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ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:28-OCT-1998 09:44:45.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps/Afterschool

TO: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Neera Tanden (CN=Neera Tanden/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jennifer L. Klein (CN=Jennifer L. Klein/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Jen and I discussed the idea of including AmeriCorps in a package on afterschool care. Here is some information -- the dollar totals are random, but they are accurate based on cost per AmeriCorps member.

Proposal to Engage AmeriCorps Members To Organize AfterSchool Activities for Children

An expanded AmeriCorps could increase the availability of afterschool and summer programming for children and youth while providing additional opportunities for young adults to earn money for college through service. For example, an additional 5,000 AmeriCorps could organize constructive learning activities for 60,000 children afterschool, and another 60,000 over the summer, at a federal cost of \$80 million. Ten thousand summer AmeriCorps Members could conduct a 10-week program involving up to 100,000 middle-school children at a federal cost of \$35 to \$40 million.

About two-thirds of the 45,000 current AmeriCorps Member positions are with children's programs, with a significant number focused on after-school activities. AmeriCorps Members serve with many of the major community-based organizations that provide afterschool care (including YMCA, Save the Children, and Boys and Girls Clubs); many others serve in public schools.

Several national nonprofit programs now use AmeriCorps Members to lead middle-school age children in service; for example, City Year's Young Heroes program deploys its teams of young adult corpsmembers from diverse backgrounds to organize twelve Saturdays of service for 800 middle-school children in ten cities; AmeriCorps Members serving with the Youth Volunteer Corps of America organize service projects for the middle-school youth who are part of the community-based corps. Programs like these leverage additional resources for the community by positioning young people as resources who can work with senior citizens, organize community

gardens, be trained in conflict resolution, or tutor still younger children.

Although it has been a priority program for President Clinton, AmeriCorps , budget is the same in FY1999 as its post-recission FY1995 level. The program has been able to maintain, and in some years, increase the number of Members serving through partnerships with national nonprofit organizations that paid the living allowances and operating costs for Members. However, most AmeriCorps sponsors have had their funding capped for the last several years and the Trust Fund is at capacity unless additional funds are appropriated. A commitment of additional funds for AmeriCorps would allow these proven programs to expand to their full capacity and enable new sponsors to participate.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:28-OCT-1998 13:50:46.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps member at Social Security event

TO: drodgers (drodgers @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Dana. I'm not sure if you are still doing the newsletter, but thought you (or whomever is in charge) might want to include something about Tyra Brown, an AmeriCorps members (with Jumpstart in DC) who was a panelists at the President's Social Security event yesterday. I have info if you need.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-NOV-1998 15:21:17.00

SUBJECT: Re: AmeriCorps

TO: Tanya E. Martin (CN=Tanya E. Martin/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Tanya. Any further thoughts/discussion on \$ for AmeriCorps?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1998 14:33:01.00

SUBJECT: Re: AmeriCorps and after-school

TO: Neera Tanden (CN=Neera Tanden/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

FYI, just spoke with Bruce who said the AmeriCorps afterschool was on the list and that he wanted to do more -- didn't seem very resistant at all!

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1998 14:56:05.00

SUBJECT: First Lady's service activities in 1998

TO: jgompert (jgompert @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi John. We're updating our accomplishments chart and planning next year -- I need to fill in what the First Lady has done vis a vis service since Dec. 97. So far, I know she did a Jumpstart event, AmeriCorps Alums, and the rally on reauthorization (do you know the date?). Anything else you can think of?

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1998 12:00:45.00

SUBJECT: Re: AmeriCorps and after-school

TO: Neera Tanden (CN=Neera Tanden/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Neera -- it doesn't look like Bruce is coming to the meeting tomorrow -- I want to get a better sense of what his thinking is about AmeriCorps before then. Do you know if he reads email? I've called him a couple times.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1998 14:32:13.00

SUBJECT: First Lady's involvement with service in 1998

TO: gompertsj (gompertsj @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi John. We're updating our accomplishments chart and planning next year -- I need to fill in what the First Lady has done vis a vis service since Dec. 97. So far, I know she did a Jumpstart event, AmeriCorps Alums, and the rally on reauthorization (do you know the date?). Anything else you can think of?

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1998 14:34:19.00

SUBJECT: First Lady's 1998 service activities

TO: gompertj (gompertj @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi John. We're updating our accomplishments chart and planning next year -- I need to fill in what the First Lady has done vis a vis service since Dec. 97. So far, I know she did a Jumpstart event, AmeriCorps Alums, and the rally on reauthorization (do you know the date?). Anything else you can think of?

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:10-NOV-1998 17:54:54.00

SUBJECT: Re:

TO: Jennifer L. Klein (CN=Jennifer L. Klein/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Priorities were basically AmeriCorps, Education, Social Security, and Health Care. Not clear that this is an exhaustive list, just what was on her mind at the time. Details tomorrow!

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-NOV-1998 15:39:17.00

SUBJECT: Re: need a better number

TO: "Gomperts, John" <JGOMPERT ("Gomperts, John" <JGOMPERT @ cns.gov> [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi John. Sorry -- we only have one receptionist on today and she went to lunch. Question is: who have you been dealing with in WH leg affairs on AmeriCorps?

Also, still missing the stuff on HRC's events with CNS -- need date for reauthorization rally and a DC service-learning event?

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-NOV-1998 12:04:10.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps meeting

TO: George Selmont (CN=George Selmont/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I would very much like to participate in the AmeriCorps meeting Karen is putting together, but I have planning meetings with the First Lady from 11 to 5 that day. If we can do it earlier Thursday or on Friday that would be great.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:12-NOV-1998 10:10:37.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps meeting

TO: Tanya E. Martin (CN=Tanya E. Martin/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Tanya. I'm sorry I can't be at today's meeting. Mary Ellen McGuire, my assistant, will attend in my place, unless you end up moving the time. I wanted to give you a few thoughts since I can be there.

Re: budget -- I'm all for trying to double AmeriCorps this year, or, if it is phased in over two years, to be pretty firm on the first step up in this year's budget. I think 100,000 members should be the goal. I'm not at all wedded to tying the increase to specific things like afterschool, but it might help increase the overall numbers in other areas if we did.

Re: high school service -- as we discussed, I don't think we should try to create a federal mandate for high school service, but there are a lot of other things that could be done to support this, such as:

- Use AmeriCorps members as service-learning coordinators in schools;
- Increase National Service Scholarships;
- Elevate the profile of the Corporation's Leader Schools initiative (this was a presidential initiative several years ago, and is now being implemented by CNS);
- Increase money for Learn and Serve America;
- Look at Department of Education programs that could be used to support service-learning.

Re: senior AmeriCorps -- I would have two questions -- one, does this undermine in any way the link between AmeriCorps and money for college (key to popular support for legislation as well as DLC priority) and two, what is the position of the Senior Volunteer Program Associations on a new senior program?

Hope this is helpful.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:12-NOV-1998 10:32:00.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps

TO: Tanya E. Martin (CN=Tanya E. Martin/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Two further thoughts, after getting some more information about the Corporation proposals:

1-- Senior AmeriCorps -- would worry about the "education award" equivalent being trivialized somehow -- one thing they have talked about is Elder Hostel credits, which seems to me not to rise to the level of money for college and would walk right into the "paid volunteer" argument. If we decide to go forward with this, shouldn't the award be limited to administration priorities, such as long-term care?

2-- Increasing AmeriCorps's budget -- even though it makes the program more expensive, I would focus on expanded regular AmeriCorps and VISTA and NCCC, not "ed award only" and ensure that there are additional funds for infrastructure and administration -- the quality of AmeriCorps is fragile and while I believe the program could absorb significantly more members quite quickly, it shouldn't be done without also increasing the agency, state commission and program capacity. Also, a lot of the "ed award only" positions created by the Corporation in recent years still don't have bodies in them, which could be embarrassing if the facts come out.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:13-NOV-1998 15:23:18.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps cost per participant

TO: Tanya E. Martin (CN=Tanya E. Martin/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Tanya -- I was looking over the DPC/NEC memo to the President for the State of the Union and I noticed that the figure for AmeriCorps was \$75 million -- I thought that might reflect the cost for SUMMER-only members. The figure would be significantly higher for full-year members.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:13-NOV-1998 16:45:56.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps visibility

TO: "Gomperts, John" [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

There is a lot of interest over here in thinking through how we can make AmeriCorps more visible. There are also a lot of folks who aren't as familiar with what's gone on with the Grassley deal, America's Promise, MLK day, PR strategy, etc. We would like to set up a briefing and discussion with some of the senior people here, maybe Thursday next week. Give me a call and we can discuss details.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-NOV-1998 11:48:47.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps

TO: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jennifer L. Klein (CN=Jennifer L. Klein/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Neera Tanden (CN=Neera Tanden/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

FYI, there is a meeting to sort through the AmeriCorps proposals on Tuesday at 11. I'm going to go -- let me know if any of you want to join.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 11/16/98

11:47 AM -----

Chantell S. Long

11/16/98 10:50:07 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Robert M. Shireman/OPD/EOP, Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

cc: Sonyia Matthews/OPD/EOP

Subject: AmeriCorps

I am trying to setup an AmeriCorps meeting on Tuesday, November 18th at 11am. Can you check your schedules and see if this time is good for you, if not please e-mail your availability for this week.

Thanks,

Chantell Long

Domestic Policy Council

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-NOV-1998 12:50:31.00

SUBJECT: Re: lunch

TO: Jennifer L. Klein (CN=Jennifer L. Klein/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I have an 11 a.m. meeting on AmeriCorps and a 1:30 p.m. meeting with Mike Cohen. I'm leaving after that (children's dentist appointments). So before 11 or around 12?

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-NOV-1998 15:22:35.00

SUBJECT: RE: AmeriCorps visibility

TO: "Gomperts, John" [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Will let you know about the time and place. I also am checking with Karen on agenda. Seems to me they should hear not just about PR/recruitment plans, but also reauth strategy, major events (MLK day, National Service-Learning Leader Schools ceremony, volunteer week, etc.), and other strategies to raise awareness (like AmeriCorps Alums). I think the focus should be AmeriCorps, but you should also raise Learn and Serve and Senior corps. Finally, it would be useful to hear about CNS's relationship with America's Promise.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-NOV-1998 14:58:09.00

SUBJECT: RE: AmeriCorps visibility

TO: "Gomperts, John" [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

The players are Karen Tramontano, who is a deputy assistant to the president in the chief of staff's office, Bruce Reed, Anne Lewis, Anne McGuire, Gene Sperling (or the guy who has been going to the other AmeriCorps meeting), and maybe someone from legislative affairs.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-NOV-1998 10:14:07.00

SUBJECT: Re: HRC memo

TO: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Thanks. Can you follow up with NSC?

Re: memo -- I'll do national service. Also, want to be very involved with the education section -- I've spoken with Neera about some education issues -- who usually covers education (not just DC)?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:18-NOV-1998 11:31:31.00

SUBJECT: Re: AmeriCorps

TO: George Selmont (CN=George Selmont/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Attendees for the Corporation are Gary Kowalczyk, Mark Isaacs, Tara Murphy, and Henry Hicks.

