

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Leanne I. Johnson (CN=Leanne I. Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-OCT-1997 11:02:55.00

SUBJECT: ISTEА letters

TO: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Mark J. Schwartz (CN=Mark J. Schwartz/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi,

I've four letters to the POTUS from city officials from 4 FL cities (Sunrise, Plantation, S. Daytona, and Destin). The letters are all brief and forward resolutions "supporting the reauthorization if ISTEА and requesting the Congress end the funding inequity that exists for the receipt of funds by the state of Florida."

Following is the standard "resolution" response we send out. Please let me know if we should say more to these city officials.

DRAFT:

Thank you for sending the resolution regarding reauthorization of Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act.

I understand the importance of this issue to the city of _____ and will certainly consider the views expressed in the resolution.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-OCT-1997 11:44:03.00

SUBJECT: Cabinet/ISTEA info

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Just to give you an FYI, I have asked the Cabinet to check in with you about calls they have made for ISTEA/DBE. I have told them we needed to track their involvement. This is per Goody's instructions. Thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-OCT-1997 19:03:18.00

SUBJECT: Re[2]: ISTEAD DBE Target List

TO: Alicia Hirai (CN=Alicia Hirai/OU=who/O=gov @ who [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Please talk to me about this.

----- Forwarded by Jon P. Jennings/WHO/EOP on 10/15/97

07:04 PM -----

OCarter @ osophs.dhhs.gov

10/12/97 11:01:00 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Jon P. Jennings

cc:

Subject: Re[2]: ISTEAD DBE Target List

Jon--I have been out of the office and do not see the
one-pager on DBE. Would you please resend? Thanks!

===== ATTACHMENT 1 =====

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Elisabeth Steele (CN=Elisabeth Steele/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-OCT-1997 10:13:01.00

SUBJECT: More from Andy Blocker

TO: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Thurgood Marshall Jr (CN=Thurgood Marshall Jr/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Kris M Balderston (CN=Kris M Balderston/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Andy is looking for a status report (Kris on Cohen, Jon on ISTEADBE).

He's faxing over new target lists which I will forward to you. Thanks folks!

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-OCT-1997 19:55:08.00

SUBJECT: Re: More from Andy Blocker

TO: Elisabeth Steele (CN=Elisabeth Steele/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I will canvas in the morning where we are on ISTE A and DBE. Please send over the list as soon as you get it. Thanks.

Elisabeth Steele

10/15/97 10:12:57 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Kris M Balderston/WHO/EOP, Jon P. Jennings/WHO/EOP, Thurgood Marshall Jr/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: More from Andy Blocker

Andy is looking for a status report (Kris on Cohen, Jon on ISTE A DBE). He's faxing over new target lists which I will forward to you. Thanks folks!

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Suzanne Dale (CN=Suzanne Dale/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-OCT-1997 18:31:41.00

SUBJECT: Re: Photos -- NEXTEA Event

TO: Mona G. Mohib (CN=Mona G. Mohib/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Can I let them know you'll be the contact and can you let Fred send Gov.
Miller's? Thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Suzanne Dale (CN=Suzanne Dale/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-OCT-1997 18:22:08.00

SUBJECT: Photos -- NEXTEA Event

TO: Mona G. Mohib (CN=Mona G. Mohib/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I got a call from Reta Lewis' office about the photos from the VPOTUS/NEXTEA event -- do you know where they are? Thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Mona G. Mohib (CN=Mona G. Mohib/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-OCT-1997 18:33:40.00

SUBJECT: Re: Photos -- NEXTEA Event

TO: Suzanne Dale (CN=Suzanne Dale/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

that's fine

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Mona G. Mohib (CN=Mona G. Mohib/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-OCT-1997 18:30:33.00

SUBJECT: Re: Photos -- NEXTEA Event

TO: Suzanne Dale (CN=Suzanne Dale/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

haven't seen them yet. i'm not sure they are ready yet.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Melissa Green (CN=Melissa Green/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME:17-OCT-1997 10:23:11.00

SUBJECT: Re: yes, finally

TO: Jason S. Goldberg (CN=Jason S. Goldberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

ISTEA Meeting Monday with Sperling, Slater, Raines, Hilley, and EBB. who should call it? thanks Jason

----- Forwarded by Melissa Green/OPD/EOP on 10/17/97

10:22 AM -----

Dorothy Robyn

10/17/97 09:15:53 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Melissa Green/OPD/EOP

cc:

Subject: Re: yes, finally

The purpose of the meeting is to agree on the Administration's strategy toward likely Senate amendments to the ISTEA bill (bill will be on Sen. floor next week) -- particularly a Gramm-Byrd amendment that has a lot of support and that would have significant budget implications.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Leanne I. Johnson (CN=Leanne I. Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:17-OCT-1997 11:36:36.00

SUBJECT: Conference of Mayors letter

TO: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Dorothy,

Thanks for sending me the NEXTEA info. I've rewritten this draft to focus on the points you suggested. It follows for your review. Dave Worzala is also reviewing it. Please let me know if you have any additional comments. Thanks again for your help with this.

DRAFT:

Thank you for your letter. I appreciate knowing the views of the Conference of Mayors' regarding reauthorization of the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act.

As your letter notes, Representative Shuster's bill, H.R. 2400, takes the same overall approach to reauthorization as my Administration's National Economic Crossroads Transportation Efficiency Act. However, there are several areas where my Administration will seek improvements to the draft proposal. H.R. 2400, as approved by the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, does not provide sufficient funding to help move people from welfare to work. One of the biggest barriers facing people who move from welfare to work -- in cities and in rural areas -- is finding transportation to get to jobs, training programs, and day care centers. My Administration is also concerned that although the House bill expands the job program to include technology jobs and allows training slots to be set aside for welfare recipients, it does not allow states the flexibility to establish hiring preferences for in-state welfare recipients or residents of Empowerment Zones and Enterprise Communities.

NEXTEA commits \$100 million each year to assist states, transit agencies, and non-profit organization's in providing transportation to enable economically disadvantaged persons to get to work and job training. It also increases incentives for state and local governments to provide job training along with federally-funded technology and construction projects, which are among America's best-paying jobs. NEXTEA enables state and local governments to offer hiring preferences to welfare recipients and residents of Empowerment Zones and Enterprise Communities.

My Administration will work very closely with Congress as we seek to craft multi-year reauthorization legislation that is consistent with

the balanced budget agreement, addresses America's infrastructure needs, and helps us meet the transportation challenges of the 21st century.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-OCT-1997 16:32:21.00

SUBJECT: Daschle/Lott Meetings: ISTE A

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

===== ATTACHMENT 1 =====

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ISTEA

The Senate is currently considering S. 1173, the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997. The Administration is pleased that S. 1173 is a 6-year bill, and that it addresses many of the President's priorities as reflected in the Administration's proposal. For example, the bill includes important environmental protection, welfare-to-work, and worker protection provisions; and expands the uses of the highway and mass transit capital funds. However, there are a number of possible amendments to the bill which the Administration would oppose. For example, Senators Byrd and Gramm have an amendment which would increase funding for transportation above the levels agreed upon in the Balanced Budget Agreement and Senator McConnell has an amendment which would repeal the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program.

Note: Further consideration of ISTEA is currently being held up pending the resolution of campaign finance reform.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Leanne I. Johnson (CN=Leanne I. Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-OCT-1997 09:34:35.00

SUBJECT: Re: council of mayors letter

TO: David J. Worzala (CN=David J. Worzala/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Dave,

Following a re-draft of this response per your suggestions. The 3rd paragraph states where the Admin. seeks improvement in H.R. 2400 (welfare, job training). Please let me know if this is okay. Thanks!

DRAFT:

Thank you for your letter. I appreciate knowing the views of the Conference of Mayors' regarding developments on the reauthorization of the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act.

As I am sure you are aware, on October 1 the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure reported out H.R. 2516 - a six-month extension of ISTEA. The Senate is currently deliberating a six-year reauthorization. We will continue to work with the Congress to enact a six-year bill within the confines of the Bipartisan Budget Agreement.

