

Des Moines, Adel, Boone, Fort Dodge, Iowa, 1/12/80

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 18, 1979

TO: MARY

FROM: KATHY *DC*

RE: Iowa SHARES (Sends Help To Aid Refugees And End Starvation)

On November 21 Governor Ray announced a statewide, nonpartisan effort to raise funds for the relief effort in Cambodia and Thailand. The campaign is running from Thanksgiving to Christmas and this week has been proclaimed by the Governor Iowa SHARES week.

Contributions are being measured in terms of how many bushels of Iowa grain they would buy, with \$2.20 per bushel being the current price. To date they have raised over \$240,000 and they are presently supporting two medical teams who are in Thailand under the auspices of the American Refugee Committee. They are also considering which organization to support to enable more food to be purchased over there.

Attached is a press release about the effort. Almost every newspaper, as well as local radio and TV stations, labor and agricultural organizations and especially school children are involved. The Governor's office has suggested it would be helpful for RSC to emphasize how great the need is and to commend Iowans for all that they have already contributed.

*Background
for Magnolia
stop.
Acknowledge check.
I have not done
separate remarks.*



ROBERT D. RAY
GOVERNOR

Office of the Governor

STATE CAPITOL
DES MOINES, IOWA 50319

November 21, 1979

FOR RELEASE UPON RECEIPT

Iowa Governor Robert D. Ray announced in a news conference Wednesday morning formation of a statewide effort to help end starvation in Cambodia and alleviate the plight of those suffering in refugee camps in Thailand. Known as IOWA SHARES (Iowa Sends Help to Aid Refugees and End Starvation), the campaign will run from Thanksgiving to Christmas.

Noting that Iowa has many times in the past demonstrated that "it is not just a state in the heart of the nation, but also a state with a heart", Ray urged Iowans from all sectors of the community to support this effort.

In outlining the structure of the campaign, the Governor alluded to our record grain crop of 1.6 billion bushels and Pope John Paul's charge that Iowans are stewards of the earth with an obligation to SHARE the fruits of the soil with all of mankind. Ray explained that contributions would be measured in terms of how many bushels of Iowa grain they could buy, with \$2.20 per bushel being the current price. The purchase of each bushel of grain would be considered as buying a SHARE in humanity.

Expressing hope that Iowans would donate the equivalent of one or more barges of grain - 52,500 bushels each -, Ray said such a gift "would be a mighty symbol of Iowa generosity and an important example for the rest of the world."

While Iowa grain will not actually be shipped to Southeast Asia, Ray said that the equivalent amounts of money raised would be used to buy rice and other food and to support needed medical services. Through contacts at the American Embassy in Bangkok and working relationships with humanitarian organizations already operating in Thailand and Cambodia, Ray emphasized that we will be able to provide maximum assurances possible that the benefits from money donated will actually get to the people that need it most. Stating that we can have a direct effect in the saving of lives of starving Cambodians, Ray called upon his fellow Iowans to SHARE our bountiful harvest with these unfortunate people.

Ray also announced the names of some prominent Iowa citizens who will help guide the IOWA SHARES campaign. Included were: Michael Gartner, President and Editor of the Des Moines Register and Tribune; Roxanne Conlin, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Iowa; A. Arthur Davis, senior partner in the Davis, Hockenberg, Wine, Brown and Doehn Law Firm; Sheldon Rabinowitz of Coopers and Lybrand Accounting Firm; Rabbi Jay Goldberg; Max Gumm, Executive Director of CROP; and Colleen Shearer, Director of the Iowa Refugee Service Center. The names of others, including representatives in other communities throughout the state, will be announced in the near future.

Contributions can be sent directly to:

IOWA SHARES
P. O. Box 1979
Des Moines, Iowa 50306

NOTE: Governor and Mrs. Ray will appear on a one and one-half hour special program on Cambodia hosted by Mary Jane O'Dell on IPBN. The program will air from 8:30 to 10:00 p.m., Friday, November 23. It will feature photos taken by Governor and Mrs. Ray of the deplorable conditions in the refugee camp of Sa Kaew during the Ray's visit to the Cambodian border area last month.

