an awesome choice, and here in this great and free land of ours, it is a choice we get to make ourselves. Even in these times of great complexity and great challenge and great excitement, we Americans have the inalienable right to choose our own future, to set our own course as a free people.
I am optimistic about our country's future, because I know the strength and good sense of the American people.

I feel that strength and good sense at town meetings like this all across our country. I have seen that when people are told about a challenge in clear-cut terms, when they understand what is at stake, they are ready and determined to do the right thing -- to invest in our country's future.

Today there are healthy signs of economic [resurgence] in our country. There are [good] indications that our economy is responding better than expected. But my strongest source of optimism is not any set of statistics, but the way the American people have responded themselves to our country's [bread-and-butter] challenges.

I am a farmer and businessman by profession. I know that you do not turn a profit until after you have made your investment first. If you want to get something out, you first have to put something in.
The same goes for a family that buys a house or puts money into education. If you want a brighter future, you have to invest in it. You have to work for it.

And the same goes for a country. Our land has faced some tough, unprecedented challenges these past four years. For the first time in memory we have had to confront a major economic threat from outside, the challenge of foreign oil dependence. For too many years we have been importing high-priced oil, importing inflation, and exporting the economic power we need to create jobs here at home.

Three and a half years ago I called our nation's energy challenge "the moral equivalent of war." Many people were skeptical. They said that dealing with our energy challenge was politically infeasible, that it would be unpopular, that the American people would not respond.

The skeptics were wrong. Dealing with our energy challenge...
has not been easy. Certainly it has not been all that popular. But it has been necessary, and people have come to recognize that fact. They have come to see our energy program as the soundest possible investment in our country's future.

We are just beginning to see some early returns on that investment. This year the United States will consume one and a half million barrels of oil less every day than we did in 1979. This year our production of American crude oil is up, and more than 5 percent over what it was in 1977. This year we are drilling more oil wells than during any other year in history. American coal production is at an all-time high.

But the real breakthroughs lie ahead. Today we are launching the greatest enterprise in history, to take the billions we now send to OPEC and invest those billions creating new American fuels, new American technology, new American jobs here at home.
We are not stopping here. We are moving to revitalize American industry across-the-board, to refit our plant and equipment to meet the competition of the 1980s.

There are some who disagree with this effort. My opponent apparently believes we should rely solely on the oil companies to solve our energy challenge. He belittles the role of conservation. He believes that instead of stimulating investment in industry we should give giant tax cuts to the rich, tax cuts that will not work, that will be misdirected, that will only add to inflation.

I believe that the American people -- and the people of California, in particular -- know better. I believe when it comes to the time of decision, they will continue on the bold, exciting course we have charted for our country.

We Americans have always been pioneers. We were pioneers when we moved westward across the prairies and the mountains to this beautiful land of California. That pioneer spirit
remains at the heart of our country. It remains at the heart of our effort to develop new energy sources and great new productivity for American industry.

A generation ago, America set a goal -- to go to the moon. Today we face challenges that are, both in their importance and in their scope, even more advanced. Once again, it needs to be a joint effort, a real partnership of business and labor and government. Once again it will call upon our great scientific genius, our great technological know-how. Once again it will call for the ingenuity and the sweat of hundreds of thousands of American workers. Once again, as we have done so often before, we Americans are meeting the challenge. Once again, we are exploring our universe, in all its potential. Once again, we are learning to master our fate, to build the future we all want.

Now, I will take the first question.

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September 19, 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Al McDonald
       Rick Hertzberg
       Jack Kaplan

SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks:
         Introductory Remarks
         at L. A. Fundraiser

         Scheduled delivery:
         Mon, Sept 22, evening
         Los Angeles, Calif.

Your opening remarks for this fundraiser are attached.

Copies have been sent to Pat Caddell and Jerry Rafshoon. Jody will write
his comments on this original before giving it to you.

Clearances

David Rubenstein
BELIEVE ME, IF THERE IS ONE THING I'VE LEARNED IN THIS CAMPAIGN, IT'S THAT TED KENNEDY IS A TOUGH ACT TO FOLLOW.

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IT IS A FUTURE WHERE GOVERNMENT OFFERS A HELPING HAND TO THE WELL-OFF AND A THUMBS DOWN TO THOSE WHO NEED HELP.

6. LET ME LEAVE YOU WITH THIS FINAL IMPORTANT THOUGHT --

WE STAND HERE IN A VITAL PART OF OUR COUNTRY, A VITAL PART OF OUR NATIONAL ECONOMY, A VITAL PART OF OUR NATION'S CULTURE, A VITAL PART OF OUR NATION'S FUTURE.

WE ARE A PIONEER NATION. CALIFORNIA IS A STATE OF PIONEERS. YOU LOOK TO THE PACIFIC AND ITS GREAT TRADE OPPORTUNITIES. YOU LOOK TO THE FUTURE AND ITS TECHNOLOGICAL WONDERS.

I SHARE YOUR HOPES FOR THE FUTURE. I BELIEVE OUR COUNTRY'S FUTURE WILL BE A BRIGHT ONE.

