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Inventory for FOIA 2017-0011-F

Cheney Vice Presidential Photographs with Metadata of Rex Tillerson

Extent

33 photographs and metadata files

Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Cheney Vice Presidential records is governed by the Presidential Records Act (PRA) (44 USC 22, as amended) and the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) (5 USC 552 as amended) and therefore may be restricted in whole or in part in accordance with legal exemptions.

Copyright

Records in this collection that were prepared by officials of the United States Government as part of their official duties are in the public domain. Researchers are advised to consult the copyright law of the United States (Title 17, USC) which governs the making of photocopies or other reproductions of copyrighted material.

Provenance

Official records of the Richard Cheney vice presidency are in the custody of the Presidential Materials Division in Washington, DC and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

Processed By

Staff Archivists, April 2017. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

Scope and Content

The materials in this series are responsive to the topic of FOIA request 2017-0011-F.

The photographs processed for this request depict Vice President Dick Cheney meeting with Rex Tillerson, Chairman and CEO of Exxon Mobil Corporation, in his West Wing office at the White House on three separate occasions: May 10, 2006, June 20, 2007, and September 19, 2007. Other individuals depicted in these photographs are Ralph Daniel (Dan) Nelson, Vice President of Exxon Mobil Corporation, Neil Patel, Assistant to the Vice President for Domestic Policy and Chase Hutto III, Deputy Assistant to the Vice President for Domestic Policy.

These photographs were taken by Kimberlee Hewitt, David Bohrer, and Chris Greenberg.

The metadata files responsive to this request are a compilation of the photograph-level metadata the White House Photograph Office created and maintained in its digital asset management system. The metadata for each photograph includes a unique system identifier, roll and frame numbers, date and location, and the photographer. There is also information related to White House Photo Office work processes such as the record code assignment, the photo credit, editorial rating, release information, oversized reproduction (i.e. jumbo) creation, and the list of projects which included individual photographs. There is also technical information about the photographs: width; height; and file names.

System of Arrangement

Records responsive to this FOIA request were found in the Vice Presidential images collection from the White House Photo Office. These records are maintained in the Executive Office of the President instance of the Electronic Records Archive (EOP ERA) which contains electronic records created or received by the administration of President George W. Bush.

The White House Photo Office assigned each image a unique number based on its roll and frame numbers. Identifying numbers for the Vice Presidential photographs begin with "V" in order to distinguish them from the Presidential photographs taken by White House photographers.

Images are reviewed and released at the item level in contrast with textual records which are reviewed at the folder level.

The responsive photographs retrieved from EOP ERA are saved in search results lists (SRLs) within the system. The following is a list of the SRLs saved and processed in response to FOIA 2017-0011-F:

Cheney Vice Presidential Records: White House Photo Office Vice Presidential Photographs SRL 1 = 33 responsive photographs

The individual metadata information for the 33 Vice Presidential Photographs of Rex Tillerson are compiled into one spreadsheet.

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