

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (TRP NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jonathan Weiss (CN=Jonathan Weiss/O=OVP [OVP])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-MAY-1997 16:05:09.00

SUBJECT: Re: Briefing on NEXTEA WTW

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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CREATOR: Eric R. Anderson (CN=Eric R. Anderson/O=OVP [OVP])

CREATION DATE/TIME:30-SEP-1997 18:23:42.00

SUBJECT: VP nextea memo

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

TEXT:

Attached is the event memo for the VP. There will be at least two

attachments, the Q&A on ISTEa reauth. and his remarks. Please let me know

what you think. Thanks.

===== ATTACHMENT 1 =====
ATT CREATION TIME/DATE: 0 00:00:00.00

TEXT:

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Drop-By NEXTEA Meeting

Indian Treaty Room

2:55 - 3:10 pm, Wednesday, October 1, 1997

Meeting requested by the Department of Transportation.

Briefing prepared by Eric Anderson.

EVENT

You are making brief remarks at a meeting to generate support with DoT constituency groups for the urban priorities in the NEXTEA legislation. These priorities include the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program; access to jobs and training; environmental initiatives (CMAQ, enhancements, and environmental approval streamlining); and Davis-Bacon.

Other speakers at the meeting will include Secretary Slater; Gene Sperling; Governor Bob Miller of Nevada; and Wayne Curry, County Executive of Prince George's County. Approximately 180 guests, including regional and national representatives of groups with an interest in ISTEA reauthorization, will attend the meeting. **Attached are your suggested talking points and Q&A on ISTEA reauthorization.**

LOGISTICS

- You will proceed to the Indian Treaty Room.
- Secretary Slater will make brief remarks and introduce you.
- **You will make brief remarks. See attached talking points.**
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YOUR ROLE/CONTRIBUTION

- This meeting is designed to highlight the provisions in the Senate and House NEXTEA bills which support the President's priorities and to address those provisions which do not, and to do so prior to action on the floor and in conference.
- As you recall, on June 19 of this year, you announced the award of a \$150 million grant to 39 states for the State Infrastructure Bank program. This event was an opportunity to take credit for the Administration's having increased transportation infrastructure investment to record levels.

PROGRAM NOTES

- **NEXTEA Priorities.** As you know, priorities in the NEXTEA legislation include the

following: urban transit and highway investment; welfare to work; DBE program preservation; brownfields; EZ/EC; funding for advanced technologies; strong safety provisions on drunk driving and safety belt use; and innovative finance.

- The Senate Environment and Public Works Committee passed its mark-up of the bill -- “ISTEA II” -- on September 17 by unanimous vote. On September 24, the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee introduced and marked up a simple 6-month extension of ISTEA.

ATTACHMENTS

- Your talking points.
- Q&A on ISTEA reauthorization.

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CREATOR: Lotus Pager Gateway (Lotus Pager Gateway [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME:24-OCT-1997 11:51:31.00

SUBJECT:

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

To: GENE (Pager) #SPERLING

cc:

From: Melissa Green

Date: 10/24/1997

Time: 11:50:01

Subject:

Body:

fyi: wyden and bob grahm want to talk with you this afternoon on
political aspects of ISTEAs, should we say okay or say your schedule to
crazy and push off to weekend or monday

Priority:

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CREATOR: Bill_Bonvillian (Bill_Bonvillian@lieberman.senate.gov (Bill Bonvillian) [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME:27-FEB-1998 18:30:47.00

SUBJECT: Re[2]: Frank Fernandez

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Dorothy -

He has a first class legal memo to review over the weekend.

I'll ask him if he feels he wants a meeting.

Has the Adminis. issued a veto threat?

I thought you had the votes (6 to 8 R's)?

Let me know if you can what Jack says. In our view there are very serious problems in DARPA and DDR&E and I'm concerned about this appointment rumor if it means that someone with limited Hill and DC experience is going to handle an agency that needs some very careful rebuilding.

Bill

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Kalil and i are meeting w. Jack this morning to discuss a host of issues, including this one; will let you know what we learn.

