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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 22, 1994

MEMORANDUM FOR LEON PANETTA

FROM: MARCIA L. HALE *MLH*
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT &
DIRECTOR OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: THANK YOU CALLS TO MAYORS

I am making a number of calls to thank mayors who were supportive of the crime bill. It would be very helpful if you could also make calls to the following mayors thanking them for their continued support. These mayors came to Washington last week to meet with Democratic and Republican leadership.

I appreciate your time and help. Let me know if you have any questions.

Mayors to be thanked:

Richard M. Daley	Mayor of Chicago	312-744-3000
Dennis Archer	Mayor of Detroit	313-224-6340
Jerry Abramson	Mayor of Louisville	502-625-3061
Rudolph Giuliani	Mayor of New York	212-788-3000
Edward Rendell	Mayor of Philadelphia	215-686-2181

August 18, 1994

MEMORANDUM FOR MARK MILLER

FROM: KIM ROSS
OFFICE OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: LETTERS TO AUGUST 17 PRESS CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

As we discussed, Marcia would like to have a letter sent from the President to the participants of the August 17 press conference on the Crime Bill. The press conference and other Washington activities were organized by the U.S. Conference of Mayors and were very helpful to the Administration. Marcia feels comfortable with language similar to that used in the letters thanking Mayors Rendell and Giuliani for their participation in the address to the National Association of Police Officers in Minneapolis on August 12.

Attached please find the list of Police Chiefs and County Officials who should receive letters. The following list of mayors should also receive letters. Mayors Giuliani and Rendell should not receive a second letter from the President. I understand that the appropriate office already has the addresses of these individuals. If there are any questions please contact me at 456-7060.

Mayors Participating in August 17 Press Conference:

Norm Rice, Mayor of Seattle
Jerry Abramson, Mayor of Louisville
Paul Soglin, Mayor of Madison
Kurt Schmoke, Mayor of Baltimore
Dennis Archer, Mayor of Detroit
Rita Mullins, Mayor of Palatine
Patricia Ticer, Mayor of Alexandria, VA

Richard Daley, Mayor of Chicago
Michael White, Mayor of Cleveland
Richard Riordan, Mayor of Los Angeles
Emanuel Cleaver, Mayor of Kansas City (MO)
Cardell Cooper, Mayor of East Orange
Mike Peters, Mayor of Hartford

Attachments

August 16, 1994

The Honorable Edward Rendell
Mayor of Philadelphia
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107

Dear Ed,

Thank you for joining the President in addressing the National Association of Police Organizations in Minneapolis on Friday. Your assistance with the crime bill has been extremely effective and greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Marcia L. Hale
Assistant to the President &
Director of Intergovernmental Affairs

August 16, 1994

The Honorable Rudolph Giuliani
Mayor of New York City
New York, New York 10007

Dear Mayor Giuliani,

Thank you for joining the President in addressing the National Association of Police Organizations in Minneapolis on Friday. Your assistance with the crime bill has been extremely effective and greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Marcia L. Hale
Assistant to the President &
Director of Intergovernmental Affairs

August 16, 1994

Ms. Cristyne Lategano
Office of the Mayor
City of New York
City Hall
New York, New York 10007

Dear Cristyne,

Thank you for all of your help with the crime bill. The Mayor's address to the National Association of Police Organizations as well as his trip to Washington was greatly appreciated.

Thanks again.

Sincerely,

Marcia L. Hale
Assistant to the President &
Director of Intergovernmental Affairs

P.S.

I will send the pictures as soon as I get them.

August 16, 1994

Mr. Dennison Young, Jr.
Office of the Mayor
City of New York
City Hall
New York, New York 10007

Dear Dennison,

Thank you for all of your help with the crime bill. Your help in arranging the Mayor's address to the National Association of Police Organizations, particularly on such short notice, was greatly appreciated.

Thanks again.

Sincerely,

Marcia L. Hale
Assistant to the President &
Director of Intergovernmental Affairs

*File-
crime bill
racial justice*

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 15, 1994

File

The Honorable Wellington E. Webb
Mayor of Denver
Denver, Colorado 80202

Dear Wellington:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

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WASHINGTON

July 15, 1994

The Honorable Norman B. Rice
Mayor of Seattle
Seattle, Washington 98104-1873

Dear Norm:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "Bill", written in a cursive, flowing style.

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July 15, 1994

The Honorable Dennis Archer
Mayor of Detroit
Detroit, Michigan 48226

Dear Dennis:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

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July 15, 1994

The Honorable Michael White
Mayor of Cleveland
Cleveland, Ohio 45202

Dear Mike:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

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July 15, 1994

The Honorable Emanuel Cleaver II
Mayor of Kansas City
Kansas City, Missouri 64106

Dear Emanuel:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

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July 15, 1994

The Honorable William C. Campbell
Mayor of Atlanta
Atlanta, Georgia 30335

Dear Bill:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

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July 15, 1994

The Honorable Willie W. Herenton
Mayor of Memphis
Memphis, Tennessee 38103

Dear Willie:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Bum' or similar, written in a cursive style.

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July 15, 1994

The Honorable Sharpe James
Mayor of Newark
Newark, New Jersey 07102

Dear Sharpe:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bill", with a stylized, cursive flourish.

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July 15, 1994

The Honorable Charles E. Box
Mayor of Rockford
Rockford, Illinois 61104

Dear Charles:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Bill Clinton". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial "B".

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 15, 1994

The Honorable Sharon Sayles Belton
Mayor of Minneapolis
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415

Dear Sharon:

I want to thank you once again for your strong support of the crime bill currently before Congress. Because of the extraordinary efforts of many people, including local leaders like you, we are on the verge of making this bill a reality.

Being on the front lines against crime, you and your fellow mayors know the importance of putting partisan politics aside when it comes to dealing with the American public's safety. You also know that the sooner we pass a crime bill, the sooner we can hire more police to work with neighborhood residents, expand crime prevention programs for our youth, and begin restoring the quality of life in our communities.

Again, thank you for your continuing support.

Sincerely,

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