They are bringing a video PSA to show. I think my assistant Mary Ellen has arranged for a VCR.

Karen and I had talked about getting someone from legislative affairs. Unfortunately, no one there has really been working on AmeriCorps. The Corporation also suggested Jen Palmieri from Press. Could you float with Karen?

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:18-NOV-1998 11:34:16.00

SUBJECT: Re: Never heard . . .

TO: "Gomperts, John" [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi. Did anyone get your group's info for clearing in?

Jack was somewhat skeptical about getting more money for AmeriCorps, unfortunately.

I'll ask Karen about Jen Palmieri.

The meeting is now 3 to 4 -- should try to leave plenty of time for discussion, since we have such a good group. It includes:

Karen Tramontano

Bruce Reed

Ann Lewis

Anne McGuire

Chuck Marr

Elana Kagen

Tanya Martin

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:23-NOV-1998 08:26:21.00

SUBJECT: OMB Passback for AmeriCorps

TO: Bruce N. Reed (CN=Bruce N. Reed/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Tanya E. Martin (CN=Tanya E. Martin/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Do you know what to expect for AmeriCorps from OMB? When I talked with Jack a while ago, he wasn't optimistic.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:30-NOV-1998 16:53:13.00

SUBJECT: Upcoming Columns

TO: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Should we have Carol come to the meeting with Bob Greenstein?

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 11/30/98
04:47 PM -----

"Carol M. Beach"

11/30/98 04:38:58 PM

Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message

cc:

Subject: Upcoming Columns

Here's the rundown for the rest of the month:

(We did Buddy and Socks this week)

Next Week: Social Security Conference -- (who's in charge here? Is it Mon and Tues? Shall I come?)

Dec. 15: Mideast Trip (who's going? -- who can give me info on trip? can we write ahead of time?)

Dec. 22: Christmas at White House theme (i'll get a tour from Debbie McGinn and go to press preview -- who's in charge of that?)

Dec. 29: HRC would like to do letters and maybe some update on year's columns: Here's what we've done. Does anyone have any update they'd like to share?)

1/6 Child CAre
1/13 Presidential Medal of Freedom/Americorps
1/20 White House Endowment
1/27 Save Our Treasures
2/3 Switzerland Trip
2/10 Home Visitation
2/17 1st Millennium Lecture

2/24 Chips
3/3 Read Across America
3/10 International Women's DAY
3/17 Americorps
3/24 Africa
3/31 Africa
4/7 Jonesboro
4/14 Irish Peace Process
4/21 Child CARE
4/28 WH Volunteers
5/5 Bankruptcy
5/12 World Health Organization Anniversary
5/19 Vouchers
5/26 DuSable High School
6/2 Welfare to Work
6/9 Asthma
6/16 11 Most Endangered Historic Places
6/23 Tobacco Bill
6/30 China
7/7 Marine Band
7/14 Treasures Tour
7/21 ??
7/28 Cancer
8/5 FMLA
8/11 Africa Bombing
8/18 FEMA
8/25 White House Fellows
9/1 Russia, Ireland, KaBOOM
9/8 Back to School, Education Agenda
9/15 Peace Corps
9/22 Aging out of Foster CARE
9/29 Bankruptcy
10/7 Juvenile Justice Bill
10/14 Minimum Wage
10/21 105th Congress
10/28 Voting
11/3 Sculpture Garden
11/10 Hurricane Mitch
11/17 After School
11/24 Adoption Event
12/1 Buddy/Socks Book

Alice -- I asked Creators about letters and they're checking. Pam, do you ever get letters from Creators about the column?

Any other thoughts? I'd like to get the last two done ahead of time so that
HRC will have a Christmas break. Thanks.

Message Sent

To:

Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP
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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-DEC-1998 13:06:04.00

SUBJECT: additions

TO: jgompert (jgompert @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

It seems like the current key themes and objectives section mixes "messages" and "strategies" -- you might want to add a strategies section and more clearly make the first section themes. "Focus on AmeriCorps members" seems like a strategy, "recruiting needs" could be rephrased as "AmeriCorps needs idealistic, energetic Americans to join up" and "decentralized structure" could be "AmeriCorps is a model of local control" or something like that. Then, maybe the following could be strategies to advance these themes:

Launch major recruitment campaign (to fill the x additional new slots available this year and x more that should be available next year)

Deepen connections between CNS and members and build stronger grassroots networks

Celebrate the 5th anniversary of AmeriCorps, including national, regional, and local events highlighting the contributions of AmeriCorps to communities and bringing exemplary individual AmeriCorps members to the attention of the public

Solidify bi-partisan support, focusing on Republican governors

Connect AmeriCorps to important issues (afterschool, etc.)

Mobilize influential leaders in support of continuing and expanding national service

May want to emphasize potential partners that could help:

AmeriCorps Alums, which would recruit Alums to join and continue the spirit of the program through service

State Commissions, which could reach governors and influential commission members

National nonprofit organizations, which could engage their most influential board members

Grantmakers Forum, which could contribute resources

America's Promise

Points of Light Foundation

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CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-DEC-1998 11:21:15.00

SUBJECT: additions

TEXT:

Strategy section:

CNS strategies to advance the above objectives is to --

Launch a major recruitment drive (this year x additional new members will need to be recruited; next year, that number could increase to x)

Celebrate 5th anniversary by highlighting accomplishments and stories of members -- also encourage state and local celebrations in conjunction with swearing ins

Deepen CNS connection to members and mobilize grassroots to educate their communities about what they are doing

Continue to engage Republican governors (mayors?) to increase bipartisan support

Potential outside partners who could be mobilized --

AmeriCorps Alums: Recruit former AmeriCorps members to become active in AmeriCorps Alums and encourage them to continue service after they leave the program

State Commissions: Connect with governors and organize statewide events; mobilize influential commission members

National nonprofit partners: Mobilize influential board members of national nonprofits that are AmeriCorps partners

Grantmakers Forum: Provide resources to advance national service

America's Promise: ??? Points of Light:???

Add to possible roles for WH principals:

Meet with groups of AmeriCorps members when on the road
Millennium project?

Meet with leaders who are assisting with this effort

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 4-DEC-1998 12:59:39.00

SUBJECT: Re: judith michael's

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

that's ok unless the Chief of Staff's office (Karen Tramontano) schedules the Americorps meeting for then.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 7-DEC-1998 12:56:13.00

SUBJECT: Re: Americorps

TO: Carolyn T. Wu (CN=Carolyn T. Wu/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

That would be very helpful. I asked Karen if she wanted the internal meeting to be the Wed and then do a meeting with AmeriCorps after -- Or we could do the internal meeting Tuesday afternoon?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 7-DEC-1998 12:32:27.00

SUBJECT: Re: americorp

TO: Karen Tramontano (CN=Karen Tramontano/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I haven't told CNS the time for Wednesday -- do you want to use the 2:30 time slot for the internal meeting and schedule a meeting with them for after that later this week or next? Or try for sometime this afternoon or tomorrow?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 8-DEC-1998 10:12:30.00

SUBJECT: Americorps

TO: Thomas L. Freedman (CN=Thomas L. Freedman/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

This is the meeting we mentioned. I'm glad we'll get a chance to work together.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 12/08/98
10:11 AM -----

Carolyn T. Wu
12/07/98 06:01:06 PM
Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message
cc:
Subject: Americorps

FYI-This will be an internal meeting. An external meeting will be schedule for a later date.

Thanks.
----- Forwarded by Carolyn T. Wu/WHO/EOP on 12/07/98
06:01 PM -----

Carolyn T. Wu
12/07/98 11:19:15 AM
Record Type: Non-Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message
cc:
Subject: Americorps

The meeting will take place in OEOB 180 on Wednesday (12/9) at 2:30. Please feel free to contact me should you have questions.

----- Forwarded by Carolyn T. Wu/WHO/EOP on 12/07/98
11:17 AM -----

Carolyn T. Wu
12/07/98 10:34:17 AM

Record Type: Non-Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message

cc:

Subject: Americorps

Karen would like to hold a meeting on Americorps this week. Please let me know if Wednesday (12/9) at 2:30 works for you or your principal. The following people are invited to attend:

Bruce Reed
Charles Marr
Ann Lewis
Stacie Spector
Jen Palmieri
Elena Kagan
Anne McGuire
Tanya Martin
Shirley Sagawa

Message Sent

To:

Bruce N. Reed/OPD/EOP
Cathy R. Mays/OPD/EOP
Charles R. Marr/OPD/EOP
Ann F. Lewis/WHO/EOP
Ruby Shamir/WHO/EOP
Jonathan E. Smith/WHO/EOP
Stacie Spector/WHO/EOP
Jennifer M. Palmieri/WHO/EOP
Elena Kagan/OPD/EOP
Laura Emmett/WHO/EOP
Anne E. McGuire/WHO/EOP
Tanya E. Martin/OPD/EOP
Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

Message Sent

To:

Karen Tramontano/WHO/EOP
Bruce N. Reed/OPD/EOP
Cathy R. Mays/OPD/EOP
Charles R. Marr/OPD/EOP
Ann F. Lewis/WHO/EOP
Ruby Shamir/WHO/EOP
Jonathan E. Smith/WHO/EOP
Stacie Spector/WHO/EOP

Jennifer M. Palmieri/WHO/EOP
Elena Kagan/OPD/EOP
Laura Emmett/WHO/EOP
Anne E. McGuire/WHO/EOP
Tanya E. Martin/OPD/EOP
Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

Message Sent

To: _____

Karen Tramontano/WHO/EOP
Bruce N. Reed/OPD/EOP
Cathy R. Mays/OPD/EOP
Charles R. Marr/OPD/EOP
Ann F. Lewis/WHO/EOP
Ruby Shamir/WHO/EOP
Jonathan E. Smith/WHO/EOP
Stacie Spector/WHO/EOP
Jennifer M. Palmieri/WHO/EOP
Elena Kagan/OPD/EOP
Laura Emmett/WHO/EOP
Anne E. McGuire/WHO/EOP
Tanya E. Martin/OPD/EOP
Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 8-DEC-1998 12:57:08.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps

TO: Karen Tramontano (CN=Karen Tramontano/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I wanted to let you know that I'll have to leave tomorrow's 2:30 AmeriCorps meeting at 3. The First Lady is meeting with Eli Segal at that point about AmeriCorps visibility. Give me a call if you want more details.

I also invited Tom Freedman to the meeting because he has been independently looking at message issues.

See you tomorrow.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 9-DEC-1998 09:25:44.00

SUBJECT: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I told her either one is fine. Please hold times.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 12/09/98
09:25 AM -----

Carolyn T. Wu
12/09/98 09:22:44 AM
Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message

cc:

Subject: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

Please let me know if 4 pm on Thursday (12/10), or Friday (12/10) at 11 am works for you or your principal. I apologize for the confusion. Thanks for your cooperation.