DATE: January 10, 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR:

THE WHITE HOUSE MILITARY OFFICE

The following individuals were manifested aboard the following aircraft: C-9

TRIP ITINERARY

Date(s) of trip:
January 11-12, 1980

NAME & TITLE/OFFICE

STATUS

OFFICIAL
UNOFFICIAL

Andrews AFB to Waterloo, Ia.

Ft. Dodge, Ia. to Andrews AFB

JUSTIFICATION
(OFFICIAL TRAVEL ONLY)

[illegible]

NOTE: REIMBURSEMENT IS REQUIRED FOR ALL UNOFFICIAL PASSENGERS

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APPROVING AUTHORITY



ABOARD AIR FORCE ONE

Adventures -

Arnes - Boone -

Friday - 10am - 12 noon

Gateway Center Motor

Hotel - ^{Room} 520

H. Dodge -

Friday afternoon

3-5 pm -



ABOARD AIR FORCE ONE

Iowa Radio Network -
Gary Barnett 515-244-2115

interviewed Kennedy,
Brown
85% state radio
station -
hook-up of at least
18 radio stations -

Waterloo Courier
Bob Case -
Political reports

515-244-2151

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Cinta - Mrs. [unclear]

17Kb -

En. 1122

no 8.38 am -

for radio -

talk show -

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Wash to Waterloo

\$149.00

J. Dodge to Wash

\$155.00

JANUARY 10, 1980

Office of the First Lady's Press Secretary

SUMMARY SCHEDULE

TRIP OF THE FIRST LADY TO
IOWA

JANUARY 11-12, 1980

All times are local

Friday, January 11, 1980

7:45 am Press check-in, VIP lounge, Andrews AFB

8:15 am THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS ANDREWS AFB ENROUTE WATERLOO, IOWA

Flying time: 2 hours, 25 minutes
Gain 1 hour

9:40 am THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES WATERLOO MUNICIPAL AIRPORT, WATERLOO, IOWA, BOARDS MOTORCADE AND DEPARTS ENROUTE UAW HALL

Open Press Coverage ✓

10:00 am THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES UAW HALL ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. JOAN MONDALE, MRS. MURIEL HUMPHREY AND MRS. RUTH CARTER STAPLETON AND PROCEEDS TO ROOM FOR PRESS COMMENTS

Open Press Coverage ✓

10:15 am COFFEE/RECEPTION SPONSORED BY CARTER-MONDALE PRESIDENTIAL COMMITTEE COMMENCES

Open Press Coverage ✓

Remarks by Ruth Carter Stapleton

Remarks by Muriel Humphrey

Remarks by Joan Mondale

FIRST LADY REMARKS

10:45 am THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS UAW HALL WATERLOO ENROUTE IOWA FALLS, IOWA

Press Bus Follows

11:55 am THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES TAYLOR HOME, IOWA FALLS, FOR PRIVATE LUNCHEON

12:35 pm THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS TAYLOR HOME ENROUTE IOWA FALLS HIGH SCHOOL

12:40 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES IOWA FALLS OLD HIGH SCHOOL FOR COFFEE/RECEPTION SPONSORED BY CARTER/MONDALE PRESIDENTIAL COMMITTEE

Open Press Coverage ✓

FIRST LADY REMARKS

1:20 pm THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS IOWA FALLS ENROUTE MARSHALLTOWN, IOWA

Press Bus Follows

2:30 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES REGENCY INN, MARSHALLTOWN FOR CARTER/MONDALE PRESIDENTIAL COMMITTEE COFFEE/RECEPTION

Open Press Coverage ✓

FIRST LADY REMARKS

3:20 pm THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS MARSHALLTOWN ENROUTE AMES, IOWA

Press Bus Follows

4:10 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES COLLEGE OF DESIGN, IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY FOR COFFEE/RECEPTION

Open Press Coverage ✓

FIRST LADY REMARKS

5:00 pm THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS AMES ENROUTE DES MOINES, IOWA

Press Bus Follows

5:40 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES SAVERY HOTEL, DES MOINES AND PROCEEDS TO SUITE FOR PERSONAL/STAFF TIME

7:30 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES SALISBURY HOUSE ACCOMPANIED BY SECRETARY OF EDUCATION HUFSTEDLER FOR ERA COALITION FUNDRAISER