As your letter notes, H.R. 2400 takes a similar programmatic approach to reauthorization as my Administration's National Economic Crossroads Transportation Efficiency Act. However, there are several areas where my Administration will seek improvements to the draft proposal. H.R. 2400, as approved by the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, does not provide sufficient funding to help move people from welfare to work. One of the biggest barriers facing people who move from welfare to work -- in cities and in rural areas - is finding transportation to get to jobs, training programs, and day care centers. My Administration is also concerned that although the House bill expands the job program to include technology jobs and allows training slots to be set aside for welfare recipients, it does not allow states the flexibility to establish hiring preferences for in-state welfare recipients or residents of Empowerment Zones and Enterprise Communities.

My Administration will work very closely with Congress as we seek to craft multi-year reauthorization legislation that is consistent with the balanced budget agreement, addresses America's infrastructure

needs, and helps us meet the transportation challenges of the 21st century.

David J. Worzala
10/17/97 06:55:08 PM
Record Type: Record

To: Leanne I. Johnson/WHO/EOP
cc: David E. Tornquist/OMB/EOP
Subject: council of mayors letter

My comments on the Conference of Mayor's letter are as follows:

1. 1st para - after regarding. insert "developments on the"
2. Insert following para after 1st para

As I am sure you are aware, on October 1 the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure reported out H.R. 2516 - a six-month extension of ISTEA. The Senate is currently deliberating a six-year reauthorization. We will continue to the Congress to enact a six-year bill within the confines of the Bipartisan Budget Agreement

3. change first sentence to begin
As your letter notes, H.R. 2400 takes a similar programmatic approach....

4. In the body of the next para I would suggest we simply list several areas where we see the need for improvement over HR 2400
Welfare to work, job training, etc.

The bulk of the draft response gets at certain policies we support, however their incoming was about funding. By focussing on 6 years and Budget Agreement we are providing an answer without having to address the issue in depth.

End with
My Administration will ...

sorry it took so long DW

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Virginia N. Rustique (CN=Virginia N. Rustique/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-OCT-1997 11:01:24.00

SUBJECT: Today's EB/ISTEA mtg will discuss 6 mo. extension vs. no bill...va

TO: ANDY (Pager) #BLOCKER (ANDY (Pager) #BLOCKER [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: DANIEL (Pager) #TATE (DANIEL (Pager) #TATE [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-OCT-1997 16:45:07.00

SUBJECT: Re: Daschle/Lott Meetings: ISTEА

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Lott and/or Daschle

I am pleased that the Senate is working on a 6-year ISTEА bill as opposed to the 6-month extension passed by the House.

The current ISTEА bill under consideration protects many of my priorities, especially safety, the environment and the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program.

As you know, there will be attempts to bust the budget during consideration of this bill (Byrd-Gramm Amendment). We have stood together in the past to uphold the balanced budget agreement. I hope that we can continue to work together to uphold our agreement.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Katherine Hubbard (CN=Katherine Hubbard/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-OCT-1997 10:42:18.00

SUBJECT: DBE/ISTEA press briefing

TO: Stephen B. Silverman (CN=Stephen B. Silverman/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Thurgood Marshall Jr (CN=Thurgood Marshall Jr/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Elisabeth Steele (CN=Elisabeth Steele/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

FYI:

DOT is briefing reporters today on DBE and ISTEA. Barry Toiv called to get talking points on DOT's briefing for Mike in case Mike is asked any questions.

DOT is sending over talking points to us by noon.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-OCT-1997 09:53:16.00

SUBJECT: Today's ISTEa mtg.

TO: Linda Lance (CN=Linda Lance/OU=CEQ/O=EOP @ EOP [CEQ])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Michael Deich (CN=Michael Deich/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: David E. Tornquist (CN=David E. Tornquist/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Attached is a quick 'n dirty summary of what Secretary Slater wants to discuss at today's 3 pm principals' meeting. Separately, I will forward David Worzala's e-mail laying out the problems of a no-bill scenario.

My description of the Chafee-Domenici amendment is incomplete; Jack Basso has promised to get me a more complete written description this morning, which I will fax around. Jack/DOT seem to prefer Gramm-Byrd without the "first dibs" mechanism (i.e., provide extra contract authority and let the appropriators slug it out) to Chafee-Domenici (establish a fasttrack approval for funds included in the budget resolution). One difference is the forum: Gramm-Byrd relies on the appropriators; Chafee-Domenici bypasses them. Another difference has to do with the cap: Gramm-Byrd would leave the domestic discretionary cap unchanged, despite increasing contract authority. Chafee-Domenici would increase the cap by the amount of additional contract authority provided for ISTEa in the budget res'n.

===== ATTACHMENT 1 =====

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(October 17, 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR ERSKINE BOWLES AND GENE SPERLING

FROM: ` ` Dorothy Robyn

SUBJ: ` ` ISTEA Meeting

On Monday, October 20 at 3 pm, Gene will chair a meeting of the Administration's "core"

ISTEA group. The agenda includes key issues related to the upcoming Senate debate.

X GrammByrd Amendment

This amendment would raise contract (budget) authority for ISTEA by about \$5.5 billion a year and give surface transportation "first dibs" on up to \$31 billion of any future budget surplus that Congress deems should be spent. (Note: There is some debate about whether the "first dibs" mechanism is, in fact, part of GrammByrd.) The amendment has considerable support because it would not raise the domestic discretionary cap and therefore is not seen as violating the balanced budget agreement.

The "first dibs" mechanism is highly objectionable, because it would preempt debate on spending. (Even without that mechanism, the higher levels of contract authority would put pressure on appropriators to raise their allocation to surface transportation.) OMB is circulating for clearance a statement of opposition to GrammByrd.

X| ChafeeDomenici

Sen. Chafee is reportedly livid at Baucus and Warner for supporting GrammByrd. He and Sen. Domenici have countered with a proposal that provides for accelerated consideration of any additional funding for surface transportation that is agreed to as part of the FY99 budget resolution. To elaborate, if next year's budget resolution allocates an additional, say, \$3 billion for highways, the authorizing committees would have 10 days to modify or reject the proposal; at the end of that time, it would automatically go to the full House and Senate for a vote.

Because additional funds could be approved and spent more quickly, this mechanism may give surface transportation a leg up in the budget resolution process, although it's not clear how much of one. Because it bypasses the appropriations committees (and gives more power to the budget committees), we would expect appropriators to oppose it. We do not yet know Sen. Lott's position on Chafee/Domenici or GrammByrd. Question for meeting: What should the Administration's position be toward this amendment?

(0*0*0* X SixMonth Extension vs. No Bill

DOT believes that if GrammByrd passes, there will be far more momentum in the Senate for getting a six-year ISTEA bill. Likewise, Rep. Shuster may well decide he can live with a six-year bill that contains GrammByrd.

Nevertheless, the most likely scenario is that the Senate will run out of time to consider the six-year ISTEA bill (there are more than 40 amendments scheduled for debate). For that reason, the Senate may be faced with a choice between passing either a six-month extension of current law (as the House has done) or no bill at all. According to a former OMB examiner on Sen. Chafee's staff, there is far more sentiment for the latter, because it would force the Congress to pass a multi-year bill next spring. By contrast, because a six-month extension, combined with the existence of several months worth of carryover ISTEA funds, means that the Congress could avoid dealing with a multi-year bill until next fall. Chafee

and other senators want to avoid a showdown with Rep. Shuster in the heat of a campaign, when Members are most hungry for transportation spending.

See attached memo from OMB Examiner David Worzala on the problems of the nobill

Xb scenario. Question for meeting: If the Administration cannot get a sixty day bill, which is

WL preferable a sixmonth extension or no bill at all?

X Other Issues

I will get you information on Monday about a Faircloth amendment that would distort allocation of transit funds.

You may want to review where we stand on the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE)

amendment and whether additional outreach efforts (e.g., by Secretary Cohen) are needed.