Message Sent

To:

Karen Tramontano/WHO/EOP
Bruce N. Reed/OPD/EOP
Cathy R. Mays/OPD/EOP
Ann F. Lewis/WHO/EOP
Ruby Shamir/WHO/EOP
Jonathan E. Smith/WHO/EOP
Stacie Spector/WHO/EOP
Jennifer M. Palmieri/WHO/EOP
Elena Kagan/OPD/EOP
Laura Emmett/WHO/EOP
Anne E. McGuire/WHO/EOP
Tanya E. Martin/OPD/EOP
Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP
Cecilia E. Rouse/OPD/EOP

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:10-DEC-1998 09:58:51.00

SUBJECT: Re:

TO: Carolyn T. Wu (CN=Carolyn T. Wu/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

is this the time for AmeriCorps (1 p.m)?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 11:42:36.00

SUBJECT: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

TO: Carolyn T. Wu (CN=Carolyn T. Wu/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Carolyn. Karen wanted the meeting with the Corporation for National Service staff rescheduled for this week. Good times for me are tomorrow at 9:30, Thursday 11 - 2 or 3 - 4. Friday a.m. is also possible. I think those times are okay for CNS staff -- what's Karen's schedule?

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001. email	To: MaryEllen McGuire, from Shirley Sagawa, re: Americorps Mtg. schedule, 09:27 [partial] (1 page)	12/15/1998	b(6)

COLLECTION:

Clinton Presidential Records
Automated Records Management System [Email]
WHO (Creator: Sagawa)
OA/Box Number: 500000

FOLDER TITLE:

[10/28/1998 - 05/06/1999]

2013-0661-F

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RESTRICTION CODES

Presidential Records Act - [44 U.S.C. 2204(a)]

- P1 National Security Classified Information [(a)(1) of the PRA]
- P2 Relating to the appointment to Federal office [(a)(2) of the PRA]
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RR. Document will be reviewed upon request.

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- b(9) Release would disclose geological or geophysical information concerning wells [(b)(9) of the FOIA]

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 09:27:31.00

SUBJECT: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Also Tom Freedman.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 12/15/98
09:27 AM -----

Shirley S. Sagawa
12/15/98 09:24:35 AM
Record Type: Record

To: MaryEllen C. McGuire/WHO/EOP
cc:
Subject: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

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----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 12/15/98
09:22 AM -----

Shirley S. Sagawa
12/14/98 11:42:02 AM
Record Type: Record

To: Carolyn T. Wu/WHO/EOP
cc: MaryEllen C. McGuire/WHO/EOP
Subject: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

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002. email	To: MaryEllen McGuire, from Shirley Sagawa, re: Americorps Mtg. schedule 09:25 [partial] (1 page)	12/15/1998	b(6)
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Clinton Presidential Records
Automated Records Management System [Email]
WHO (Creator: Sagawa)
OA/Box Number: 500000

FOLDER TITLE:

[10/28/1998 - 05/06/1999]

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ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 09:25:11.00

SUBJECT: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I want to make sure this gets done today -- can you follow up with Carolyn? The 3 p.m. time now doesn't look good for Thursday (b)(6) The other key participants are Ann Lewis and Bruce Reed (in addition to me and Karen Tramontano). Other invitees are Jen Palmieri, Ann McGuire, Chuck Marr, Elena Kagan, Tanya Martin, Stacie Spector.

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----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 12/15/98
09:22 AM -----

Shirley S. Sagawa
12/14/98 11:42:02 AM
Record Type: Record

To: Carolyn T. Wu/WHO/EOP
cc: MaryEllen C. McGuire/WHO/EOP
Subject: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

Hi Carolyn. Karen wanted the meeting with the Corporation for National Service staff rescheduled for this week. Good times for me are tomorrow at 9:30, Thursday 11 - 2 or 3 - 4. Friday a.m. is also possible. I think those times are okay for CNS staff -- what's Karen's schedule?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 09:20:28.00

SUBJECT: ed award only

TO: djospin (djospin @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

As you know, there is a lot of discussion about how we can get to 100,000 AmeriCorps members as cheaply as possible. Of course, everyone is talking ed award onlys. How many ed award onlys can AmeriCorps absorb? Last I heard, the existing ed award programs hadn't filled up . . . This strikes me as a bad idea. What's the scoop?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-DEC-1998 11:22:06.00

SUBJECT: Two things

TO: Bruce N. Reed (CN=Bruce N. Reed/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Re: AmeriCorps -- I'm worried about the initiative getting done too cheaply as we scale back. The Corporation has been granting "ed awards only" for a while and currently only half of these slots actually have bodies in them. I'm not sure if OMB is taking into account the other lines that support AmeriCorps (recruitment, admin, etc.) -- need to keep the quality high if we're going to make the program more visible. We need to make sure that some of the new money goes to regular AmeriCorps and these support items, not just the cheaper forms.

I'm told you're hosting a meeting at 5 today on "free and cheap initiatives." Is anyone from our office going?

THANKS!

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:22-DEC-1998 15:10:35.00

SUBJECT: Re:

TO: Katharine Button (CN=Katharine Button/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I called Barnett twice yesterday and also have a call into Sydney to find out how much \$\$ there is. I want to propose AmeriCorps Alums, which is having trouble making payroll.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:22-DEC-1998 15:28:25.00

SUBJECT: Help

TO: GKowalcz (GKowalcz @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

How many AmeriCorps members can we get for \$75 million this year, if we assume that most of the increase would go to full-time AmeriCorps (regular/VISTA/NCCC plus ed award onlys) with the rest split between summer and high school?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-JAN-1999 12:42:48.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps

TO: Patricia Solis-Doyle (CN=Patricia Solis-Doyle/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Here is more on the meeting I mentioned yesterday. Several of the key people that we want to be involved in the AmeriCorps PR campaign that HRC asked Eli to lead will be in town on Monday the 11th for another meeting. I would like to bring in about 10 folks around 3 p.m. to meet with HRC so she can encourage them to help. Let me know if you need a list.

Also, could you keep me posted on the MLK day service event, if she ends up doing it?

thanks.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-JAN-1999 10:15:18.00

SUBJECT: SOTU: First Lady's Box

TO: tmurphy (tmurphy @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jgompert (Jgompert @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Has anyone else asked you for AmeriCorps members for the box? I know this has been in the mix. If you can forward to me that would be helpful.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 01/06/99
10:14 AM -----

Clara J. Shin

01/06/99 08:03:15 AM

Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message

cc: Maria Echaveste/WHO/EOP, Michael Waldman/WHO/EOP

Subject: SOTU: First Lady's Box

As you know, we will be meeting on Thursday, Jan. 7, to discuss the recommended names for the First Lady's Box. By 12:00 pm on Thursday, please forward to me the following information for each proposed name:

Name
City and State
Category (see below for list)
Notable Characteristics
Contact Information
Submitted By

Based on the names submitted to me by 12:00 pm on Thursday, I will then prepare a comprehensive list to discuss at the meeting.

Remember, the categories are the following:

Aging
Education
Crime
Foreign Policy
Millennium
Native Americans

AmeriCorps
One America

If you have any questions, please call me at 6-5506.

Thanks,
Clara

Message Sent

To:

Katharine Button/WHO/EOP
Lowell A. Weiss/WHO/EOP
Jeffrey M. Smith/OSTP/EOP
Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP
Lynn G. Cutler/WHO/EOP
Ann F. Lewis/WHO/EOP
Cheryl M. Carter/WHO/EOP
Ellen M. Lovell/WHO/EOP
Marjorie Tarmey/WHO/EOP
Jeffrey A. Forbes/WHO/EOP
Elena Kagan/OPD/EOP
Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP
Richard Socarides/WHO/EOP
Marsha Scott/WHO/EOP
Andrew J. Mayock/WHO/EOP
Laura S. Marcus/WHO/EOP
Cathy R. Mays/OPD/EOP
Laura Emmett/WHO/EOP
Peter A. Weissman/OPD/EOP
Nancy Marlow/CEQ/EOP
Betty J. Fountain/OSTP/EOP
Jena V. Roscoe/WHO/EOP
Maria E. Soto/WHO/EOP
Maya Seiden/WHO/EOP
Linda L. Moore/WHO/EOP
Joshua S. Gottheimer/WHO/EOP
Marsha E. Berry/WHO/EOP
Julie E. Mason/WHO/EOP
Ruby Shamir/WHO/EOP
Jocelyn A. Bucaro/WHO/EOP
Virginia L. Cearley/WHO/EOP

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-JAN-1999 10:13:09.00

SUBJECT: Re: conference call

TO: Anne E. McGuire (CN=Anne E. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Anne. Tom Freedman and Chuck Marr have been involved too.
Have you gotten from AmeriCorps names and descriptions of potential
AmeriCorps members to sit in the First Lady's box?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-JAN-1999 17:58:59.00

SUBJECT: RE: First Lady's Box

TO: Anne E. McGuire (CN=Anne E. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

This is the new list - wasn't sure you got it. A quick read made me think
Trampas Stucker, LaVon Medina, Hilda Salazar, and Keith Green are
candidates.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 01/06/99
05:58 PM -----

"Murphy, Tara" <TMURPHY @ cns.gov>
01/06/99 05:07:00 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP
cc:
Subject: RE: First Lady's Box

i am faxing you some additional names and bios -- they are alumns but not
from the first class. we can dig up more first class folks if you want --
but i think you might want to take a look at these folks first. an
advantage
about going with a recent americorps alum is that the experience is fresh -
and has most likely influenced what they are doing right now. a lot of the
folks on the list have gone on to school or are working in the service
field.
take a look and let me know what else you need

From: Shirley_S._Sagawa@who.eop.gov[SMTP:Shirley_S._Sagawa@who.eop.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, January 06, 1999 4:05 PM
To: Gomperts, John; Murphy, Tara
Subject: First Lady's Box

Did your list for the box have current members or alums? They are looking
for alums now, preferably from the first class. Do we have others besides
Philip Wu, Laura, and Keith?

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 01/06/99
02:35 PM -----

Clara J. Shin
01/06/99 02:28:31 PM

Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message

cc:
Subject: First Lady's Box

Because of the time change for tomorrow's meeting, I need your names by 10:30 am tomorrow morning. Of course, the earlier the better. Also, there have been several questions about the "notable characteristics" information I requested. In addition to the basic information, I would also greatly appreciate (in fact, need) a couple of articles of a biographical nature as well as quotes you may have. Thanks for your assistance and sorry for the changes.

Thanks,
Clara

Message Sent

To: _____

Katharine Button/WHO/EOP
Lowell A. Weiss/WHO/EOP
Jeffrey M. Smith/OSTP/EOP
Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP
Lynn G. Cutler/WHO/EOP
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Elena Kagan/OPD/EOP
Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP
Richard Socarides/WHO/EOP
Marsha Scott/WHO/EOP
Andrew J. Mayock/WHO/EOP
Laura S. Marcus/WHO/EOP
Cathy R. Mays/OPD/EOP
Laura Emmett/WHO/EOP
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Marsha E. Berry/WHO/EOP
Julie E. Mason/WHO/EOP
Ruby Shamir/WHO/EOP
Jocelyn A. Bucaro/WHO/EOP
Virginia L. Cearley/WHO/EOP

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 7-JAN-1999 12:57:13.00

SUBJECT: Re: Scheduling Request

TO: Anne E. McGuire (CN=Anne E. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

This looks good to me. I agree with Karen's comment about the 100. Any word on whether AmeriCorps has any ties to Garfield Elementary?