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IT IS A FUTURE IN WHICH THE QUEST FOR NUCLEAR SUPERIORITY CAN ONLY LEAD TO A DANGEROUS AND DESTABILIZING NUCLEAR ARMS RACE.
September 19, 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Al McDonald
       Rick Hertzberg
       Bob Rackleff

SUBJECT: Presidential Speech:
          California AFL/CIO
          Convention

          Scheduled delivery:
          Mon, Sept 22, 3:45 p.m.
          Los Angeles, Calif.

Your speech for this convention is attached.

Copies have been sent to Pat Caddell
and Jerry Rafshoon. Jody will write
his comments on this original before
giving it to you.

Clearances

Landon Butler
Stu Eizenstat
OMB
DNC
President Jack Henning, members of the California AFL-CIO:

I have only a few minutes, so I want to be brief. Six weeks from now, the American people will again go to the polls to elect the President of the United States. But the choice will be more than between two candidates or two parties. It will be a choice between two very different futures.

We will choose whether or not to continue the last five decades of social and economic progress -- whether or not the work of the Democratic Party and American labor movement will carry on -- whether or not this country will stand by its commitments to justice, equality, and freedom.

In keeping these commitments, in the past 3 1/2 years, we have faced some of the most difficult problems ever in our country. We faced up to energy -- and now oil imports are
down 24 percent, we are drilling more oil and gas wells than ever in our history, and we are launching a massive program of alternative energy.

We have begun to rebuild our nation's energy base, and now we are beginning to rebuild our industrial base.

The economic revitalization program you helped design will create a million new jobs in the next two years — jobs in growing, competitive industries.

We will modernize our basic industries, like steel and automobiles, we will encourage high-technology industries, we will expand research and development, we will rebuild our transportation system and expand exports, and we will direct aid to communities and workers hit hard by economic change.

And when we are finished, the American economy will be a full-employment economy — and the American worker will out-work,
out-produce, and out-compete every other country on this earth.

To do that job right, we need a new consensus that recognizes the legitimate rights of labor. I am still with you on common situs. I will veto any attempt to repeal Davis-Bacon. And I continue to support, for our national interest, labor law reform.

We need to include labor in our most basic economic decision-making. As long as I am President, the labor movement will be at the table when those decisions are made.

As we rebuild our economy, I am determined that we expand social and economic justice in America. We must sustain programs for the poor, the weak, and the elderly. We need to enact national health insurance. We need to enact welfare reform and to expand youth employment.

We have much unfinished work ahead. But these past 3 1/2
years have laid the base for a new future -- a future of an expanding economy, a just society, and a secure nation.

In contrast to that, we face a Republican candidate and a Republican Party who offer a counterfeit future.

The Republicans speak about the problems of working families and the poor, yet they promise the same Republican formulas that long ago failed the majority of Americans.

We have heard the Republicans praise the newborn free trade unions of Poland -- at the same time they seek to undermine free trade unions in America.

Their candidate for President opposes the minimum wage. He supports so-called right-to-work laws. He supports including unions in anti-trust laws. He opposed Humphrey-Hawkins. He supports repeal of Davis-Bacon. Only 1 1/2 years ago, he proposed to eliminate OSHA. He opposes labor law reform. He was against Medicaid, against Medicare, and repeatedly called for making Social Security voluntary.
Only two years ago, he called unemployment compensation "little more than paid vacation for freeloaders."

Yet after all that, he is campaigning as the friend of working people and the man with all the answers.

To solve our energy problem, he has a simple answer: just turn it over to the oil companies -- trust them to conserve our scarce oil resources -- and trust them -- and trust them -- and trust them to develop alternative energy sources.

He denies the need for energy conservation and any notion that oil is a scarce resource. He stands ready to set aside a whole decade of environmental progress to let the corporations work their will.

He has a simple answer for all our economic problems. He wants a massive tax cut that would be a windfall for the rich. Only one-tenth of that tax cut would go for job-producing
investments. The rest would set off an inflationary whirlwind.

There is nothing in his simple answer for rebuilding our ports and railroads, for research and development, for retraining workers, for aid to cities hit by economic change.

He even has a simple answer for financing his tax cut. He'd just eliminate waste—cut Federal spending by 2 to 3 percent in the 1981 budget, and 7 to 10 percent by 1985.

Let me tell you what that really means. For the moment, [forget that his estimates are unrealistic — and] forget that he includes revenues from taxes he opposes and leaves out spending for programs he supports.

By the time Congress could make the 2 to 3 percent cuts in the 1981 budget, he would have to slash all programs, except defense and those not mandated, by about 25 percent, and by 1985 it would be about 50 percent.
This would not just devastate programs on the usual Republican hit list -- such as education, job training, meals for the elderly. It would devastate farm programs, housing construction, disaster relief, water resources projects, export promotion, sewer construction, veterans medical care, the space program, interstate highways, solar research, the Peace Corps -- program after program that help keep our nation strong.

That is the real future the Republicans hold out -- and the reason you and I must work with the majority of American voters who share our commitment.

We need to work together to turn out Democratic voters in California -- to turn out the working people who have been the backbone of social and economic progress.

Let's rededicate ourselves to this task -- and to join the struggle for justice and human dignity. Let's join together in making this great country of ours even greater.

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