Limited Press Coverage ✓

FIRST LADY REMARKS

8:20 pm THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS SALISBURY HOUSE ENROUTE SAVERY HOTEL

8:35 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES SAVERY HOTEL AND PROCEEDS TO SUITE

RON - Savery Hotel

Saturday, January 12, 1980

9:40 am THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS SAVERY HOTEL ENROUTE ADEL, IOWA

Press Bus Follows

10:10 am THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES DE SOTO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, ADEL, IOWA FOR CARTER/MONDALE PRESIDENTIAL COMMITTEE COFFEE/RECEPTION

Open Press Coverage ✓

FIRST LADY REMARKS

10:45 am THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS ADEL ENROUTE BOONE, IOWA

Press Bus Follows

11:35 am THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES RYAN HIGH SCHOOL, BOONE, IOWA FOR CARTER/MONDALE PRESIDENTIAL COMMITTEE COFFEE/RECEPTION

Open Press Coverage ✓

12:20 pm THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS RYAN HIGH SCHOOL ENROUTE RESTAURANT FOR PRIVATE LUNCHEON

1:05 pm THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS BOONE ENROUTE FORT DODGE, IOWA

Press Bus Follows

2:15 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES ST. EDMOND HIGH SCHOOL, FORT DODGE, IOWA FOR CARTER/MONDALE PRESIDENTIAL COMMITTEE COFFEE/RECEPTION

Open Press Coverage ✓

FIRST LADY REMARKS

3:25 pm THE FIRST LADY DEPARTS ST. EDMOND HIGH SCHOOL ENROUTE FT. DODGE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT

3:50 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES FORT DODGE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT. BOARDS
AIRCRAFT AND DEPARTS ENROUTE ANDREWS AFB

Flying time: 2 hours, 10 minutes
Lose 1 hour

7:00 pm THE FIRST LADY ARRIVES ANDREWS AFB

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

RSC --

Enclosed are two sets of remarks:

The Door Opener, Monday, Mason City

I've attached a background paper. You will be speaking to volunteers, staff and the board of directors and clients. The event will not be at the center, since it is a very small place, but in a larger room near-by. The information in the remarks came from the paper Sarah Weddington prepared on Administration accomplishments for women.

ERA fundraiser, Friday, Des Moines

The purpose of this event is to raise money to support Iowa ERA, which is working to assure passage of an amendment to the Iowa State Constitution, which will be on the ballot next November. Iowa was the fourth state to ratify the national ERA, got impatient when it wasn't passed and decided to go ahead and amend their own state constitution. 32 organizations have joined in a coalition to generate support. The amendment has already passed the legislature, must now be approved by the Iowa voters.

Our supporters in Iowa suggested that you not make reference to Kennedy, as there will be a very mixed group at the reception -- Republicans, Kennedy and Brown supporters, as well as our supporters. They feel it is better to just speak to the importance of ERA and all the President has done for women. They are thrilled you are doing this event, think it will help a great deal, and say the Kennedy people are really mad about it.

Kathy

DRAFT #1 (1/1/80)

Trip Desk: RAMBO - Waterloo, Iowa Falls, Marshalltown
Adel, Des Moines

Trip Desk: JORDAN - Ames, Boone, Fort Dodge

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TRIP OF MRS. CARTER TO IOWA

JANUARY 11-12, 1980

Friday, January 11, 1980

8:00 am Depart South Grounds, The White House en
route Andrews AFB

LIMO: Mrs. Carter
Mrs. Mondale

8:30 am Depart Andrews AFB en route Waterloo, Iowa

(Flying time: 2 hours 25 minutes)
(GAIN 1 hour)

(Breakfast served on board)

9:55 am Arrive Waterloo Municipal Airport, Waterloo, Iowa

Waterloo, Iowa Falls & ~~Keech-LeGrand~~
Marshalltown Advance: Lisbeth Godley
Press Advance: ~~Larry Walsh~~

Iowa Falls
Sharon
Kathy

Steve Leroy

~~10:00 am~~

~~Press Conference~~

conference for

10:00 am

Depart Waterloo Municipal Airport en route
Ramada Inn *UAW Hall*

Ag. Mt.
7:00 mt.
long

10:20 am

Arrive ~~Ramada Inn~~, Washington & West 2nd, Waterloo
and proceed to Ballroom

UAW Hall - press comments

Carter/Mondale Coffee-Reception, Waterloo

- UAW Hall -

(Note: Joan Mondale, Muriel Humphrey
and Ruth Carter Stapleton will also attend
this coffee.)