===== END ATTACHMENT 1 =====

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Ben A. Freeland (CN=Ben A. Freeland/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-OCT-1997 16:34:59.00

SUBJECT: Re: Daschle/Lott Meetings: ISTE A

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

thanks, I need a few talking points too.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (EXTERNAL MAIL)

CREATOR: Alice E. Shuffield@EOP@LNGTWY@EOPMRX

CREATION DATE/TIME:22-OCT-1997 19:58:00.00

SUBJECT: OMB Legislative Report -- October 22, 1997

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TO: BROWN_JA (BROWN_JA@A1@CD) (OMB)
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TO: WEINSTEIN_D (WEINSTEIN_D@A1@CD)
READ:NOT READ

TO: WALKER_A (WALKER_A@A1@CD) (WHO)
READ:NOT READ

TO: MCKIERNAN_K (MCKIERNAN_K@A1@CD)
READ:NOT READ

TO: LEVIN_P (LEVIN_P@A1@CD)
READ:NOT READ

TO: OLIVER_A (OLIVER_A@A1@CD) (OMB)
READ:NOT READ

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READ:NOT READ

TO: HOGAN_L (HOGAN_L@A1@CD) (OPD)
READ:NOT READ

TO: BENDICK_G (BENDICK_G@A1@CD) (NSC)
READ:22-OCT-1997 20:22:03.41

TO: DAVIS_W (DAVIS_W@A1@CD) (NSC)
READ:23-OCT-1997 08:41:45.20

TO: Jacob J. Lew (Jacob J. Lew@EOP@LNGTWY@EOPMRX)
READ:NOT READ

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FROM: OMB LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

DATE: OCTOBER 22, 1997

SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE REPORT

The House passed the second Continuing Resolution (extending funding through November 7th) today by voice vote. Senate action is expected on Thursday at 11am.

On Thursday, the House Budget Committee will hold a hearing on the budgetary challenges facing America in the next century in Cannon 210 at 10:00 am. The witnesses include: Speaker Gingrich, Chairmen Shuster and Ranking Member Oberstar, Chairman Archer and Health Subcommittee Ranking Members Stark, Republican Conference Chairman Boehner, Mr. Neumann, Mr. Minge, Science Ranking Member Brown, Appropriations Subcommittee Ranking Member Sabo, Appropriations Subcommittee Chairman Kolbe, Grover Norquist of Americans for Tax Reform, William Niskanen, of the Cato Institute, and Bob Greenstein of the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities.

CONGRESS TODAY (10/22)

SENATE

Continued consideration of S. 1173 - Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997 [SAP sent, 10/8 -- support Senate passage, but stating a number of Administration concerns, including making the bill fully consistent with the Bipartisan Budget Agreement]

Began consideration of H.J.Res. 97 - Making Continuing Appropriations for FY 1998 - that extends the 1st CR through November 7th.

HOUSE

Approved (voice vote) H.J.Res. 97 - Making Continuing Appropriations for FY 1998 that extends the 1st CR through November 7th; (Also approved the Rule for consideration by voice vote.)

Passed (248-178) H.R. 1534 - Private Property Rights Implementation Act of 1997 [House Rules SAP sent, 10/21: Attorney General, Interior Secretary, EPA Administrator, & CEQ Chair recommend veto; EPA letter sent, 10/21]

While under consideration of H.R. 1534, the House took the following action:
o Rejected (178-242) Boehlert substitute amendment to strike language to allow a landowner to appeal local land use decisions.

Began consideration of H.R. 2247 - Amtrak Reform and Privatization Act of 1997
(Adopted the Rule by a vote of 226-200)
[House Rules SAP sent 10/21: Administration strongly opposes]

CONGRESS TOMORROW (10/23)

SENATE

Convene at 9:00am for morning business.

At 11:00am, hold a cloture vote on the modified committee amendment to S. 1173 - Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997 (If cloture vote is not invoked on ISTEA at 11am, a second cloture vote could occur on Thursday afternoon.)

[SAP sent, 10/8 -- support Senate passage, but stating a number of Administration concerns, including making the bill fully consistent with the Bipartisan Budget Agreement]

Immediately following the cloture vote on the amendment to S. 1173, the Senate will vote on H.J.Res. 97 - Making Continuing Appropriations for FY 1998 that extends the 1st CR through November 7th. (Measure passed the House on Wednesday by voice vote.)

Return to consideration of Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997

Possible - continue consideration of S. 1156 - District of Columbia FY 1998 Appropriations

[SAP sent, 9/18: Senior Advisers recommend veto if the bill contains the school voucher amendment.]

HOUSE

Meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business.

Consider H.R. 2247 - Amtrak Reform and Privatization Act of 1997 (Open Rule)
[House Rules SAP sent 10/21: Administration strongly opposes]

Consider H.R. 2646 - Education Savings Act for Public and Private Schools (Closed Rule)

[Rules SAP sent, 10/21: Secretaries of Education & Treasury recommend veto; Riley/Rubin letter with veto message sent to all House Members, 10/22]

Continue consideration of H.R. 2204 - Coast Guard Authorization Act of 1997
[SAP sent 10/21: Administration supports House passage, but will continue to seek technical amendments]

CONGRESS THIS WEEK

SENATE

Friday, October 24th

Continue consideration of S. 1173 - Intermodal Surface Transportation

Efficiency Act of 1997

[SAP sent, 10/8 -- support Senate passage, but stating a number of Administration concerns, including making the bill fully consistent with the Bipartisan Budget Agreement]

Consider remaining appropriations conference reports, as available (Interior possible).

Consider Department of Defense Authorization Conference Report for FY98, if available

HOUSE

Friday, October 24th

Meet at 9:00 a.m.

Consider Department of Defense Authorization Conference Report for FY98 (The Conference Report will likely be filed and go to the Rules Committee on Thursday for floor consideration on Friday.)

Consider H.R. 1775 - Intelligence Authorization Conference Report for FY98, if available

Consider H.R. 2107 - Interior FY 1998 Appropriations Conference Report (Subject to a Rule)

[Letter sent 9/30: Senior advisers veto recommendation based on House failure to fund NEA and to provide \$700 million in land acquisition funds (BBA violation); objectionable House/Senate environmental riders.]

Consider the Rule for H.R. 1270 - Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997
[SAP pending: President would veto the bill]

LONG-TERM SCHEDULE

Likely items for consideration the week of October 27th

SENATE

Continue consideration of S. 1173 - Intermodal Surface Transportation

Efficiency Act of 1997

Fast Track Legislation

Adoption Bill

Amtrak Bill

Coast Guard Authorization Bill

HOUSE

H.R. 2616 - Charter Schools Amendments Act of 1997

[Rules SAP currently pending]

H.R. 1270 - Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997

[SAP currently pending]

The following "China bills" (possible the week of November 3rd):

o H.Res. 188 - Urging Action on Iran acquisition of C-802 cruise missile
[No SAP]

o H.R. 967 - Excluding Certain Chinese Officials From the U.S.
[SAP pending: Administration opposes]

o H.R. 2232 - Radio Free Asia Act of 1997

- [No SAP]
- o H.R. 2358 - Political Freedom in China Act
 - [SAP pending: Administration opposes]
- o H.R. 2386 - US-Taiwan Anti-Ballistic Missile Defense Cooperation Act
 - [SAP pending: Administration opposes]
- o H.R. 2570 - Forced Abortion Condemnation Act
 - [SAP pending: Administration opposes]
- o H.R. 2580 - Monitor People's Liberation Army of China's Commercial Activities in U.S.
 - [SAP pending: Administration opposes]
- o H.R. 2195 Laogai Slave Labor Products Act of 1997
 - [No SAP]

BILLS IN CONFERENCE:

- o Foreign Affairs Reform and Restructuring Act
- o Foreign Ops Appropriations
- o Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations
- o Interior Appropriations (not filed yet)
- o CJS Appropriations
- o Ex-Im (conferees are trying to work out issues before conferencing)

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Charles E. Kieffer (CN=Charles E. Kieffer/OU=OMB/O=EOP [OMB])

CREATION DATE/TIME:23-OCT-1997 10:57:49.00

SUBJECT: Draft signing statement on FY 98 Transportation Bill

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TEXT:

The enrolled bill memo and draft signing statement on the FY 98 Transpo bill should be delivered to the WW today. It is expected that the President will sign the bill on Monday.

One issue for the draft signing statement. Much of the money in the bill can not be made available for obligation until ISTEA is extended. Therefore, the draft signing statement has the President urging the Congress to pass a multi-year extender during this session of Congress.

Senate action on the six year authorization bill is currently complicated by campaign finance. Based on your continuing discussions with Daschle on this issue, it may or may not be appropriate for us to make this ISTEA statement on Monday.