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 01/07/99

12:53 PM -----

Karen Tramontano

01/07/99 12:44:39 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Anne E. McGuire/WHO/EOP

cc: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP, Ann F. Lewis/WHO/EOP, Jennifer M. Palmieri/WHO/EOP

Subject: Re: Scheduling Request

this looks good. i would include a couple of things -- but make sure americorps is ready to do this --

the event should be a "Call to Service" where AmeriCorps launches its call --- its public service announcements--and its releases an independent study of AmericCorps accomplishments. The swearing-in of the 100 by itself has no context other than a #'s game -- I think we want to focus on the launch and use the university setting as the venue for a launch that should be paralled on a # of other campuses --

also, pls circulate to bruce reed and elena kagan. thanks, much

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 7-JAN-1999 11:29:03.00

SUBJECT: Mystery solved

TO: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

"Also should do photo ops meeting AmeriCorps volunteers when I travel to cities which have them."

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 8-JAN-1999 09:17:39.00

SUBJECT: Re: conference call

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 01/08/99
09:17 AM -----

Shirley S. Sagawa
01/06/99 10:11:58 AM
Record Type: Record

To: Anne E. McGuire/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: Re: conference call

Hi Anne. Tom Freedman and Chuck Marr have been involved too.
Have you gotten from AmeriCorps names and descriptions of potential
AmeriCorps members to sit in the First Lady's box?

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-JAN-1999 08:49:06.00

SUBJECT: RSVPs

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Can you check with Evan about who has RSVP'd for the 3 p.m. HRC meeting on AmeriCorps? I left Sylvia Robinson's info on your chair -- she is a yes. I'll be over at the Serve2K meeting all day. Page me if you need me. Check with Missy in the afternoon to see how her schedule is running and page me if it is running late. I'll try to come back after lunch.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:13-JAN-1999 14:14:42.00

SUBJECT: Buddy & Socks Books

TO: Patricia Solis-Doyle (CN=Patricia Solis-Doyle/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Evan Ryan (CN=Evan Ryan/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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02:14 PM -----

Andrew J. Mayock
01/13/99 02:04:09 PM
Record Type: Record

To: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP
cc: Marsha Scott/WHO/EOP
Subject: Buddy & Socks Books

Mary Ellen called earlier. Thanks for calling about the books. I think that a few would be sufficient as it is one library. However, I may come back and ask for a few more for the school. We hope to have a Cabinet member there to read.

Please pass this info onto Mary Ellen too. Thanks.

ALSO - FYI: The following Americorps site is the one that we have at the ready should the President be able to do service on Monday. The Vice President will serve there in the afternoon. Anne McGuire is coordinating with the VP's office and Americorps. If the First Lady decides to do service that day, she will go there too. However, she is not expected to do so. Let us know if you have questions.

Garfield Terrace Apartments - The Americorps is working with the DC Housing Authority who is the sponsor for this long term project that will get a head start from a burst of one-day energy by community volunteers. Volunteers will do light carpentry work and painting of the hallways and common areas throughout the building will take place, including a space that will become a health center for the seniors living in the building. The Garfield Terrace Senior Apartments are located at 2301 11th Street,

N.W. Volunteers report to the apartments at 9:00am for the morning shift and work until 1:00pm. Afternoon volunteers will work from 1:00pm - 5:00pm. White House staff will also volunteer here.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-JAN-1999 17:41:35.00

SUBJECT: Re: Sorry

TO: Amy A. Hickox (CN=Amy A. Hickox/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

No problem. These things happen. It looked good. Thanks for including the service stuff -- I think it fits well and I know people who work on the issues will appreciate it. I'd like to send a few copies to CNS when it's printed.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-JAN-1999 11:17:29.00

SUBJECT: Re: here are the 4 heroes --

TO: "Murphy, Tara" <TMURPHY ("Murphy, Tara" <TMURPHY @ cns.gov> [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Thanks. I hope Mr. Staats doesn't want to dwell on chosing AmeriCorps
over the Air Force!

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:19-JAN-1999 12:52:52.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps section of SOTU--comments per Melanne Verveer

TO: Jordan Tamagni (CN=Jordan Tamagni/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

One phrase jumps out in the AmeriCorps section -- "helped churches tutor children." This seems to collapse two ideas -- that AmeriCorps works with religious organizations and that it tutors children. But it raises odd issues to combine the two.

Because Habitat, mentioned in the previous clause, is a religious organization, we don't need to mention churches in conjunction with tutoring. Recommend that the phrase read instead "have tutored millions of children" "tutored children in school and afterschool" or simply, "tutored children."

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-JAN-1999 10:23:44.00

SUBJECT: 5th anniversary

TO: JGompert (JGompert @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I thought it might be useful to pull some people together to brainstorm about the 5th anniversary celebration. It could include selected folks who are involved in all of the various "AmeriCorps visibility" efforts. Next week? What do you think?

As you probably heard, I lost on the "churches" point in the speech.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 9-FEB-1999 16:00:55.00

SUBJECT: Re: comments?

TO: June Shih (CN=June Shih/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

This gets at most of the important themes very well. I like the "what is right with America" framework, although it takes a little long to get to a discussion of AmeriCorps.

Thought it might make sense for him to acknowledge the 100 AmeriCorps members on stage, perhaps in the paragraph where he mentions that "AmeriCorps is thriving" -- he could say something like, "the 100 members behind me represent the 100,000 people who have served in AmeriCorps" and then note some of their accomplishments -- I thought we were going to use some of the material from the recent AmeriCorps evaluation -- strengthening communities, getting things done, improving lifeskills of members. Early AmeriCorps speeches talked about community, opportunity, and responsibility. Might consider using that framework.

You don't mention the education award available through AmeriCorps -- it's an important recruiting point.

Two comments on the Peace Corps section-- Harris Wofford never served in the Peace Corps--he helped create it, and then worked for it. I think it's worth making clear that unlike the CCC, the Peace Corps is still around.

Are there going to be high schoolers in the audience? I had heard there might not be.

Great work.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-FEB-1999 15:32:57.00

SUBJECT: President's speech

TO: Alan_Khazei (Alan_Khazei @ city-year.org @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

February 10, 1999

REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT
AT AMERICORPS CALL TO SERVICE EVENT

Richie Coliseum
University of Maryland
College Park, Maryland

2:34 P.M. EST

THE PRESIDENT: Ladies and gentlemen, when I was listening to Stephen and Leslie and Justin and Pepe talk, I was reminded of why I wanted to be President -- so that I could give young people like them the chance to make America a better place. (Applause.)

I want to thank all those who are here today who have supported our efforts. I thank Harris Wofford for his outstanding leadership of the Corporation of National Service. (Applause.) Deb Jospin and John Gomperts of AmeriCorps. I thank Governor Glendening and Lt. Governor Kathleen Kennedy Townsend for making Maryland America's leading state for citizen service. They have really done -- (applause.) I thank my good friend, Prince George's County Executive Wayne Curry; Senator Mike Miller, my longtime friend; and Mayor Jacobs, thank you for making us welcome. Carson Dailey, thank you for the work MTV did on those wonderful spots, the PSAs.

I would like to thank also the mother of the Lt. Governor, my good friend, Ethel Kennedy, for being here today. (Applause.) And I thank Mark Gearan, our Peace Corps Director, and I'll say a little more about the Peace Corps in a minute and its relationship to AmeriCorps.

I'd like to thank one person who is not here today, but who was on the front lines of creating AmeriCorps, Senator Barbara Mikulski, your United States Senator from Maryland. I thank her. (Applause.) I want to thank the President of the University of Maryland, on my right; and the President of the Student Government of the University of Maryland, on my left -- (applause) -- for making me welcome. Avery and Dr. Mote, thank you. (Applause.)

You have already heard from Dr. Mote and others that six years ago I came here to celebrate the end of the Summer of Service, which was our dry run for this national service program. We wanted to work out the kinks and see whether we could make this idea go. There were three people who are here who were instrumental on that day; I would like to thank them: Georgia Sorensen, Marilyn Smith and my former White House staffer, whom I miss very much, Bill Galstone. Thank you all very much for what you have done. (Applause.)

And I thank the University of Maryland for the College Park Scholars, the Team Maryland Athletes -- (applause) -- the work-study students that are tutoring, and the others from the students and faculty who demonstrate the power of citizen service.

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You know, all during the 20th century, the tradition of citizen service grew stronger in America. In the great Depression I remember my parents telling me about the chance President Roosevelt gave able-bodied, unemployed people to work in the Civilian Conservation Corps -- the CCC. They cleared trails, they fought fires, they planted trees. They built whole state parks -- the Appalachian Trail, Skyline Drive in Virginia; parks in my home state that Hillary and I have stayed in, with rather interesting names like Petit Jean, and Devil's Den. I have in the back office of the White House an old CCC cap -- a cap that one of the volunteers wore in the '30s, that I found wedged in between a chimney and a wall, in a cabin in a state park in the mountains of north Arkansas. And I have kept it with me all these long years, to remember the unifying power of citizen service in one of the most difficult moments of the 20th century for the United States.

President Kennedy in the 1960s asked young people to serve in the Peace Corps -- to teach English, to provide health care, to bring running water and electricity to some of the most remote villages in Africa, Asia and South America. My brother-in-law served in the Peace Corps in Colombia. And the other night, he was getting together with some of the people who served there with him. When we were getting ready to come out here today, and Senator Wofford came in with Mark Gearan, the present Peace Corps Director, we were celebrating the fact that, if our new budget passes, we will have more people serving in the Peace Corps in the next two years than have ever served in any given year. We'll be back at an all-time high.

And we were lamenting the fact that we just had to withdraw our Peace Corps volunteers from Eritrea and Ethiopia, two countries that I have felt particularly close to in the last couple of years, because of the trouble the two countries are having -- the threat to go to war. And the Peace Corps volunteers, going all the way back for decades, have volunteered to try to come in and solve the conflict and deal with the disputed area of land. I don't know if they will accept it, but think of that. All these years later, people that were there years and years and years ago remember what it was like -- not to give a handout, but to give a hand up, and to ask people to understand that their differences are not as important as what they have in common.

So I thank our Peace Corps volunteers, I thank Mark Gearan, and I thank all of you in AmeriCorps, because you are in the rich tradition of America's citizen service, from the CCC to the Peace Corps to AmeriCorps.

Now, six summers after I first came here, AmeriCorps is thriving. There now have been over 100,000 people serve in AmeriCorps in just four years of the full-time program. Everywhere I go around the country I see you -- I see you in all kinds of different contexts. I was in San Jose right before the

election and there were a lot of -- the Peace Corps volunteers had just come to start their mission, and so I saw them standing on the street as I pulled into the hotel. And I asked them all to come see me and we took a little picture -- and they were from everywhere.