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance: 300

11:00 am

Depart Ramada Inn, Waterloo en route Iowa Falls, Ia.

(Driving time: 50-minutes)

11:50 am

Arrive Iowa Falls, Iowa

private lunch -

~~Lunch at local restaurant~~

local reporter house -

Betty Taylor

Press note
lunch available
for purchase -

Depart restaurant en route coffee site

Arrive Old Man for Carter/Mondale
Coffee-Reception, Iowa Falls

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance:

Depart Iowa Falls en route Marshalltown, Iowa

(Driving time: 1 hour 10 minutes)

Arrive Marshalltown, Iowa

Carter/Mondale Coffee-Reception, Marshalltown

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance:

Depart Marshalltown, Iowa en route Ames, Iowa

(Driving time: 40 minutes)

Arrive Ames, Iowa ✓

Ames Advance: ~~Dan Lee~~

Tom Redder

Press Advance: Vicki Hartman

Carter/Mondale Coffee-Reception at the College of Design, Iowa State University

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance:

Depart Ames, Iowa en route Des Moines, Iowa

(Driving time: 40 minutes)

Arrive Savory Hotel, Des Moines, Iowa and
proceed to suite

Des Moines & Adel Advance: Barbie Block

~~Long = 81 m~~

Press Advance: ~~Lisa Strasburg~~

Kate Steed

PERSONAL/STAFF TIME: 1 hour 30 minutes

Dinner in suite

7:00 pm

Depart Savory Hotel en route

7:30 pm

Arrive Galeburg House - Satisfactory for ERA Coalition Fundraiser

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance: accompanied Sen. Buford

8:20 pm

Depart _____ en route Savory Hotel

8:35 pm

Arrive Savory Hotel and proceed to suite

RON SAVORY HOTEL, DES MOINES, IOWA

Saturday, January 12, 1980

9:00 am

Attend Carter/Mondale Breakfast/Reception in Savory Hotel

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance:

9:25 am

Depart Des Moines, Iowa en route Adel, Iowa

(Driving time: 30 minutes)

Arrive Adel, Iowa

Carter/Mondale Coffee/Reception in Adel

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance:

10:45 am

Depart Adel, Iowa en route Boone, Iowa

(Driving time: 35 minutes)

Arrive Boone, Iowa

Boone & Ft. Dodge Advance:

Tom Redder

Press Advance: Vicki Hartman

Depart restaurant en route coffee site

Arrive _____ for Carter/Mondale Coffee-Reception in Boone

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance:

12:45 pm

12:25 pm

~~1:40~~
~~1:25~~ pm

Depart Boone, Iowa en route Fort Dodge, Iowa

~~2:10~~ 2:10 pm
press
comment

(Driving time: 1 hour)

Arrive Fort Dodge, Iowa

Carter/Mondale Coffee-Reception, Ft. Dodge

Remarks - Greet guests - Attendance: 30

3:25
~~3:30~~ pm

Depart Ft. Dodge reception en route Fort Dodge
Municipal Airport

3:45 pm

Arrive Ft. Dodge Municipal Airport and board
aircraft

3:50 pm

Depart Fort Dodge, Iowa en route Andrews AFB

(Flying time: 2 hours 10 minutes)
(LOSE 1 hour)

(Snacks served on board)

7:00 pm

Arrive Andrews AFB

7:30 pm

Arrive South Grounds, The White House

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Mrs. Fitzgerald
want press
comment

IOWA REMARKS, January 12, 1980

GLAD TO BE BACK IN IOWA!

JIMMY SENDS HIS LOVE AND WISHES YOU A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

HE WANTED TO BE HERE ~~TODAY~~. INSTEAD, HE IS AT THE WHITE
HOUSE TAKING CARE OF THE NORMAL DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENCY.

BUT ALSO DOING EVERYTHING HUMANLY POSSIBLE TO SECURE THE
SAFE RELEASE OF OUR AMERICAN CITIZENS WHO ARE BEING HELD HOSTAGE
 IN IRAN.....