Just wanted to put this on everyone's radar screen for your consideration.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Leanne I. Johnson (CN=Leanne I. Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:23-OCT-1997 16:26:04.00

SUBJECT: ISTEА letters

TO: David J. Worzala (CN=David J. Worzala/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Dave,

Mark said he forwarded this to you. He thought this response was fine, but that I should get your input. Please let me know if this is okay. Also, have you had a chance to review the revised draft to the Conference of Mayors. Thanks.

----- Forwarded by Leanne I. Johnson/WHO/EOP on 10/23/97
04:04 PM -----

Leanne I. Johnson
10/14/97 11:02:49 AM
Record Type: Record

To: Mark J. Schwartz/OMB/EOP, Dorothy Robyn/OPD/EOP

cc:

Subject: ISTEА letters

Hi,

I've four letters to the POTUS from city officials from 4 FL cities (Sunrise, Plantation, S. Daytona, and Destin). The letters are all brief and forward resolutions "supporting the reauthorization if ISTEА and requesting the Congress end the funding inequity that exists for the receipt of funds by the state of Florida."

Following is the standard "resolution" response we send out. Please let me know if we should say more to these city officials.

DRAFT:

Thank you for sending the resolution regarding reauthorization of Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act.

I understand the importance of this issue to the city of _____ and will certainly consider the views expressed in the resolution.

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CREATOR: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:23-OCT-1997 12:28:36.00

SUBJECT: ISTEAs calls

TO: Thurgood Marshall Jr (CN=Thurgood Marshall Jr/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Kris M Balderston (CN=Kris M Balderston/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Word is that if Cohen can call Collins that is all that is needed. Snowe seems to be in the fold. Thanks

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CREATOR: Julie E. Mason (CN=Julie E. Mason/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:25-OCT-1997 15:40:57.00

SUBJECT: OMB Legislative Report -- October 24, 1997

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FROM: OMB LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

DATE: OCTOBER 24, 1997

SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE REPORT

Today Senators Byrd and Moynihan introduced a bill S. 1319 to repeal the Line Item Veto Act.

CONGRESS TODAY (10/24)

SENATE

Failed (43-49) to invoke cloture on the modified committee amendment to S. 1173, the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997. (Cloture was also defeated twice on Thursday.) Senator Lott today filed another cloture motion on the modified committee amendment. This fourth cloture vote will occur on Tuesday. Lott has indicated this will be the last cloture attempt on ISTEA.

[SAP sent, 10/8: Administration supports Senate passage, but has a number of concerns, including making the bill fully consistent with the Bipartisan Budget Agreement.]

Passed (UC) H.R. 2013 - Designating the David B. Champagne Post Office Building, clearing the measure for the President

HOUSE

Adopted (233-171) H.R. 2107 - Interior Appropriations Conference Report
(Adopted the Rule by a vote of 247-166)

[Letter sent 9/30: Senior advisers veto recommendation based on House failure to fund NEA and to provide \$700 million in land acquisition funds (BBA violation); objectionable House/Senate environmental riders.]

Continued consideration of, but did not complete action on H.R. 2247 - Amtrak Reform and Privatization Act of 1997 (Open Rule)

[House Rules SAP sent 10/21: Administration strongly opposes]
While under consideration of H.R. 2247, the House took the following action:

- o LaTourette proposed an amendment to replace Shuster's labor reforms with a proposal similar to the Administration's. Representative Quinn offered a perfecting amendment that would have effectively wiped out the LaTourette amendment. The Quinn perfecting amendment was rejected by a vote of 198-223. Subsequently, Chairman Shuster pulled the bill from the floor to avoid votes on the underlying LaTourette amendment (a vote for labor and against Shuster) and final passage.

Rejected (168-244) Motion to Adjourn

CONGRESS-- WEEK OF OCTOBER 27th

SENATE

Monday, October 27th

Convene at 12 noon for morning business and at 1:00pm for legislative business.

(Possible) Continue consideration of S. 1173, the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997 (Fourth Cloture vote to occur on Tuesday)

[SAP sent, 10/8: Administration supports Senate passage, but has a number of concerns, including making the bill fully consistent with the Bipartisan Budget Agreement.]

(Possible) Vote on Federal Reserve Board Nominations

At 5:00pm, the Senate will have a rollcall vote on the confirmation of Algenan Marbley, to be a U.S. District Judge in Ohio

Possible vote on H.R. 2107 - Interior Appropriations Conference Report
(The Conference Report passed the House on Friday by a vote of 233-171)

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(Possible) Consider legislation regarding a threatened Amtrak Strike

Tuesday, October 28th and balance of the week:

On Tuesday, hold a cloture vote on modified committee amendment to S. 1173, the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997

[SAP sent, 10/8: Administration supports Senate passage, but has a number of concerns, including making the bill fully consistent with the Bipartisan Budget Agreement.]

Consider H.R. 1119 - Department of Defense Authorization Conference Report for FY98, if available

Continue consideration of S. 1156 - District of Columbia FY 1998

Appropriations or H.R. 2607, the House-passed version

[SAP sent, 9/18: Senior Advisers recommend veto if the bill contains the school voucher amendment.]

Consider remaining appropriations conference reports, as available.

HOUSE

Monday, October 27th

No Votes

Tuesday, October 28th

Convene at 12:30pm for morning business and at 2:00 pm for legislative business. No recorded votes expected before 5:00pm.

Consider the following 3 bills under suspension of the rules:

- o H.Res. 139 - Dollars to Classroom Act
[SAP under discussion]
- o S. 1227 - Amending the Employee Retirement Income Security Act to Clarify Treatment of Investment Managers
[No SAP - informally support]
- o S. 923 - A Bill to Deny Veterans Benefits to Persons Convicted of Federal Capital Offenses
[No SAP]
- o H.R. 2367 - Veterans Compensation Cost-of-Living Adjustment Act of 1997
[SAP pending: Administration strongly supports]
- o H.R. 2644 - United States-Caribbean Trade Partnership Act
[SAP under discussion]
- o H.R. 1484 - Designating the J. Roy Roland Federal Courthouse
[No SAP]
- o H.R. 1479 - Designating the David W. Dyer Federal Courthouse
[No SAP]

Consider H.R. 1119 - Defense Authorization Conference Report for FY98 (Subject to a Rule)

Consider H.R. 1270 - Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997 (Structured Rule)
[House SAP sent, 10/24: President would veto the bill]

Wednesday, October 29th, and the balance of the week

Consider H.R. 2493 - Providing for Uniform Management of Livestock Grazing on Federal Lands (Subject to a Rule)

[SAP pending: Secretary of the Interior recommends veto]

H.R. 2616 - Charter Schools Amendments Act of 1997 (Subject to a Rule)
(School Vouchers bill may get attached to the bill)

[Rules SAP sent, 9/23: Administration supports House passage, but has concerns about provisions in the bill that would extend, from 3 years to 5, the period for which Federal assistance could be provided to individual charter schools.]

(Possible) Consider H.R. ___ HELP Scholarships Act (i.e. School Vouchers bill) (Subject to a Rule)

[SAP under discussion; Secretary veto letter cleared for Committee action - markup postponed]

Consider H.R. 2614 - Reading Excellence Act (Subject to a Rule)

[SAP under development]

Consider remaining conference reports, as available

LONG-TERM SCHEDULE

SENATE

Fast Track legislation

Adoption Bill

Coast Guard Authorization Bill

(possible) Endangered Species Act legislation

HOUSE

The following &China bills 8 (possible the week of November 3rd):

- o H.Res. 188 - Urging Action on Iran acquisition of C-802 cruise missile

[No SAP]

- o H.R. 967 - Excluding Certain Chinese Officials From the U.S.

[SAP pending: Administration opposes]

- o H.R. 2232 - Radio Free Asia Act of 1997

[No SAP]

- o H.R. 2358 - Political Freedom in China Act

[SAP pending: Administration opposes]

- o H.R. 2386 - US-Taiwan Anti-Ballistic Missile Defense Cooperation Act

[SAP pending: Administration opposes]

- o H.R. 2570 - Forced Abortion Condemnation Act

[SAP pending: Administration opposes]

- o H.R. 2580 - Monitor People's Liberation Army of China's Commercial Activities in U.S.

