

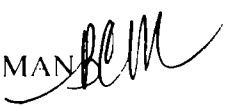
THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 21, 2000

MEMORANDUM

TO: SHIRLEY SAGAWA

FROM: BETTY C. MONKMAN 

RE: White House Craft Collection

The contemporary American crafts commissioned for the White House and displayed here in 1993 and 1994 are an important reflection of Mrs. Clinton's support of contemporary American crafts. It would be wonderful if she would consider having a few of them (3-5) remain here as part of the permanent White House collection. They would be a lasting legacy of her interest and support of the arts in the White House.

Since the pieces are the property of the National Archives and slated for the Clinton Library, there would have to be a written transfer of the selected pieces to the White House for its permanent collection. (The Director of the National Park Service has gift authority for the White House collection.) Several works (24) will be exhibited here during this year's holiday season.

MEMORANDUM FOR MRS. CLINTON

FROM: Shirley Sagawa 
RE: White House Crafts Collection
DATE: December 19, 2000

As we discussed, I have been working on arranging for several pieces from the White House Crafts Collection to be donated to the White House. Betty Monkman has made some suggestions of pieces that she believes are most appropriate. Her memo is attached. Please let me know which pieces you would like to select and I will arrange for the legal work.

THE WHITE HOUSE
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December 15, 2000

MEMORANDUM

TO: SHIRLEY SAGAWA

FROM: BETTY C. MONKMAN 

SUBJECT: White House Crafts Collection

Enclosed is a list of objects in the White House crafts collection that we would be pleased to have Mrs. Clinton consider for the White House collection.

There are several recommended options in each category for her to select from. We would be delighted to have three to five objects remain here.

Thanks for your assistance.

WHITE HOUSE CRAFT COLLECTION

Glass

✓ **Harvey Littleton**, *Blue Orchid Implied Movement* (p. 47)

Dale Chihuly, *Cerulean Blue Macchia with Chartreuse Lip Wrap* (p.46)

Mary Ann Toots Zynsky, *Beau Couple from the Chaos and Order Series* (pp. 50-51)

Metal

Dawn Kilani Hoffman, *Oval Punch Bowl & Ladle* (silver) (p. 60)

Randy Stromsøe, *Centerpiece Bowl on Three-Legged Stand* (silver) (p. 63)

✓ **Ken Carlson**, *Porcupine Basket* (copper) (p. 65)

Albert Paley, *Candleholders* (steel) (p. 61)

Ceramics

Cheryl Williams, *Prayer Bowls* (p. 68)

Bennett Bean, *The White House Bowl* (p. 73)

✓ **Curtis Benzle & Suzan Scianamblo Benzle**, *Tuxedo Junction* (p. 80 top)

✓ **Cliff Lee**, *Peach Vase on a Pedestal* (p. 74)

Wood

✓ **Ronald Fleming**, *New Beginnings* (p. 107)

Philip Moulthrop, *White Pine Mosaic Bowl* (p. 106)

Ronald Kent, *Translucent Wood Bowl* (p. 98 bottom)

Fiber

✓ **Sharon & Leon Niehues**, *Eburna* (p. 88)

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He said that he would be very pleased to donate this piece to President and Mrs. Clinton for their personal collection. Otherwise, the piece should be returned to him.

Betty
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To HRC

From Shirley

Would you like to keep the
piece? _____

☒ yes _____ no

PHOTOCOPY
HRC HANDWRITING

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June 1, 1995

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SHIPPING RECEIPT

SHIPPED TO:

Hillary Clinton
c/o Ann Stock
The White House
Executive Residence
Washington, DC 20500

SHIPPED FROM:

Dale Chihuly
CHIHULY, INC.
509 NE Northlake Way
Seattle, WA 98105
206-632-8707

VIA:

Federal Express 2nd Day - to arrive before 6/9

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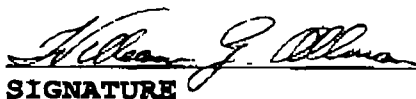
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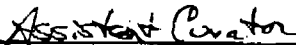
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PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN ONE COPY TO DALE'S STUDIO.
THANK YOU.


SIGNATURE

kr/Karen Rini


Assistant Curator

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