And then when I went home to Arkansas after the terrible tornadoes a couple of weeks ago, in both the communities I visited there were AmeriCorps volunteers there and there were people there who, believe me, would never have come to Arkansas in their lives if they hadn't been in AmeriCorps. (Laughter.) I know it was good for the people they were helping and I think it was pretty good for them.

This has been an astonishing encounter for tens of thousands of people. Now, all of you know what it's like -- I love talking to people who have been in AmeriCorps because I always hear two things -- number one, they're proud of what they did to help people -- teaching a child to read, or immunizing a child, or having a playground that's safe in an area that used to be dominated by gangs, or cleaning up some polluted site, or doing something to preserve the environment. I love that.

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America needs to think of itself as sort of a giant AmeriCorps, the Peace Corps at home, getting things done together. Getting things done together. (Applause.) If our budget passes this fall, we can boost the number of AmeriCorps volunteers by one quarter, to 50,000 members. In our new budget we want to keep expanding AmeriCorps every year so that by the year 2003, and there forward, every year 100,000 young people will be serving in AmeriCorps. (Applause.)

But I want to challenge the young people of this country -- and the not so young who are willing to do it -- to sign up for AmeriCorps, to see for yourselves what you can do to solve America's problems and reap America's promise. I want to challenge high school students, as well. Maryland has done a wonderful job as the Governor and the Lt. Governor said, being the only state in the country to actually require community service as a part of a public education. In our balanced budget we propose to allow high schoolers for the very first time to join AmeriCorps by serving part-time during the school year and full-time in the summers.

And I want to challenge, again, the young people beyond this room, to dedicate a year or two of your lives to a cause larger than yourselves. It may be your best chance to change the lives of others for the better, and to enrich your own life in the process.

Today, so many young people have the time and freedom and energy they will never have in the future, to tackle the kind of challenge Americorps represents -- to pack a bag at a moment's notice, to fight a forest fire, or move into our most remote towns or Native American reservations to teach children, or work with churches in some of our toughest neighborhoods. At the end of your service, as all of you know, Americorps will provide help to pay for college or pay off student loans. So I ask you all to help me reach others -- to take advantage of this opportunity, to use this moment to prove that this generation of young people, far from being a generation of cynics and slackers, is instead a generation of doers and patriots. (Applause.)

Lt. Governor Kathleen Kennedy Townsend quoted something her father said. I would like to close with a quotation from Senator Robert Kennedy, in a speech he gave to college students in South Africa when I was a young man. It resonated around the world, and every person my age, which was then your age now -- every young person I knew, without regard to their party or their opinions or anything else, was riveted by the notion that a United States Senator could go to South Africa and talk to the young people about building a different future, a long time before, for the first time in over 300 years, all South Africans had a chance to choose their future.

This is what he said: "Each time a man stands up for an ideal, or acts to improve the lot of others, or strikes out against injustice, he sends forth a tiny ripple of hope, and crossing each other from a million different centers of energy and daring, those ripples build a current that can sweep down the mightiest walls of oppression and resistance."

That is still true today. For those in AmeriCorps, I thank you for sending forth those ripples of hope. I thank you for bringing out the best in yourselves and others.

For those who could still yet serve, I ask you to join the rest of your fellow citizens in building that bridge to the 21st century that all can walk across, arm-in-arm, to the best days of America.

Thank you and God bless you. (Applause.)

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2:54 P.M. EST

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CREATION DATE/TIME:11-FEB-1999 15:06:27.00

SUBJECT: for the race book

TO: Clara J. Shin (CN=Clara J. Shin/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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SUBJECT: Here's the President's remarks

TO: Alan_Khazei (Alan_Khazei @ city_year.org @ inet [UNKNOWN])

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You have already heard from Dr. Mote and others that six years ago I came here to celebrate the end of the Summer of Service, which was our dry run for this national service program. We wanted to work out the kinks and see whether we could make this idea go. There were three people who are here who were instrumental on that day; I would like to thank them: Georgia Sorensen, Marilyn Smith and my former White House staffer, whom I miss very much, Bill Galstone. Thank you all very much for what you have done. (Applause.)

And I thank the University of Maryland for the College Park Scholars, the Team Maryland Athletes -- (applause) -- the work-study students that are tutoring, and the others from the students and faculty who demonstrate the power of citizen service.

Let me say to all of you, when I ran for President in 1992 I wanted to get America working again and moving again, but I also wanted to bring America together again. It seemed to me that we had two great problems. One is that our economy was not functioning very well and we seemed to be getting weaker, but also that we seemed to be letting our divisions overcome what we have in common.

Martin Luther King once said that the old law of an eye for an eye sooner or later leaves everyone blind. I always believed that America's differences could be the source of our strength if we respected and we celebrated our differences, but we understood that, underneath it all, there was something that bound us together that was more important.

So, as I look back on the last six years, I think we can all take a great deal of pride in what our country has achieved together -- economically, the longest peacetime expansion in history; the lowest peacetime unemployment rate since 1957, 42 years ago -- (applause) -- welfare rolls cut nearly in half; the lowest crime rate in over a quarter-century. I think those are great things.

But I think we can also celebrate the evidence that we are coming together -- over 90 percent of our children across all racial and ethnic lines immunized against serious childhood diseases for the first time in history; the doors of college literally open to all with the HOPE scholarship, the lifetime learning tax credit, the more generous Pell grant, more affordable student loans, more work-study slots. Those things

matter.

But maybe most of all, those of you here in Americorps, and those in citizen service -- whether in the Peace Corps, serving our country in the military, or serving in some other way -- embody the determination of America to draw closer together as we grow more diverse. And that, I think, is terribly important.

When you saw the four Americorps volunteers up here speaking, and each of you identifying with them in turn -- if they worked in your project or you knew them -- you know they were a picture of America, of the changing face of America, and the best of America that never changes.

If you look around the world today, at many of the challenges that I face as your President and that the United States faces -- the sad trip that the First Lady and I recently took to Jordan for the funeral of our friend, the King of Jordan, who survived decades of assassination attempts -- literally decades of assassination attempts, probably 50 in all -- to stand as a symbol of peace among people in a very tough neighborhood, who use religion as a reason to find their differences more important than their common humanity. All over the world today you see that. If the United States wants to lead the world toward peace and freedom and prosperity in a new century in a new millennium, it is actually quite an advantage for us to have within our borders people from all races, all religions, all ethnic groups, all cultural backgrounds doing all kinds of different things.

But we cannot do good around the world unless we are good at home. And, therefore, we have to find this magical balance, being honest about our differences of opinion on matters from the serious to the mundane -- and I'll leave it to you to decide whether it was serious or mundane when the President asked me take sides in the basketball game. (Laughter.) You've got a great team here, though, I'll tell you that, I've watched it. (Applause.) We have to find a way to do that, to say, this is what I believe, this is where I stand, this is what I'm for -- and also to say how lucky we are to stand on the verge of a new millennium in a totally global society, where people are being brought closer together than ever before, and we are finding ways to relish, to celebrate, to honor our differences in a way to bring us closer together, instead of driving us apart.

AmeriCorps is the living, breathing symbol of the answer to that. Where we do not ask people to check their differences at the door, but we do ask them to reaffirm our common humanity. We do not ask for a handout, but we do ask for a hand up for everyone who needs it, and we say we are going forward together. That is what you represent. That is my fondest hope for America. And I thank you for your service. (Applause.)

You know, all during the 20th century, the tradition of citizen service grew stronger in America. In the great Depression I remember my parents telling me about the chance President Roosevelt gave able-bodied, unemployed people to work in the Civilian Conservation Corps -- the CCC. They cleared trails, they fought fires, they planted trees. They built whole state parks -- the Appalachian Trail, Skyline Drive in Virginia; parks in my home state that Hillary and I have stayed in, with rather interesting names like Petit Jean, and Devil's Den. I have in the back office of the White House an old CCC cap -- a cap that one of the volunteers wore in the '30s, that I found wedged in between a chimney and a wall, in a cabin in a state park in the mountains of north Arkansas. And I have kept it with me all these long years, to remember the unifying power of citizen service in one of the most difficult moments of the 20th century for the United States.

President Kennedy in the 1960s asked young people to serve in the Peace Corps -- to teach English, to provide health care, to bring running water and electricity to some of the most remote villages in Africa, Asia and South America. My brother-in-law served in the Peace Corps in Colombia. And the other night, he was getting together with some of the people who served there with him. When we were getting ready to come out here today, and Senator Wofford came in with Mark Gearan, the present Peace Corps Director, we were celebrating the fact that, if our new budget passes, we will have more people serving in the Peace Corps in the next two years than have ever served in any given year. We'll be back at an all-time high.

And we were lamenting the fact that we just had to withdraw our Peace Corps volunteers from Eritrea and Ethiopia, two countries that I have felt particularly close to in the last couple of years, because of the trouble the two countries are having -- the threat to go to war. And the Peace Corps volunteers, going all the way back for decades, have volunteered to try to come in and solve the conflict and deal with the disputed area of land. I don't know if they will accept it, but think of that. All these years later, people that were there years and years and years ago remember what it was like -- not to give a handout, but to give a hand up, and to ask people to understand that their differences are not as important as what they have in common.

So I thank our Peace Corps volunteers, I thank Mark Gearan, and I thank all of you in AmeriCorps, because you are in the rich tradition of America's citizen service, from the CCC to the Peace Corps to AmeriCorps.

Now, six summers after I first came here, AmeriCorps is thriving. There now have been over 100,000 people serve in AmeriCorps in just four years of the full-time program. Everywhere I go around the country I see you -- I see you in all kinds of different contexts. I was in San Jose right before the

election and there were a lot of -- the Peace Corps volunteers had just come to start their mission, and so I saw them standing on the street as I pulled into the hotel. And I asked them all to come see me and we took a little picture -- and they were from everywhere.

And then when I went home to Arkansas after the terrible tornadoes a couple of weeks ago, in both the communities I visited there were AmeriCorps volunteers there and there were people there who, believe me, would never have come to Arkansas in their lives if they hadn't been in AmeriCorps. (Laughter.) I know it was good for the people they were helping and I think it was pretty good for them.

This has been an astonishing encounter for tens of thousands of people. Now, all of you know what it's like -- I love talking to people who have been in AmeriCorps because I always hear two things -- number one, they're proud of what they did to help people -- teaching a child to read, or immunizing a child, or having a playground that's safe in an area that used to be dominated by gangs, or cleaning up some polluted site, or doing something to preserve the environment. I love that.

The second thing I always hear is, "I like the people with whom I serve;" "I met people I never would have met;" "I got to know people I never would have gotten to know;" "we were all so different and, yet, when we worked together, we grew together, and it made my life different and better." That is what AmeriCorps needs to do -- and that is what America needs to do.