[SAP pending: Administration opposes]

- o H.R. 2195 Laogai Slave Labor Products Act of 1997

[No SAP]

Consider implementing legislation for the Chemical Weapons Convention (Iran Missile Proliferation Sanctions Act may get attached to the legislation in the Rules Committee.)

BILLS IN CONFERENCE:

- o Foreign Ops Appropriations

- o Labor/HHS/Education Appropriations
- o Commerce/Justice/State Appropriations
- o Ex-Im (Conferees are trying to work out issues before conferencing)
- o Intelligence Authorization Bill

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CREATOR: Judi Gold (CN=Judi Gold/OU=DOT/O=GOV [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME:27-OCT-1997 11:02:37.00

SUBJECT: NAFTA, per your discussion with Mike Huerta. Has also been faxed.

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

1, 1997

August

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Rodney E. Slater
Secretary of Transportation

SUBJECT: NAFTA Corridors

I understand that during your address to the National Association of Black Journalists a question was raised about the designation of certain highways as NAFTA Corridors.

In summary, there is no legal designation of any road or highway as a NAFTA Corridor. This is a designation many interest groups are urging the Administration to support so that they will then be able to seek dedicated funding. Typically these interest groups are made up of industry and local government officials who see such improvements facilitating economic growth including development of good jobs. They believe NAFTA Corridors and specialized improvements for these routes would speed the delivery of goods, while making it safer and more economical for shippers. A number of others, specifically environmental organizations, oppose route improvements because of negative environmental impacts and because they believe NAFTA destroys jobs.

The Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act (ISTEA) Section 1105 (a-e) does identify twenty nine (29) high priority corridors, some of which are along existing routes, others are not. It is important to understand that in some instances, proponents advocate NAFTA Corridor designation for routes that are not currently built. They believe such designation would improve their chances for funding. For example, I-69 currently runs from Indianapolis to Port Huron; proponents of I-69 as a NAFTA Corridor are actually arguing for a new route which would go south to the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Existing Interstates and other routes that are advocated as NAFTA Corridors are already designated as part of the National Highway System (NHS), which made them eligible for dedicated funds for planning and

feasibility studies from the NHS Program, the Department's largest single dedicated funding program.

The current ISTEA legislation as well as the Administration's NEXTEA proposal does not mandate funding for high priority corridors. However, a NEXTEA program would set aside \$3 million per year for planning of any multi state corridors (including, but not limited to NAFTA and high priority corridors), as well as \$42 million per year for improvements at border facilities.

We see no need to add another category of funding for NAFTA Corridors. This would decrease the flexibility we are attempting to provide to state and local governments and could create duplicate grant requests. FHWA continues to maintain a cooperative relationship with proponents of specific designations, but as a Department we continue to believe that determination of use of funds should be made at the state and local level.

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CREATION DATE/TIME:27-OCT-1997 11:02:50.00

SUBJECT: Illinois

TO: Cabinet Affairs (Cabinet Affairs [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

MEMORANDUM TO STEVE SILVERMAN CABINET AFFAIRS

FROM: Michael Huerta
Chief of Staff

SUBJECT: Background Information - Chicago, IL

DATE: June 23, 1997

The following is information on Chicago, IL issues. Please contact me or Murray Rapp at 418-8131 if you have any questions.

Noise Issues at Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD): After several failed attempts by Chicago Mayor Daley, the Illinois General Assembly and Representative Hyde to create a suburban Chicago O'Hare Noise Commission, Mayor Daley created the O'Hare Noise Commission whose charter does not preclude O'Hare development (new runways). The Mayor's initiative promised \$210 million in noise mitigation spending for school and residential soundproofing for O'Hare noise impacted communities. On June 28, 1996, the FAA approved the soundproofing of 25 schools and 3,000 homes within communities affected by O'Hare noise as part of a \$200 million Passenger Facility Charge (PFC) application submitted by the City of Chicago.

The Mayor's O'Hare Noise Commission received a negative reaction from the Suburban O'Hare Commission (SOC), an 11-community coalition that lobbies against O'Hare's expansion. The Mayor invited all 21 entities surrounding O'Hare to join the O'Hare Noise Commission. The 11 SOC member communities did not accept this offer. Mayor Daley denied that this noise commission is tied to any effort to allow new runway construction at O'Hare as those in opposition to this initiative allege.

South Suburban Airport, Peotone Illinois: In July 1994, a state-sponsored study recommended locating an air carrier airport near Peotone on the south side of the Chicago metropolitan area. FAA is reviewing an airport layout plan for seven runways covering 24,000 acres, and a cost of \$2.3 billion for initial development including two runways. The FAA is engaged

in an airspace study and an environmental impact study. These functions, the only Federal role, are routinely done at the request of any proponent. The Suburban OpHare Commission, a coalition of municipalities around OpHare Airport, supports the Peotone Airport. They see this as a way to limit traffic growth at OpHare and reduce noise. The chief executives of 16 airlines wrote Governor Edgar in January 1995 expressing their opposition to the Peotone Airport. The City of Chicago vigorously opposes the Peotone Airport.

Highway Funds/Statewide: Over the past four years Illinois obligated \$2,785.4 million in Federal-aid highway apportionments including approximately \$1 billion for the Chicago metropolitan area. These funds are generating approximately 117,300 jobs statewide, both direct jobs (on- and off-site highway construction jobs), indirect jobs (in supply industries like cement, steel, etc.), and induced jobs (jobs created when the profits and wages received by workers in the highway construction and supply industries are invested or spent).

State Support for NEXTEA: IDOT is supportive of reauthorization that is very similar to ISTEAA--they are in agreement with the northeastern states in the tune it, don't toss its position. Two major program areas they would like to see in NEXTEA are an Interstate 4R discretionary program and a major bridge discretionary program.

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CREATOR: Jessica L. Gibson (CN=Jessica L. Gibson/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:27-OCT-1997 12:28:46.00

SUBJECT: Gingrich briefing memo

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Attached is a copy of the ISTEA section of the briefing paper that went to the President for his mtg w. Leader Lott. We are using the parameters of that briefing memo to write the Gingrich memo for tomorrow's mtg. Janet has asked that revisions, comments, additions come into the office by 1:00 or at the latest 2:00pm today so that we can get the Gingrich memo to John. Could you look at the ISTEA section and see what changes need to be made for Gingrich and e-mail me asap. Thanks.

4) ISTEA:

The Senate is currently considering S. 1173, the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997. The Administration is pleased that S. 1173 is a 6-year bill, and that it addresses many of the President's priorities as reflected in the Administration's proposal. For example, the bill includes important environmental protection, welfare-to-work, and worker protection provisions; and expands the uses of the highway and mass transit capital funds. However, there are a number of possible amendments to the bill which the Administration would oppose. For example, Senators Byrd and Gramm have an amendment which would increase funding for transportation above the levels agreed upon in the Balanced Budget Agreement and Senator McConnell has an amendment which would repeal the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (PAGER)

CREATOR: Mail Link Monitor (MAILMGT) (SYS)

CREATION DATE/TIME:28-OCT-1997 10:21:22.08

SUBJECT: PAGER CONFIRMATION - HILLEY,JOHN

TO: Dario J. Gomez (GOMEZ_D) Autoforward to: Remote Addressee (Dario J.
Gomez@eop@lngtwy@eopmr) (WHO)
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TEXT:

PAGE FOR HILLEY,JOHN, WAS TRANSMITTED 28-OCT-1997 10:19:02.41

TEXT TRANSMITTED WAS:

FYI, THE SENATE IS VOTING ON MOTION TO INVOKE CLOTURE ON ISTE A FOR 4TH TIME.

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recipient was out of range or his/her pager was not operating, then
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CREATOR: Mona G. Mohib (CN=Mona G. Mohib/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:28-OCT-1997 09:57:20.00

SUBJECT: Staff Meeting

TO: Lynn G. Cutler (CN=Lynn G. Cutler/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Senior Staff

Impending Amtrak Strike has been delayed for at least a week.

ISTEA will be "off the table" today at 10 am. There is still a chance for a six month extension of the construction portion of the bill. That is not a given.

Look for a memo on failed schools today.

There will be a new phone call procedure for the President. John Podesta is developing it.