AND DEALING WITH THE SOVIETS AND THE SITUATION IN
AFGHANISTAN.

IN AFGHANISTAN, RUSSIAN TROOPS HAVE CARRIED OUT A BRUTAL
ACT OF AGRESSION AGAINST A PROUD, SMALL COUNTRY. JIMMY BELIEVES
THAT THIS INVASION IS THE MOST SERIOUS THREAT TO WORLD PEACE
SINCE WORLD WAR II. WITH THIS FOOTHOLD, THE SOVIETS THREATEN THE
ENTIRE REGION, INCLUDING MOST OF THE OIL SUPPLIES FOR ALL THE
FREE WORLD.

CLEARLY, THIS NATION HAD TO TAKE ACTION... AND WE DID.

WE RECALLED OUR AMBASSADOR. WE SUSPENDED CONSIDERATION OF
THE SALT II TREATY. WE ARE MAINTAINING A STRONG MILITARY
PRESENCE. WE ARE SEVERELY RESTRICTING GENERAL COMMERCE AND
SALES OF HIGH TECHNOLOGY. WE CUT OFF FISHING RIGHTS.

BUT THE SINGLE MOST EFFECTIVE ACTION HAS BEEN THE PRESIDENT'S DECISION TO SUSPEND GRAIN SALES. IT WILL SET BACK THE SOVIET ECONOMY BY YEARS. AND IT BRINGS HOME TO THE SOVIET UNION THE FACT THAT THEY MUST SUFFER THE CONSEQUENCES OF THIS INVASION.

AND JIMMY HAS MADE IT CLEAR THAT HE WILL DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO MINIMIZE THE ADVERSE EFFECTS ON OUR FARMERS.

ALL GRAIN THAT WAS TO BE SHIPPED TO THE SOVIET UNION WILL BE TAKEN OUT OF THE MARKET. THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WILL PURCHASE IT IN A WAY THAT WILL BE THE LEAST DISRUPTIVE TO THE MARKET.

①
GRAIN WILL BE USED TO BUILD U.S. RESERVES AND GASOHOL. ②

YESTERDAY IN WASHINGTON, HE ANNOUNCED A PROGRAM FOR THE PRODUCTION OF GASOHOL.....A PROGRAM WE HAVE BEEN WORKING ON FOR SOME TIME. *for a massive increase in gasohol*
IT IS PART OF OUR ENERGY PROGRAM.

③
GRAIN WILL ALSO BE USED FOR THE ALLEVIATION OF HUNGER.

THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE WILL ANNOUNCE DETAILS ON INCREASED STORAGE, SUPPORT PRICES, NEW POLICY ON FUTURE SET-ASIDE ACREAGE.

THESE STEPS WILL BE COSTLY, ADDING PERHAPS 2 to 3 BILLION DOLLARS TO THE FEDERAL BUDGET. EVERY AMERICAN TAXPAYER WILL

SHARE IN THE COST OF THESE PROGRAMS TO PROTECT THE FARMERS OF
OUR NATION.

I MIGHT ADD THAT THERE ARE ONLY 3 COUNTRIES THAT MAY HAVE
BEEN ABLE TO REPLACE THESE SHIPMENTS OF GRAIN TO THE SOVIET
UNION.....AUSTRALIA, CANADA AND ARGENTINA.

AUSTRALIA AND CANADA WERE CONSULTED AND ASSURED THE UNITED
STATES THAT THEY WOULD NOT REPLACE THESE SHIPMENTS THAT WILL NOT
BE DELIVERED BY US.

ARGENTINA HAS NO SUBSTANTIAL AMOUNT ON HAND. ~~CONSULTING~~
~~NOW.~~

LET ME SAY ONCE AGAIN THAT WE ARE ACTING FIRMLY TO IMPOSE
PUNISHMENT ON THE SOVIET UNION. WE MUST TAKE THESE ACTIONS TO
AVOID MILITARY ACTION AND PRESERVE WORLD PEACE.

already said? ~~AND ALL AMERICANS MUST SHARE IN THESE SACRIFICES.~~ AND IT
IS IMPORTANT THAT EVERY PATRIOTIC AMERICAN SUPPORT THE PRESIDENT
IN THESE DECISIONS. *When we are united we can do anything*

A UNITED AMERICA IS THE MOST POWERFUL FORCE ON EARTH. AND
WE MUST STAND UNITED TO MEET THIS CHALLENGE TO OUR NATIONAL
SECURITY.