America needs to think of itself as sort of a giant AmeriCorps, the Peace Corps at home, getting things done together. Getting things done together. (Applause.) If our budget passes this fall, we can boost the number of AmeriCorps volunteers by one quarter, to 50,000 members. In our new budget we want to keep expanding AmeriCorps every year so that by the year 2003, and there forward, every year 100,000 young people will be serving in AmeriCorps. (Applause.)

But I want to challenge the young people of this country -- and the not so young who are willing to do it -- to sign up for AmeriCorps, to see for yourselves what you can do to solve America's problems and reap America's promise. I want to challenge high school students, as well. Maryland has done a wonderful job as the Governor and the Lt. Governor said, being the only state in the country to actually require community service as a part of a public education. In our balanced budget we propose to allow high schoolers for the very first time to join AmeriCorps by serving part-time during the school year and full-time in the summers.

And I want to challenge, again, the young people beyond this room, to dedicate a year or two of your lives to a cause larger than yourselves. It may be your best chance to change the lives of others for the better, and to enrich your own life in the process.

Today, so many young people have the time and freedom and energy they will never have in the future, to tackle the kind of challenge Americorps represents -- to pack a bag at a moment's notice, to fight a forest fire, or move into our most remote towns or Native American reservations to teach children, or work with churches in some of our toughest neighborhoods. At the end of your service, as all of you know, Americorps will provide help to pay for college or pay off student loans. So I ask you all to help me reach others -- to take advantage of this opportunity, to use this moment to prove that this generation of young people, far from being a generation of cynics and slackers, is instead a generation of doers and patriots. (Applause.)

Lt. Governor Kathleen Kennedy Townsend quoted something her father said. I would like to close with a quotation from Senator Robert Kennedy, in a speech he gave to college students in South Africa when I was a young man. It resonated around the world, and every person my age, which was then your age now -- every young person I knew, without regard to their party or their opinions or anything else, was riveted by the notion that a United States Senator could go to South Africa and talk to the young people about building a different future, a long time before, for the first time in over 300 years, all South Africans had a chance to choose their future.

This is what he said: "Each time a man stands up for an ideal, or acts to improve the lot of others, or strikes out against injustice, he sends forth a tiny ripple of hope, and crossing each other from a million different centers of energy and daring, those ripples build a current that can sweep down the mightiest walls of oppression and resistance."

That is still true today. For those in AmeriCorps, I thank you for sending forth those ripples of hope. I thank you for bringing out the best in yourselves and others.

For those who could still yet serve, I ask you to join the rest of your fellow citizens in building that bridge to the 21st century that all can walk across, arm-in-arm, to the best days of America.

Thank you and God bless you. (Applause.)

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-FEB-1999 14:29:35.00

SUBJECT: Public Allies

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

See other email

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 02/16/99
02:30 PM -----

Chuck <ChuckS @ publicallies.org>

02/08/99 03:04:13 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: Public Allies

Hey Shirley, just heard word from CNS that among the names they are sending over to the White House tonight as recommended speakers for the President's AmeriCorps event on Wed., is an Ally, Tara Trimmer, "T.J.". Any internal recommending you could do on our behalf would be greatly appreciated!

I spoke with Pat about he and I coming over and briefing you and Melanne about Public Allies and he thought it was a great idea. When should we shoot for? When is a good week/month for you?

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Hope you are well. We are doing good. Just saw that the President's budget includes millions to refurbish Meridian Park, which is right next to our house. I'll go for that!

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CREATION DATE/TIME:16-FEB-1999 09:57:48.00

SUBJECT: RE: Did you know we're fighting asthma t

TO: "Jospin, Debbie" [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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CREATION DATE/TIME:16-FEB-1999 09:38:51.00

SUBJECT: Re: Mention of AmeriCorps on Homocide

TO: "Gomperts, John" [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I saw it -- you know, AmeriCorps was also mentioned in Scott Turow's last book. Maybe we should try to do more of this as part of the visibility campaign.

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-FEB-1999 09:39:41.00

SUBJECT: FW: Did you know we're fighting asthma too?

TO: djospin (djospin @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Did you know about this?

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 02/16/99
09:40 AM -----

"Gomperts, John"

02/14/99 02:39:00 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: FW: Did you know we're fighting asthma too?

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From: Scott, Sandy

Sent: Monday, February 01, 1999 10:22 AM

To: Gomperts, John; Murphy, Tara

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-FEB-1999 09:40:56.00

SUBJECT: FW: Did you know we're fighting asthma too?

TO: Neera Tanden (CN=Neera Tanden/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

This was forwarded to me by the Chief of Staff at the Corporation for National Service, who didn't know anything about it -- it's a paragraph describing the Asthma initiative HRC announced. Can you get more information about it that I can pass on to them?

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 02/16/99
09:40 AM -----

"Gomperts, John"

02/14/99 02:39:00 PM

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:17-FEB-1999 11:30:20.00

SUBJECT: RE: Did you know we're fighting asthma t

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Can I do?

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 02/17/99

11:31 AM -----

"Jospin, Debbie"

02/17/99 11:17:00 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: RE: Did you know we're fighting asthma t

Hi -- how about lunch on Monday? I can come there . . . sounds like such fun!

-----Original Message-----

From: Shirley_S._Sagawa@who.eop.gov [SMTP:Shirley_S._Sagawa@who.eop.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, February 16, 1999 10:05 AM

To: Jospin, Debbie

Subject: RE: Did you know we're fighting asthma t

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:18-FEB-1999 15:46:02.00

SUBJECT: Re: Da letta

TO: Anne E. McGuire (CN=Anne E. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

It sounded like there were a number of minor hoops to jump through before this could go. I would put the call right up front -- it takes too long to get to what he is asking. If the President were going to write to every member of Congress and every governor about AmeriCorps, is this all he would say? I'm not sure whether anyone will really follow up. What do you think?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:19-FEB-1999 16:50:39.00

SUBJECT: speech notes

TO: baersagawa (baersagawa @ erols.com @ inet [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

AnnMaura

Charlotte

[need good inspirational story--use Bill Clinton quote -- there's nothing wrong with America that cannot be fixed by what's right with America.]

Had the privilege to be an observer and participant in the world of national and community service over the last ten years.

Service has always been an American tradition, from barn raisings to settlement houses. In the 20th century, the federal government got involved -- CCC, Peace Corps, VISTA, Foster Grandparents, RSVP, Senior Companions.

But in the last ten years, this tradition has been revitalized in dramatic ways that show the potential for the future.

Cares organizations are one important example.

Corporate volunteer programs.

College campus-based service--COOL and Campus Compact and going off-campus for alternative spring breaks.

Youth corps.

Community-based youth programs.

K-12.

Federal support through Learn and Serve, and AmeriCorps.

This is a tremendous base. And yet there are disappointing trends as well--

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Vision:

Here are eight lessons that I have culled from my experience--as a volunteer, nonprofit manager, board member of three service organizations, federal policymaker, and student of corporate/social sector partnerships.

1. service is good for people, that's why corporations, schools, etc. do it
2. service is good for communities, and we need it more than ever
3. service is cost-effective, but does have a cost -- need an infrastructure
4. service should be integrated into the community--need to do with, not do unto
5. but national networks can improve quality, visibility
6. public policy matters--national service policy supports an infrastructure
7. service is invisible and shouldn't be
8. results matter, but are rarely documented

Three challenges:

1. Bring people together--One America
2. Get things done
3. Evaluate

Closing story

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 8-MAR-1999 09:58:11.00

SUBJECT: scheudling

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Do you have a time for the AmeriCorps meeting?

Also, need to schedule the sculpture book meeting with Cheryl and Betty
Monkman

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-MAR-1999 12:51:24.00

SUBJECT: Make a Difference Day Award Winners

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 03/16/99
12:53 PM -----

"Hudson, Melinda"

03/11/99 04:27:37 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: Make a Difference Day Award Winners

On April 20, the winners of the Make A Difference Day Awards will be in town. Could you help us secure a White House tour for them? Make a Difference Day is the annual 'day of going good' sponsored by magazine USA Weekend and joined by over a million volunteers last year. This year we are

so very please that an AmeriCorps program --- one in which women transitioning off welfare led community-wide service projects --- is one of the national winners. So we'd like to roll out the red carpet.

There will be 30 to 35 folks who would be available April 20 at 4:00 pm or April 21 at noon.

Thank you for your help and if you need more information or a more formal request, please don't hesitate to let me know.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:18-MAR-1999 12:06:06.00

SUBJECT: RE: Ladies for Dinner -Reply -Reply -Reply

TO: tgray (tgray @ morino.org [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Tracy -- Eli and Dan are looking for a person to head up a privately funded AmeriCorps visibility campaign. They need someone for at least the next six months to manage this project. They need to be a self-starter, good at operations and/or communications, and able to facilitate collaboration (this project has a lot of cooks). Someone like JVG, who is not interested, or Chris Gallagher Jr., who is also not available. Any ideas????

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:18-MAR-1999 11:52:13.00

SUBJECT: National Service Events

TO: Patricia Solis-Doyle (CN=Patricia Solis-Doyle/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

We have requests pending for April, May, and June -- I don't know how far we're going to go on Friday, but I wanted to give you a list just in case.

April 17th through 24th is National Volunteer Week. There is a request from KaBOOM! for her to do a playground build on the 17th, which is Saturday. If that doesn't work, I'm sure that a week day event could be arranged with an AmeriCorps project. I don't know if the President is doing -- a request is going in for him to do an event on the road.

May 25-28 is City Year's CYZYG conference, which HRC spoke at two years ago in Rhode Island. It is in DC this year. They have asked her to convene a White House Policy Forum or participate in a service project on May 27. They have requests pending with the VP and POTUS as well.

June 6 (tentative) in Boston, City Year has requested HRC helped them launch their endowment campaign at a lunch event. (It's during the Wellesley Reunion)

June 25 (tentative) -- the Corporation for National Service has requested that HRC host a White House event in honor of schools receiving National Service-Learning Leader Schools awards, which was a Presidential initiative several years ago.

The last two (schools and City Year endowment) are the priorities from my point of view, as long as the VP or POTUS do the first two. I have paper on all -- I think you have the two City Year requests already. I'll send the other two.

Thanks.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:25-MAR-1999 12:39:51.00

SUBJECT: Americorps Visibility

TO: Ruby Shamir (CN=Ruby Shamir/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

The current plan is 9:00-10:30 on the 5th anniversary and 10:30 to 12:30 on the media campaign. It will be off site, place TBD.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 03/25/99

12:40 PM -----

MaryEllen C. McGuire

03/25/99 11:57:03 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: Americorps Visibility

Shirley- Right now I'm just holding all of April 7. In the meantime did you set it up 9-12?

----- Forwarded by MaryEllen C. McGuire/WHO/EOP on

03/25/99 11:55 AM -----

Ruby Shamir

03/25/99 08:47:41 AM

Record Type: Record

To: MaryEllen C. McGuire/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: Americorps Visibility

Ann Lewis mentioned that there was going to be a mtg on April 7 on Americorps visibility from 9am-12pm. Is this true? Room 100? I am trying to confirm some things on her schedule since I will be leaving. Thanks

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:26-MAR-1999 08:30:40.00

SUBJECT: Re: Re: Event with the First Lady

TO: Alan.Khazei (Alan.Khazei @ city-year.org [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I'd love to see you on the 7th in the afternoon, if possible. You may also want to join a group in the am which is working out the media campaign and fifth anniversary plans for ameriCorps, from 9 to 12:30. If you're available for any or all, let me know.