IGA Staff

Review the Christmas Card list in your box. It is due to Cecily asap.

There will be a fast track event this Friday in Florida. Sky and Emily are working with Ann.

Look for some race and ethnicity paper today.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: David J. Worzala (CN=David J. Worzala/OU=OMB/O=EOP [OMB])

CREATION DATE/TIME:30-OCT-1997 14:40:32.00

SUBJECT: Resolution letters.

TO: Leanne I. Johnson (CN=Leanne I. Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I would simply add a sentence in the middle of the response saying something like

"As you are aware, the Administration propped a 6 year reauthorization proposal, the National Economic Crossroads Transportation Efficiency Act (NEXTEA) in March, and Congress is currently considering their own proposals. "

I would also add "and the Nation" after the city name.

Good Luck DW

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:31-OCT-1997 11:52:50.00

SUBJECT: Re: Week Ahead -- Final Draft

TO: Glen M. Weiner (CN=Glen M. Weiner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

The Congressional stuff looks wrong to me -- are you sure ISTEA is coming up now ? I thought it was over. Campaign Finance has a date for a vote -- plus Thompson is about to make an announcement -- please recheck.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Thomas D. Janenda (CN=Thomas D. Janenda/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:31-OCT-1997 14:54:30.00

SUBJECT:

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

We have left the ISTEAs in b/c there are several press mentions that it may in fact come up. Lott, I believe, said he was "done" with it before they came to an agreement on the campaign finance vote.

And, we have changed the "???" section of the Thompson hearings to a definite "no" on continued hearings.

Thank you for your edits. I plan to get it out to people soon.

-- TDJ

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-NOV-1997 14:17:34.00

SUBJECT: ISTE A

TO: Thurgood Marshall Jr (CN=Thurgood Marshall Jr/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Elisabeth Steele (CN=Elisabeth Steele/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Secretary Pena called to let us know that he called Senators Bob Graham and Ben Nighthorse Campbell. They both indicated their support of the Administration's position on the amendment.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-NOV-1997 17:14:20.00

SUBJECT: NEXTEA

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Cld you respond to Lynn Cutler and cc me and Jon Kaplan; thx.

----- Forwarded by Dorothy Robyn/OPD/EOP on 11/03/97

05:13 PM -----

Jonathan A. Kaplan

11/03/97 10:04:14 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Dorothy Robyn/OPD/EOP

cc: Russell W. Horwitz/OPD/EOP

Subject: NEXTEA

Lynn Cutler asked me in front of about 40 people this morning where we stand on the six-month extension of NEXTEA. I obviously said that we'd get back to her. Sylvia then said that Lynn might want to check with Leg Affairs, which unfortunately was not represented at the meeting.

If you know anything about the status of this, could you please let Lynn know, and cc me? If so, you might also let her know who in Leg you've worked with on this. Thanks.

Jon

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Lynn G. Cutler (CN=Lynn G. Cutler/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-NOV-1997 18:07:36.00

SUBJECT: Re: NEXTEA

TO: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

that's good information and sounds like a good plan.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-NOV-1997 19:24:54.00

SUBJECT: NEXTEA

TO: Lynn G. Cutler (CN=Lynn G. Cutler/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Jonathan A. Kaplan (CN=Jonathan A. Kaplan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Andy reminded me in a voicemail that DOT is testifying tomorrow as to what it needs, just to continue administering the safety and other programs w/ unobligated balances, if there is no authorization bill. You shld get that draft testimony from OMB if you want more detail. We don't take a position on whether there shld be an extension -- just indicate what needs to be done to keep ;things operating

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Lynn G. Cutler (CN=Lynn G. Cutler/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-NOV-1997 18:00:29.00

SUBJECT: NEXTEA

TO: Fred DuVal (CN=Fred DuVal/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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----- Forwarded by Lynn G. Cutler/WHO/EOP on 11/03/97
06:00 PM -----

Dorothy Robyn
11/03/97 05:28:13 PM
Record Type: Record

To: Lynn G. Cutler/WHO/EOP
cc: Ananias Blocker III/WHO/EOP, Jonathan A. Kaplan/OPD/EOP
Subject: NEXTEA

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 3-NOV-1997 17:28:17.00

SUBJECT: NEXTEA

TO: Lynn G. Cutler (CN=Lynn G. Cutler/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Jonathan A. Kaplan (CN=Jonathan A. Kaplan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Katherine Hubbard (CN=Katherine Hubbard/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 4-NOV-1997 20:20:02.00

SUBJECT: ISTEAD/DBE

TO: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Thurgood Marshall Jr (CN=Thurgood Marshall Jr/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Kris M Balderston (CN=Kris M Balderston/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Apparently, Pena made calls on ISTEAD/DBE to Graham, Gorton and Campbell. Campbell and Graham are yes' and Gorton wants additional information. He wants a legal analysis of DBE. Since I haven't been very involved with this effort, please let me know if I should call DOT for that information or if the NEC has it so we can get it to Liz Montoya.

Thanks so much.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Charles Konigsberg (CN=Charles Konigsberg/OU=OMB/O=EOP [OMB])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 4-NOV-1997 14:45:58.00

SUBJECT: URGENT -- ISTEА

TO: Michael Deich (CN=Michael Deich/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: James A. Brown (CN=James A. Brown/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: James C. Murr (CN=James C. Murr/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Sally Katzen (CN=Sally Katzen/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Jill M. Blickstein (CN=Jill M. Blickstein/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Lawrence J. Haas (CN=Lawrence J. Haas/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Theodore Wartell (CN=Theodore Wartell/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Jacob J. Lew (CN=Jacob J. Lew/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Lisa M. Kountoupes (CN=Lisa M. Kountoupes/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: David J. Worzala (CN=David J. Worzala/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Kenneth L. Schwartz (CN=Kenneth L. Schwartz/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: James J. Jukes (CN=James J. Jukes/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: G. E. DeSeve (CN=G. E. DeSeve/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Janet Himler (CN=Janet Himler/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Joseph J. Minarik (CN=Joseph J. Minarik/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Patricia E. Romani (CN=Patricia E. Romani/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Joshua Gotbaum (CN=Joshua Gotbaum/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Charles E. Kieffer (CN=Charles E. Kieffer/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: David E. Tornquist (CN=David E. Tornquist/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Franklin D. Raines (CN=Franklin D. Raines/OU=OMB/O=EOP@EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

Charles Konigsberg (CN=Charles Konigsberg/OU=OMB/O=EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

FYI -- At this morning's EPW hearing on ISTEА, Chairman Chafee and Subcomm. Chair Warner expressed interest in Sen. Bond's proposal for a temporary extension. Under the Bond proposal:

(1) states would be given flexibility to spend unobligated balances in any category (Warner said there are \$12 b in balances); and

(2) states would be given authority to make obligations up to the higher of the first six months of obligations in 96 or 97 -- which amounts would then be credited against the eventual 98 allocation [essentially borrowing against future authority].

Bond's legislative language will be available later this afternoon. The underlying idea of Bond's proposal is to avoid near-term shutdowns, without opening up the allocation formula.

While Lott is continuing to blame Democrats for ISTEА not moving on the Floor, he is now expressing willingness to work with EPW on finding a "reasonable" option for temporary extension legislation. However, Lott is adamant about not doing anything which removes the need to act on a multiyear bill early in 1998.

Ranking Member Baucus said at the hearing that the House extension is not an option.

Gov. Paul Patton of Kentucky testified at the hearing and distributed a letter from 39 governors warning of the serious consequences of failing to extend critical programs, including: cut backs in truck safety inspections, drunk and drugged driving enforcement, child safety seat purchases, and critical bridge repairs. Also testifying were DOT, the commercial vehicle safety alliance, and associated general contractors of America.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 4-NOV-1997 12:25:41.00

SUBJECT: Erskine's call to Sen. Kerry

TO: Jason S. Goldberg (CN=Jason S. Goldberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Jonathan Orszag (CN=Jonathan Orszag/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Gene B. Sperling (CN=Gene B. Sperling/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

--As you know, our NEXTEA proposal was much more favorable to Massachusetts than the current Senate ISTE A bill is. I pledge that we will work with you to try to make the final ISTE A bill is acceptable to MA. However, as you know, the ISTE A state-by-state formula is a matter that Congress will debate and, ultimately, decide; it is difficult for us to dictate -- although we can influence -- the outcome.