WE ARE BEING TESTED BY THE SOVIET UNION. WE MUST NOT
FAIL THE TEST.

I MUST ADD THAT I AM PROUD OF JIMMY AND THE JOB HE IS DOING AS PRESIDENT.

HE HAS COMPILED A SOLID RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENT IN THE PAST 3 YEARS -- 80% SUPPORT BY THE CONGRESS.

HE HAS FACED UP TO THE DIFFICULT ISSUES OF THE DAY. HE HAS NOT DUCKED A ONE -- NO MATTER HOW COMPLEX OR ^{how} CONTROVERSIAL.

AND HE HAS CONSISTENTLY TOLD THE AMERICAN PEOPLE THE TRUTH -- EVEN SOMETIMES WHEN WE DIDN'T WANT TO HEAR THE TRUTH

ABOUT SUCH THINGS AS ENERGY AND INFLATION.

AND CONSISTENTLY DONE WHAT IS BEST FOR OUR COUNTRY --
 EVEN WHEN IT IS ~~NOT NECESSARILY POPULAR~~ POLITICALLY UNPOPULAR.

I AM CONVINCED THAT IOWANS AND OTHER AMERICANS WANT THIS
 KIND OF COURAGE (STRENGTH) IN ^{our} A LEADER.

JIMMY CARTER HAS BEEN COURAGEOUS, ^{He has been} CALM, STEADY AND
PERSISTENT. I BELIEVE WE NEED THE BENEFIT OF HIS EXPERIENCE
 AND HIS CONTINUING LEADERSHIP ~~AS WE MEET THE CHALLENGES OF THE~~
~~1980s~~, as we face the future.

I ASK YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT IN THE CAUCUSES THAT ARE
~~10 days~~ ^{Many working very hard, I know, and I thank you.}
 ONLY ~~10 days~~ AWAY. Imp. let opinion be known
 10 days

AND I ASK YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT AND YOUR PRAYERS FOR ^{Volunteers} ~~many~~
 THE PRESIDENT AS HE ACTS FIRMLY TO DEAL WITH THE IMMEDIATE ^{working}
 INTERNATIONAL CRISES THAT THREATEN OUR NATIONAL SECURITY.

you can write a letter, go to a campaign rally be very supportive
 of a candidate,

applaud or bring
at a campaign commercial,

but the only way to let America know how you
 feel - and to make a difference in who serves in the WH -
 in the direction you want our co. to go - is to vote - go to the ^{caucuses}

Urge you we need your help. Vote for J.C.

~~And~~ let me ^{end by} saying that

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THESE ARE EXCITING AND CHALLENGING TIMES, AND WE CAN
BE OPTIMISTIC ABOUT THE FUTURE. We can solve our problems.
" " meet these challenges

WE ARE AMERICANS!

WE CAN WORK HARD AND PERSIST!

WE CAN SACRIFICE ^{when} ~~IF~~ NECESSARY!

WE AMERICANS HAVE A HISTORY OF BINDING OURSELVES TOGETHER
IN TIMES OF CRISIS -- AND WE CAN DO IT AGAIN!

I DON'T BELIEVE THERE IS ANY PROBLEM WE CAN'T SOLVE,

OR ANY OBSTACLE WE CAN'T OVERCOME -- IF WE JOIN TOGETHER -- AND
PULL TOGETHER.

WE HAVE A WONDERFUL COUNTRY WITH WONDERFUL PEOPLE.

AND WITH JIMMY CARTER AND Fritz MONDALE TO LEAD US INTO
THE 1980s, WE CAN MOVE FORWARD TOGETHER IN A SPIRIT OF PRIDE AND
PATRIOTISM AND CONFIDENCE, ^{and} ~~AND WE CAN~~ MAKE OUR COUNTRY EVEN
GREATER THAN IT ALREADY IS.

THANK YOU -- AND THANK YOU ALL FOR WHAT YOU MEAN TO
JIMMY AND TO ME.