McConnell is expected to offer his DBE amendment to ISTEA in next few days. Is

there anything we can do to get Sen. Lieberman to vote No. I'm told he's concerned abt. constitutional issues. Would it help to have Chris Edley or someone like that talk to him? This will be a do or die vote for us.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (TRP NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Lotus Pager Gateway (Lotus Pager Gateway [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 4-MAR-1998 10:49:16.00

SUBJECT:

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

To: DOROTHY (Pager) #ROBYN

cc:

From: Gay L. Joshlyn

Date: 3/4/1998

Time: 10:47:59

Subject:

Body:

Tracy Thornton says that funding is up next on ISTE. Gay

Priority:

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CREATOR: brennan (brennan@UMBC2.UMBC.EDU (Tim Brennan) [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 5-MAR-1998 16:32:50.00

SUBJECT: Re: House Action on Satellites Postponed

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

>didn't even know abt. the astronaut event. ISTEA is on the floor this

week

>(6 weeks before we thought it wld come up), so i'm going crazeee!

Is that what this .08 alcohol thing is about?

good luck with all of that!

tb

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (TRP NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Cheryl R Turner (Cheryl R Turner <CTURNER@DOLETA.GOV> [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME:23-APR-1998 16:09:07.00

SUBJECT: Access to Jobs amendments -Reply

TO: Andrea Kane (CN=Andrea Kane/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I was aware of these two changes, but I do not think that they have been officially run by DOL yet. I alerted our legislative lawyers and Lynn Jennings. Let me know what else I need to do.

-cheryl

>>> <Andrea_Kane@opd.eop.gov> 04/22/98 08:15pm >>>

Has DOL signed off on these? I assume you've seen the language, but let me know if you haven't.

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PM -----

Andrea Kane

04/22/98 08:06:19 PM

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

cc:

Subject: Access to Jobs amendments

DOT has been working on two amendments to the
ISTEA/BESTEA Access to Jobs
language to address two issues related to match. One
amendment would
clarify that fare revenue provided through a service agreement or
contract
could count as match for Access to Jobs funds. Apparently
current
transportation provisions prohibit public transit fare revenues
from being
used as match, but DOT feels that if a welfare/WtW agency
contracts with a
transit agency to pay the fares of welfare recipients, this should
be able
to count (Doug Birnie raised this during several of the
interagency
transportation guidance meetings).

The second would allow Welfare-to-Work funds (federal and

state/local

match) to be used as match for Access to Jobs. As you know,

the Access to

Jobs language is very liberal on match, allowing other federal

funds to be

used as match unless prohibited by that other source. The

intent is to

leverage resources and encourage various funding

streams/entities to work

together around welfare to work transportation. The WtW statute

expressly

prohibits using Fed or State/local WtW \$ as much for any other

program.

DOT staff had been discussing these amendments with Hill staff

and were

told they needed to get sign off from other committees given that

the

second one falls in WtW jurisdiction. It's not entirely clear to me

if DOT

is actually offering the amendments or providing technical

assistance for a

members to do so. In any case, they wanted to make sure we

were all

comfortable with these amendments. I understand DOL is OK

with the second

one, but I will double check.

I'll make copies of the marked up language for Cynthia, Diana,

Larry

(please share with Anil and Kim), and Emil. thanks

Message Sent

To: _____

Cynthia A. Rice/OPD/EOP

Diana Fortuna/OPD/EOP

Larry R. Matlack/OMB/EOP

Anil Kakani/OMB/EOP

Kim C. Nakahara/OMB/EOP

Emil E. Parker/OPD/EOP

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CREATOR: Lotus Pager Gateway (Lotus Pager Gateway [UNKNOWN])

CREATION DATE/TIME:28-APR-1998 19:12:42.00

SUBJECT:

TO: Melissa G. Green (CN=Melissa G. Green/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

To: GENE (Pager) #SPERLING

cc:

From: Melissa G. Green

Date: 4/28/1998

Time: 18:33:12

Subject:

Body:

there is a ISTE letter to conferees being circulated. chuck has seen.

going up COB tomorrow, OMB expecting your comments tomorrow morning so u

are fine

Priority:

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SUBJECT:

TO: Jeanne Lambrew (CN=Jeanne Lambrew/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

To: CHUCK (Pager) #MARR

cc:

From: Jeanne Lambrew

Date: 5/7/1998

Time: 17:35:13

Subject:

Body:

do we have a position on istea/ medicaid cost alloc.? jeanne 6-5377

Priority:

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