--We have more flexibility when it comes to specific programs within ISTE A. For example, we are pushing hard to increase overall funding for the programs that most benefit the northeast states -- CMAQ (Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality program), the bridge program, Interstate Maintenance, and Interstate Reimbursement. And we have discretion in the way those programs are implemented.

--In sum, let us work with you to try to influence the funding formula in Massachusetts' favor and increase overall funding for the programs that will most directly help Massachusetts.

--Is there anything else we can try to do to help?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Victoria Radd (CN=Victoria Radd/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 4-NOV-1997 09:26:27.00

SUBJECT: Call to John Kerry

TO: Gene B. Sperling (CN=Gene B. Sperling/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Russell W. Horwitz (CN=Russell W. Horwitz/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Craig T. Smith (CN=Craig T. Smith/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Susan A. Brophy (CN=Susan A. Brophy/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Last night, Gene Sperling agreed to call Senator John Kerry about ISTEА.
This morning, he was talking about someone else making the call. We never
reached closure. I want to make sure that Gene calls him -- or else that
some other knowledgeable senior staff person has been designated to call.

This obviously must be done before the Democratic Senators lunch, because
then they are rolling into the vote.

Let me know.

V.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Suzanne Dale (CN=Suzanne Dale/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1997 20:11:55.00

SUBJECT: Talking Points on ISTEA Extension

TO: Emily Bromberg (CN=Emily Bromberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Sky Gallegos (CN=Sky Gallegos/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

FYI

----- Forwarded by Suzanne Dale/WHO/EOP on 11/05/97 08:10 PM -----

Dorothy Robyn

11/05/97 08:10:33 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP

cc: Suzanne Dale/WHO/EOP

Subject: Talking Points on ISTEA Extension

---The Administration continues to support enactment of a multi-year ISTEA reauthorization bill as soon as possible, and we believe our NEXTEA proposal, forwarded last March, provides a sound basis for action. However, to date, Congress has been unable to agree on multi-year legislation, and time is running out.

---Congress MUST take some action to address safety funding needs and administrative costs for key DOT programs before it recesses (and we have communicated this to them). At a minimum, Congress must pass a short-term bill that (1) provides the funds necessary for critical safety and motor carrier grant programs; and (2) provides the funds necessary to avoid a shut-down of the Federal Highway Administration and the federal-aid highway program.

---As you know, the House passed a straight six-month extension of current law in September. The leading proposal in the Senate (Sen. Kit Bond) is a modified six-month extension; it would:

- a. Give states significant flexibility to use their unobligated balances (i.e., funds in different programs would be fungible);
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---We anticipate that Congress will enact some kind of six-month/short-term extension before it recesses.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1997 09:02:10.00

SUBJECT: Re: ISTEА/DBE

TO: Thurgood Marshall Jr (CN=Thurgood Marshall Jr/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Katherine Hubbard (CN=Katherine Hubbard/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Andy Blocker has been our contact, but I let him know about these calls last week. Liz Montoya called me about this.

Thurgood Marshall Jr
11/05/97 08:59:14 AM
Record Type: Record

To: Katherine Hubbard/WHO/EOP
cc: Jon P. Jennings/WHO/EOP, Stephen B. Silverman/WHO/EOP, Kris M Balderston/WHO/EOP
Subject: Re: ISTEА/DBE

Jon -- Is Tracey Thornton our contact on this or Nancy McFadden at DOT?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1997 20:10:38.00

SUBJECT: Talking Points on ISTEA Extension

TO: Mickey Ibarra (CN=Mickey Ibarra/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Suzanne Dale (CN=Suzanne Dale/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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CREATOR: Mickey Ibarra (CN=Mickey Ibarra/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1997 20:27:31.00

SUBJECT: Re: Talking Points on ISTE A Extension

TO: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Suzanne Dale (CN=Suzanne Dale/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Dorothy, do we prefer the House extension passed or do we prefer the Senate approach (Bond) or neither?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Thurgood Marshall Jr (CN=Thurgood Marshall Jr/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1997 08:59:21.00

SUBJECT: Re: ISTEAD/DBE

TO: Katherine Hubbard (CN=Katherine Hubbard/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Kris M Balderston (CN=Kris M Balderston/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Stephen B. Silverman (CN=Stephen B. Silverman/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Jon P. Jennings (CN=Jon P. Jennings/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-NOV-1997 19:50:28.00

SUBJECT: Draft Talking Points on ISTEA Extension

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

---The Administration continues to support enactment of a multi-year ISTEA reauthorization bill as soon as possible, and we believe our NEXTEA proposal, forwarded last March, provides a sound basis for action. However, to date, Congress has been unable to reach agreement on multi-year legislation, and time is running out on this session of Congress.

---If Congress does not take some action to address safety funding needs and administrative costs for key DOT agencies before it recesses, there will be a significant impact on critical programs and personnel. At a minimum, Congress must pass a short-term bill that does two things: 1) provides the funds necessary for critical safety and motor carrier grant programs; and 2) provides the funds necessary to avoid a shut-down of the Federal Highway Administration and the Federal-aid Highway program. We have communicated this to Congress.

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Cynthia A. Rice (CN=Cynthia A. Rice/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 9-NOV-1997 18:29:33.00

SUBJECT: 6 month transportation extension

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I saw in the paper that the Senate finally passed a six month extension of ISTEA. Has the House also? When the President signs it, we will obviously won't have a ceremony, but will we release a statement? If so, we could once again lay down our principles of what's important in the reauthorization such as welfare to work transportation. Let me know what's happening and what I can do to help.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dorothy Robyn (CN=Dorothy Robyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME:10-NOV-1997 18:39:28.00

SUBJECT: One Pager on ISTE A Compromise

TO: Lynn G. Cutler (CN=Lynn G. Cutler/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Cynthia A. Rice (CN=Cynthia A. Rice/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Mickey Ibarra (CN=Mickey Ibarra/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

fyi

----- Forwarded by Dorothy Robyn/OPD/EOP on 11/10/97

06:38 PM -----

David E. Tornquist

11/10/97 06:26:37 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Dorothy Robyn/OPD/EOP

cc:

Subject: One Pager on ISTE A Compromise

----- Forwarded by David E. Tornquist/OMB/EOP on 11/10/97

06:26 PM -----

David J. Worzala

11/10/97 05:19:58 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Michael Deich/OMB/EOP@EOP

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

Subject: One Pager on ISTE A Compromise

Attached is the one-pager you requested on the ISTE A Compromise. It passed the Senate this afternoon. If you have any questions, give me a call. DW

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To:

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===== ATTACHMENT 1 =====

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TEXT:

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Summary of Congressional Agreement on Short-term ISTEA Reauthorization

On Monday (11/10) the Senate passed the Surface Transportation Extension Act of 1997 (S. 1519) as a compromise measure to extend the authorization of the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act (ISTEA). This legislation is expected to be acted upon favorably by the House when they return. Since the legislation essentially extends ISTEA, the RMO does not expect any objections to the legislation. Below is a summary of the key points of the legislation.

Funding

In total, S. 1519 provides \$8.7 billion in new contract authority (CA) for highway, highway safety, and transit programs.

- For the Federal Highway Administration, \$6.1 billion in new CA is provided. This is in addition to the \$10 billion in carryover CA brought into FY 1998. However, highway obligations are limited to \$9.8 billion for 6 months, a level that only permits States to obligate a minimum of 50% of FY 1997 levels and a maximum of 75% of FY 1997 levels. Included in the \$9.8 billion limitation is approximately 6 months worth of FHWA operating expenses and research program funding. The CA for these programs is provided through a combination of new CA and temporary borrowing of unobligated CA.
- For the Federal Transit Administration, \$2.5 billion in new CA is provided. Combined with carryover CA, Transit has over 60% of the CA necessary to fund the FY 1998 obligation limitation of \$4.5 billion for transit grants.
- For the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, \$96 million in CA is provided for highway safety grant programs. This equates to approximately 6 months of funding.

Flexibility – The bill includes a provision that allows States to transfer both existing and new contract authority between programs. All program funding may be transferred and be used for any currently eligible surface transportation projects, including highway, highway safety, or transit projects.