No answer yet on the endowment event, but it's still a life option!

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:29-MAR-1999 09:52:46.00

SUBJECT: Meeting on the 7th

TO: Malcolm Richardson (CN=Malcolm Richardson/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Ellen M. Lovell (CN=Ellen M. Lovell/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

It looks like both Vanessa Kirsch and Nick Bollman are going to be in town on April 7. I'd like to try to do another meeting that afternoon. The morning is out because Nick and I are at a 1/2 day AmeriCorps meeting. We could do something around 3. What do you think?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:29-MAR-1999 15:45:25.00

SUBJECT: bio

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Shirley Sagawa is the co-author of Common Interest, Common Good [insert subtitle], forthcoming from Harvard Business School Press (December 1999). She has been a presidential appointee of both Presidents Bush and Clinton. She was the first executive director of the Corporation for National Service and an architect of the AmeriCorps program. She is a graduate of Harvard Law School, London School of Economics, and Smith College.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:29-MAR-1999 09:56:41.00

SUBJECT: Re: Next meetings

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

On April 7, I have AmeriCorps meetings all morning, and then a doctor's appointment. I am trying to get Malcolm and Ellen to agree to do a small meeting around 3 or 3:30 because Vanessa Kirsch and Nick Bollman, two of the people on our list are in town that day. FYI

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:30-MAR-1999 16:10:40.00

SUBJECT: Re: WH Women on the Move (Lite)

TO: Stacie Spector (CN=Stacie Spector/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Gee thanks. It did feel like I slipped in in the dead of night. Here's my list:

Lorrie McHugh

Clara Shin

Melanne Verveer

Anne McGuire

Debbie Jospin (director of AmeriCorps)

Janet Green (just left DNC)

Marsha Berry

Capricia Marshall

Sharon Kennedy Gill

Let me know if I can help.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:31-MAR-1999 15:30:54.00

SUBJECT: April 7

TO: Patricia Solis-Doyle (CN=Patricia Solis-Doyle/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

If there is any way we can schedule the cover photos in the afternoon (like between 1 and 3) on the 7th, I will be able to go. Unfortunately, I'm running an AmeriCorps meeting with out of town folks in the morning and a philanthropy conference meeting in the afternoon at 3:30 p.m. If I can't be at the photo shoot it's not the end of the world, but I'd like to be there in case last minute things come up.

THANKS. Hope you had a great trip.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:31-MAR-1999 15:01:44.00

SUBJECT: 5th Anniversary of AmeriCorps Plan

TO: Anne E. McGuire (CN=Anne E. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Karen Tramontano (CN=Karen Tramontano/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ann F. Lewis (CN=Ann F. Lewis/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

This is a draft from the Corporation.

> All*AmeriCorps Weekend
> Getting Things Done for America
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> On September 12, 1999, AmeriCorps will celebrate its fifth anniversary
> having deployed over 100,000 active duty citizens in service to their
> communities. This anniversary will be a time to look back at our
> accomplishments and to look forward to the potential of national service
> in the future. It will be a time both to celebrate and to buckle down in
> a burst of citizen service energy to get things done for America. And it
> will be a time honor our heroes and inspire, encourage, and deploy our
> heroes of the future. All of AmeriCorps --- Alums, current members, full
> and part time, AmeriCorps*VISTAs and corpsmembers of the AmeriCorps*NCCC,
> members serving in their own communities and states and those who serve
> neighbors from another part of our nation --- will join together across
> the nation in an All*AmeriCorps weekend of celebration and of service.
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> There are four distinct components to the weekend. The first will be a
> leadership forum that brings together the most creative and effective
> leaders and practitioners in the national service field to look forward
> to
> the next century of service. The second is a new award that honors
> AmeriCorps members who are demonstrating the highest achievement and
> ideals of the core principles of national service --- getting things
> done,
> strengthening community, developing participants, and building common
> ground. The third demonstrates the power of service through a
> week/weekend of service projects in the four issue areas of AmeriCorps
> ---
> education, public safety, human needs, and the environment. And finally,
> we will celebrate, honoring our past and our next generation of heroes
> who

> will get things done for America.

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> All*AmeriCorps Leadership Forum

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> "I challenge a new generation of young Americans to a season of service
> --- to act on your idealism by helping troubled children, keeping company
> with those in need, reconnecting our torn communities. There is so much
> to be done --- enough indeed for millions of others who are still young
in
> spirit to give of themselves in service, too."

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> President Clinton, Inaugural Address

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> AmeriCorps is a partnership between citizens, government, business,
> educational institutions, faith-based organizations --- all working
> together as partners in progress to solve our problems and secure our
> promise for this nation. The Leadership Forum will be an opportunity for
> a small group of leaders and partners in the public and private sectors
to
> present models, envision the potential, and plot the future of national
> service in the next century. Young leaders and CEO's of businesses,
> nonprofits, religious institutions, civilian and military service
> programs, schools, colleges and universities will bring their best
> examples of how service is transforming America and will collaborate on a
> vision for bringing it to scale in the future.

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> All*AmeriCorps Awards

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> "I saw the wreckage, the insanity, the lost human potential that you can
> find now not only in our biggest cities, but in every community. And
yet,
> I saw even in the most difficult circumstances the light in the eyes of so
> many young people; the courage, the hunger for life; the desire to do
> something to reach beyond themselves and to reach out to others and to
> make things better."

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> Bill Signing

> Ceremony, 1993

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> Service calls forth heroes. The new All*AmeriCorps Awards will honor the
> outstanding achievements of AmeriCorps members who through their service
> have made a difference in and serve as an example to their communities,
> their states, and their nation. There will be four categories of awards
> to illustrate the powerful components of AmeriCorps. The Getting Things
> Done Award will highlight service of individuals that helped to solve
real
> community problems through citizen action. The Strengthening Communities
> Award will honor those who have made a lasting impact through

> collaboration and leadership. The Leadership Development Award will
> recognize outstanding individual growth and personal achievement through
> service that builds active duty citizens. And the
> Common Ground Award will highlight the service of individuals who have
> brought people and organizations together across the lines that divide
> them. This first year, the All*AmeriCorps Awards will honor outstanding
> AmeriCorps Alums from the first four years and will launch a tradition of
> awards for the classes to come.

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> All*AmeriCorps Day of Service

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> "There's nothing that's wrong with America that can't be fixed by what is
> right with America. And you are what is right with America."

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> AmeriCorps Launch, 1994

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> There is no better way to celebrate AmeriCorps than to roll up your
> sleeves in a national service project. All across the country,

AmeriCorps

> members, Alums, and their partners and programs will be getting things
> done in a wide range of community service projects that demonstrate that
> national service helps meet needs in education, public safety, human
> needs, and the environment.

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> The service will be tied together by the theme that illustrates the
future

> of service and the potential of young people to be leaders in their
> communities --- such as Service for the 21st Century or Future Serve or
> Next Generation Day of Service or even something reflecting Presidential
> themes such as "Forever and For the Better" --- and would be focused
> around schools in under-resourced areas. AmeriCorps members, Alums and
> other volunteers will build playgrounds, renovate classrooms, open
> technology labs, hold health screenings, enroll students in afterschool
> programs, and sign up young volunteers for 100 hours of service a year.
> The day also could be kicked off by local fundraisers all across the
> country, such as a 5K All*AmeriCorps Run for the 5th Anniversary.

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> All*AmeriCorps Celebration of Service

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> "The great challenge of your generation is to prove that every person her

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> in this great land can live up to the fullest of their God-given
capacity.

> If we do it, the 21st century will be the American century. The American
> Dream will be kept alive if you will today answer the call to service."

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Rutgers University, 1993

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> Finally, with the assistance of nationally known celebrities and leaders,
> we will salute AmeriCorps with a musical celebration that highlights the
> accomplishments of AmeriCorps Alums and inspires others to answer the
call
> to serve. Celebrities and national service heroes will salute AmeriCorps
> and will present to the nation the All*AmeriCorps award winners. Video
> vignettes from the "I am AmeriCorps" Call to Service campaign will be
> interspersed throughout. The celebration will be broadcast live to
> satellite downlinks in other All*AmeriCorps cities and will be recorded
> for rebroadcast to the nation. And it will not only be a celebration,
but
> a national Call to Service.

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ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:13-APR-1999 12:42:56.00

SUBJECT: Re: Service Summit

TO: Ann F. Lewis (CN=Ann F. Lewis/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Gosh -- I have noticed that our little AmeriCorps group has been dwindling. I think you've got the main people. We might want to keep DPC in the loop by inviting Tanya Martin and Stacie Spector always seems engaged when she can make it. What about Karen?

FYI, Mrs. Clinton asked me to write a memo for the President about our private sector visibility campaign.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1999 15:50:45.00

SUBJECT: 5th anniversary celebration

TO: Anne E. McGuire (CN=Anne E. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Karen Tramontano (CN=Karen Tramontano/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ann F. Lewis (CN=Ann F. Lewis/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: JGompert (JGompert @ cns.gov @ inet [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I checked on the First Lady's availability to participate in an AmeriCorps anniversary event this fall, keeping in mind the fact that September 12 (the actual anniversary) is out and the fact that CNS prefers mid- to late-October. The best time for us is the week of October 17.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1999 13:27:34.00

SUBJECT: Re: AmeriCorps

TO: Clara J. Shin (CN=Clara J. Shin/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Good idea! Call Deb Jospin at 606-5000x287 or Tara Murphy (don't know extension). I think we should highlight NCCC, maybe some of my favorites: IBM's Project First (for education) and NACCRRA's Action for Children child care program. Also AmeriCorps works with I Have a Dream, which you know. AmeriCorps*VISTA is working with Save the Children on their afterschool program. Deb and Tara could give you others. There used to be some good environmental justice and public safety programs, but they may have gone bye-bye when Harris changed the focus to youth.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-APR-1999 15:34:54.00

SUBJECT: Three more names for Sacagawea

TO: Kim B. Widdess (CN=Kim B. Widdess/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I would like to add these three Native American women to our event:

Merris Obie, a member of the Hoopa Valley Tribe (largest tribe in California) and coordinator of the AmeriCorps on Native Lands program. Her phone number is 530-625-0098. (She is out of town at a conference for the rest of the week.) Address is:

Merris Obie
AmeriCorps on Native Lands
P.O. Box 1348
Highway 96
Hoopa, CA 95546

Kim Dominguez, an outstanding former AmeriCorps member and current staff member with the Round Rock AmeriCorps program. She has been recognized by the state of Arizona as an AmeriCorps Leader. She is a member of the Navajo Nation. She can be reached at 520-787-2384 or through the director (Monty Roessel) at 520-728-3508. Address is:

Kim Dominguez
Round Rock AmeriCorps
Highway 12
P.O. Box 1197
Round Rock, AZ 86547

Cynthia Johnson, who coordinates AmeriCorps' Native American programs (they have done a lot with Native Americans, including running a first ever service conference with Native Americans a few years ago). Cynthia's number is 606-5000. Address is:

Corporation for National Service
1201 New York Ave, NW
Washington, DC 20525

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-APR-1999 16:08:19.00

SUBJECT: save the date!