Payback – While the bill provides States the flexibility to shift funds between programs, the original funding must be repaid for the original purpose after the passage of a multi-year reauthorization.

Cutoff date – The bill prohibits any obligation of funding after May 1, 1998 unless a multi-year reauthorization is passed. This is intended to keep pressure on Congress to pass a multi-year bill early next year.

States may also use new contract authority as follows:

If a state's unobligated balances are less than 50 percent of their contract authority in '97, they are then given new CA to bump them up to 50 percent (the new CA will be netted against their eventual allocation under ISTEA-II)

If a state's unobligated balances would give them more than 75 percent of their contract authority in '97, then they must live within an ob limit of 75%;

-- Transit: 6 months extension; and

-- Safety: 6 months extension.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Leanne I. Johnson (CN=Leanne I. Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:13-NOV-1997 15:07:42.00

SUBJECT: Gov. Voinovich incoming

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Hi Lisa,

Can we AP this incoming re: 6-month extension of ISTEAA. (Letter also signed by Int'l City/County Mgmt Assoc., Nat'l Assoc of Counties, Nat'l Conf. of State Leg., Nat'l League of Cities, Coun. of State Gov., and U.S. Conf. of Mayors)

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Kim C. Nakahara (CN=Kim C. Nakahara/OU=OMB/O=EOP [OMB])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-NOV-1997 17:11:14.00

SUBJECT: Blurb on ISTEA 6-month extension

TO: Leanne I. Johnson (CN=Leanne I. Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: David E. Tornquist (CN=David E. Tornquist/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

Kim C. Nakahara (CN=Kim C. Nakahara/OU=OMB/O=EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Sorry for the delay in getting this to you...

"While we would have preferred a multi-year bill, Congress was unable to agree upon a bill before the end of the session. On November 13, the Congress passed an extension that provides some additional funds for infrastructure and safety. While the Administration supports the short-term extension and signed S. ____ on November ____, we will urge Congress to enact a multiyear bill early next year."

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Gay L. Joshlyn (CN=Gay L. Joshlyn/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME:21-NOV-1997 10:07:16.00

SUBJECT: ISTEANEXTEA Mtg

TO: Cynthia A. Rice (CN=Cynthia A. Rice/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ananias Blocker III (CN=Ananias Blocker III/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: David E. Tornquist (CN=David E. Tornquist/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Henry C. Kelly (CN=Henry C. Kelly/OU=OSTP/O=EOP @ EOP [OSTP])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Linda Lance (CN=Linda Lance/OU=CEQ/O=EOP @ EOP [CEQ])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Michael Deich (CN=Michael Deich/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Franklin F. Urteaga (CN=Franklin F. Urteaga/OU=OSTP/O=EOP @ EOP [OSTP])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Patricia E. Romani (CN=Patricia E. Romani/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Dorothy Robyn will chair a meeting on Tuesday, November 25th at 2:00 pm to discuss ISTEANEXTEA, the FY99 budget, and possible new program ideas. Roy Kienitz, Hank Dittmar and other STTP members have been invited to the meeting. Janno Lieber of DOT, Jack Basso of DOT and David Gardner of EPA have also been invited.

The meeting will be in room 231 and will be 2 hours. Please let me know if you are able to attend.

Thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Emily Bromberg (CN=Emily Bromberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 2-DEC-1997 11:13:22.00

SUBJECT: Re: Draft Talking Points for John for DGA reception

TO: Fred DuVal (CN=Fred DuVal/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

i like mickey's additions-- i would add investments in education and child care.

----- Forwarded by Emily Bromberg/WHO/EOP on 12/02/97

11:09 AM -----

Mickey Ibarra

12/02/97 11:09:06 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Fred DuVal/WHO/EOP

cc: Emily Bromberg/WHO/EOP

Subject: Re: Draft Talking Points for John for DGA reception

Good job on Podesta talking points. On future issues we need to add NEXTEA and PIR. Thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Fred DuVal (CN=Fred DuVal/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 8-DEC-1997 15:34:52.00

SUBJECT:

TO: Mickey Ibarra (CN=Mickey Ibarra/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Do we want to formally offer NGA a mtg with Slater in lieu of POTUS re

NEXTEA?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Mickey Ibarra (CN=Mickey Ibarra/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 9-DEC-1997 19:53:11.00

SUBJECT: NGA Transportation mtg

TO: Jason S. Goldberg (CN=Jason S. Goldberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

----- Forwarded by Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP on 12/09/97
07:41 PM -----

Mickey Ibarra
12/09/97 03:38:29 PM
Record Type: Record

To: Erskine B. Bowles/WHO/EOP, Sylvia M. Mathews/WHO/EOP
cc: Carole A. Parmelee/WHO/EOP, Fred DuVal/WHO/EOP
Subject: NGA Transportation mtg

IGA plans to submit a Schedule Request for a meeting with Gov. Voinovich and Gov. Carper to discuss our transportation budget for FY 99 with the President. I alerted OMB and NEC seeking guidance yesterday. We did have NGA staff in the Rebuild America meeting with Sec. Slatter yesterday. They made it clear they would be pursuing POTUS meeting. A conference call may work as a substitute but I think we should offer one or the other. If you have guidance to offer on this please let me know.

----- Forwarded by Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP on 12/09/97
03:18 PM -----

Fred Duval 12/09/97 02:47:42 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP, Carole A. Parmelee/WHO/EOP
cc:
Subject: NGA Transportation mtg

A number of Governors are about to call Erskine to lobby him for a Governors meeting with the President on Transportation/ISTEA. Carpers office just gave me the heads up. He has apparently already placed a call.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Mickey Ibarra (CN=Mickey Ibarra/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-JAN-1998 18:51:35.00

SUBJECT: SOTU

TO: Franklin D. Raines (CN=Franklin D. Raines/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: John L. Hilley (CN=John L. Hilley/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Sylvia M. Mathews (CN=Sylvia M. Mathews/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Gene B. Sperling (CN=Gene B. Sperling/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Michael Waldman (CN=Michael Waldman/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I agree with Lynn's assessment below that we need to mention our unfinished business in the transportation area in the SOTU. This is a very important issue to our city, county and state officials as we learned in our meetings with the Rebuild America Coalition along with Mayor Rendell and the WH meeting with NGA, Gov. Carper, Gov. Shaheen, and the six other governors on the phone last month. Your thoughts, please?

----- Forwarded by Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP on 01/14/98

05:04 PM -----

Lynn G. Cutler

01/14/98 05:04:26 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP

cc:

Subject: SOTU

Would you try to ensure that there is something in the speech on the ISTEA enactment? We are getting calls from DOT and the groups, (all of ours support this bigtime).

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Richard L. Hayes (CN=Richard L. Hayes/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-JAN-1998 10:30:09.00

SUBJECT: Wayne Curry

TO: Mona G. Mohib (CN=Mona G. Mohib/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I think the NEXTEA event he participated in was held on October 1, 1997.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Sky Gallegos (CN=Sky Gallegos/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:16-JAN-1998 18:35:49.00

SUBJECT: Re: budget items

TO: Emily Bromberg (CN=Emily Bromberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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01/15/98 10:53:51 AM
Record Type: Record

To: Sky Gallegos/WHO/EOP
cc:
Subject: budget items

please figure out

----- Forwarded by Emily Bromberg/WHO/EOP on 01/15/98
10:50 AM -----

Fred Duval 01/12/98 06:36:13 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Emily Bromberg/WHO/EOP

cc: Mickey Ibarra/WHO/EOP, Emory L. Mayfield/WHO/EOP

Subject: budget items

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CREATOR: Emily Bromberg (CN=Emily Bromberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-JAN-1998 10:58:48.00

SUBJECT: Re: budget items

TO: Fred DuVal (CN=Fred DuVal/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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----- Forwarded by Emily Bromberg/WHO/EOP on 01/20/98

10:55 AM -----

Sky Gallegos

01/16/98 06:35:42 PM

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To: Emily Bromberg/WHO/EOP

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SUBJECT: Re: budget items

TO: Emory L. Mayfield (CN=Emory L. Mayfield/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

fyi--i just sent this to fred. please make sure he sees. thanks. more on the way...

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10:56 AM -----

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