TO: arianbarton@welfaretowork.org (arianbarton@welfaretowork.org @ inet [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi. Is this going to happen?

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 04/20/99
04:08 PM -----

Clara J. Shin
03/23/99 04:55:28 PM
Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message
cc:
Subject: save the date!

Save the date -- April 25! I just spoke to Eli Segal who has invited us
for an AmeriCorps brunch at his place for the 25th. Eli is going to check
with his wife and then let me know. Thanks.

Message Sent

To: _____
Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP@EOP
Pieter J. Boelhouwer/OVP@OVP
hhicks@cns.gov @ inet
kate.mehr@usda.gov @ inet
jtien@ustr.gov @ inet

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:21-APR-1999 17:28:16.00

SUBJECT: Shanker

TO: Christine N. Macy (CN=Christine N. Macy/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Can you make sure to mention that service-learning and community service programs as an answer to preventing school violence.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:28-APR-1999 17:22:15.00

SUBJECT: Re:A Few more Points--AB

TO: Anne Bartley <76373.1463@compuserve.com> (Anne Bartley <76373.1463@compuserve.com> [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I would love to have lunch on the 5th! Thanks for all your help. I will try to give you a call to fill you in on the AmeriCorps project -- pleased that you'd even consider it. Nick can also give you a sense of what's involved. See you soon.

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:28-APR-1999 09:36:23.00

SUBJECT: Re: 4/27 from Anne Bartley

TO: Anne Bartley <76373.1463@compuserve.com> (Anne Bartley <76373.1463@compuserve.com> [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Anne -- this is a fantastically helpful list -- thanks. We will definately follow up on your suggestions. Thanks for putting the energy into it. I'm glad you'll be able to come on the 5th. These discussions have been very interesting and I think we'll be able have a productive conference.

On our other project, AmeriCorps visibility, I wanted to see if you'd be willing to serve as one of the co-chairs. Nick Bollman has been told by his boss that he can no longer serve. I'll call you later to talk through what is involved and see if you would consider it.

You're the best!

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1999 11:17:32.00

SUBJECT: celebrities for tv show

TO: Ann F. Lewis (CN=Ann F. Lewis/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I wrote back and said we'd need more time, but as you can see, there is a lot of momentum behind this project which I'd hate to lose. Here is a draft memo for John -- let me know what you think. Should we try to get a meeting with him right away?

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 05/06/99
11:15 AM -----

AnnMaura Connolly <annmaura@rcn.com>

05/06/99 09:33:54 AM

Record Type: Record

To: jgompert@cns.gov, Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

cc: scarprdc@bellatlantic.net

Subject: celebrities for tv show

Hey you guys...here's the list from Michelle and Morgan--despite the fact that I'm not quite sure who some of these folks are, I think it's a pretty great list.

What do you all think? I promised to get back to these guys with a coordinated response today, so lemme know!

Also, don't know if anyone has uncovered anything about Joel Schumacher that makes him problematic, but if so, we ought to let them know asap. (I'm pretty sure he's okay)

Thanks for getting back to me pronto!

amc

>From: "Kydd, Michelle" <mkydd@caa.com>

>To: "AnnMaura Connolly" <annmaura@rcn.com>

>Cc: "Binswanger, Morgan" <mbinswanger@caa.com>

>Subject: back atcha

>Date: Wed, 5 May 1999 15:53:05 -0700

>X-Mailer: Internet Mail Service (5.5.2232.9)

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>These were some of the names that we were thinking.

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>Ben Affleck
>Bill Bellamy
>Nic Cage
>George Clooney
>Matt Damon
>Taye Diggs
>Jaime Foxx
>Ethan Hawke
>Jaime Kennedy
>Chris O'Donnell
>Freddie Prinze Jr.
>Keanu Reeves
>Tom Everett Scott
>Will Smith
>Eric Stolz
>Noah Wyle
>Steve Zahn

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>Jessica Alba
>Jennifer Aniston
>Drew Barrymore
>Halle Berry
>Sandra Bullock
>Neve Campbell
>Courteney Cox
>Claire Daines
>Helen Hunt
>Jewel
>Mary Stuart Masterson
>Sarah Jessica Parker
>Jada Pinkett
>LeAnn Rimes
>Elisabeth Shue
>Uma Thurman
>Liv Tyler
>Renee Zellweger

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>please let us know what you think

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>-----Original Message-----
>From: AnnMaura Connolly [mailto:annmaura@rcn.com]
>Sent: Wednesday, May 05, 1999 12:06 PM
>To: mbinswanger@caa.com; mkydd@caa.com
>Subject: thanks

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>
>Hey you guys--

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>thanks for being on the call today--I think we're making progress, slowly

>but surely.
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>I spoke with Shirley and she is really excited about the television
special
>and thinks the first lady will be too...
>
>so if you guys will get those names to me, I'll get them around to folks
>and make sure there are no problems with anyone on the list--I think the
>main concern is whether the white house has any issues with the list.
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>so thanks again--and thanks for bearing with this "group think"
>thing--whatever doesn't kill you makes you stronger, remember?
>
>annmaura
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===== ATTACHMENT 1 =====

ATT CREATION TIME/DATE: 0 00:00:00.00

TEXT:

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MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN PODESTA

FROM: Shirley Sagawa and Ann Lewis

RE: Involvement of entertainment industry in AmeriCorps visibility efforts

DATE: May 6, 1999

Cc: Karen Tramontano

We have been working with a private sector group, led by Dan Dutko and Eli Segal, that is organizing a media campaign to raise the visibility of AmeriCorps. Using private funds, they plan to develop a series of paid advertisements promoting AmeriCorps' to complement free media generated through a PR effort relating to the program's fifth anniversary in October. Roy Spence and Peter Hart are developing the messages and advertisements.

This private sector group, which includes the Creative Artists Foundation, is also exploring the development of a television special on AmeriCorps. Potentially, celebrities would return to their hometowns to profile AmeriCorps members. Fox Family channel is interested (but has not yet committed) to producing and airing the special, timed to coincide with the anniversary celebration. We would like to keep open the possibility of the President and First Lady participating in a preview event for the special.

In order for this television project to proceed, Creative Artists needs to line up the talent to direct and star in the special right away. They have providing us a list of individuals they plan to approach and have asked if the involvement of any of these people would cause the White House to have concerns about the project. Given the attention we have given to violence in the media, we thought we needed some sort of criteria for review and vetting process – hopefully one that can move quickly, even in the next couple of days.

Attached is the list of individuals we need to consider. Please advise.

Director: Joel Shumacher (films include the very violent film on the snuff pornography industry "8mm," as well as "The Client," "Batman Forever," "Batman and Robin," "Flatliners," "A Time to Kill," "The Babysitter," "Falling Down," "Dying Young," "Cousins," "The Lost Boys," "St. Elmo's Fire," and "The Wiz." He has also produced a public service announcement for MTV as part of their "Fight for Your Rights: Take a Stand Against Violence" campaign.

Potential celebrity participants:

Ben Affleck
Bill Bellamy
Nic Cage
George Clooney
Matt Damon
Taye Diggs
Jaime Foxx
Ethan Hawke
Jaime Kennedy
Chris O'Donnell
Freddie Prinze Jr.
Keanu Reeves
Tom Everett Scott
Will Smith
Eric Stolz
Noah Wyle
Steve Zahn
Jessica Alba
Jennifer Aniston
Drew Barrymore
Halle Berry
Sandra Bullock
Neve Campbell
Courteney Cox
Claire Daines
Helen Hunt
Jewel
Mary Stuart Masterson
Sarah Jessica Parker
Jada Pinkett
LeAnn Rimes
Elisabeth Shue
Uma Thurman
Liv Tyler
Renee Zellweger

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 09:27:31.00

SUBJECT: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Also Tom Freedman.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 12/15/98
09:27 AM -----

Shirley S. Sagawa
12/15/98 09:24:35 AM
Record Type: Record

To: MaryEllen C. McGuire/WHO/EOP
cc:
Subject: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

I want to make sure this gets done today -- can you follow up with Carolyn? The 3 p.m. time now doesn't look good for Thursday (b)(6). The other key participants are Ann Lewis and Bruce Reed (in addition to me and Karen Tramontano). Other invitees are Jen Palmieri, Ann McGuire, Chuck Marr, Elena Kagan, Tanya Martin, Stacie Spector.

----- Forwarded by Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP on 12/15/98
09:22 AM -----

Shirley S. Sagawa
12/14/98 11:42:02 AM
Record Type: Record

To: Carolyn T. Wu/WHO/EOP
cc: MaryEllen C. McGuire/WHO/EOP
Subject: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

Hi Carolyn. Karen wanted the meeting with the Corporation for National Service staff rescheduled for this week. Good times for me are tomorrow at 9:30, Thursday 11 - 2 or 3 - 4. Friday a.m. is also possible. I think those times are okay for CNS staff -- what's Karen's schedule?

ARMS Email SystemRECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 09:25:11.00

SUBJECT: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

TO: MaryEllen C. McGuire (CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

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TEXT:

I want to make sure this gets done today -- can you follow up with Carolyn? The 3 p.m. time now doesn't look good for Thursday (b)(6). The other key participants are Ann Lewis and Bruce Reed (in addition to me and Karen Tramontano). Other invitees are Jen Palmieri, Ann McGuire, Chuck Marr, Elena Kagan, Tanya Martin, Stacie Spector.

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Shirley S. Sagawa
12/14/98 11:42:02 AM
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To: Carolyn T. Wu/WHO/EOP
cc: MaryEllen C. McGuire/WHO/EOP
Subject: Re: Americorps Mtg. scheduling

Hi Carolyn. Karen wanted the meeting with the Corporation for National Service staff rescheduled for this week. Good times for me are tomorrow at 9:30, Thursday 11 - 2 or 3 - 4. Friday a.m. is also possible. I think those times are okay for CNS staff -- what's Karen's schedule?

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CREATOR: Shirley S. Sagawa (CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

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Chuck <ChuckS @ publicallies.org>

02/08/99 03:04:13 PM

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To: Shirley S. Sagawa/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: Public Allies

Hey Shirley, just heard word from CNS that among the names they are sending over to the White House tonight as recommended speakers for the President's AmeriCorps event on Wed., is an Ally, Tara Trimmer, "T.J.". Any internal recommending you could do on our behalf would be greatly appreciated!

I spoke with Pat about he and I coming over and briefing you and Melanne about Public Allies and he thought it was a great idea. When should we shoot for? When is a good week/month for you?

(b)(6)

Hope you are well. We are doing good. Just saw that the President's budget includes millions to refurbish Meridian Park, which is right next to our house. I'll go for that!