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## Inventory for 2022-120-F[3]

## Records on Official Travel and White House Visits by Hunter and James Biden

#### **Extent**

19 email messages

#### Access

Collection is open to all researchers. Access to Biden Vice Presidential records is governed by the Presidential Records Act, as amended (PRA) (44 USC 2201-2209) 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 restrictions and exemptions.

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#### **Provenance**

Official records of the Joseph Biden vice presidency are in the custody of the Archival Operations Division in Washington, DC and are administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act, as amended (PRA).

### **Processed By**

Staff Archivists, September 2024. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

#### **Related Collections**

2022-0119-F, Records on Vice President Biden's Communications with Hunter and James Biden, Archival Operations Division

2022-0121-F, Records on Hunter Biden, James Biden, and Their Foreign Business Dealings, Archival Operations Division

#### **Scope and Content**

The materials in this series are selective, not necessarily all-inclusive, body of records responsive to the topic of FOIA case 2022-0120-F. The researcher submitted a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request for records for Biden Vice Presidential records concerning White House visits and official travel with his son Hunter Biden and brother James (Jim) Biden and narrowed their request to specific terms.

This series consists of email messages from Michele Smith and AnnMarie Tomisini to Hunter Biden related to official White House travel in which Hunter Biden was included. The email messages from Michele Smith relate to notices regarding domestic travel with Vice President Biden to Boston, Massachusetts in August 2009 and Dover, Delaware in September 2009 and foreign travel with Vice President Biden to Warsaw, Poland, Bucharest, Romania and Prague, Czech Republic in October 2009. The Boston Massachusetts trip was for attendance at events honoring the late Senator Edward M. Kennedy. The Dover Delaware trip was for a visit with members of the 261st Signal Brigade at the John Haslet Armory. The email message from AnnMarie Tomisini was a forward of compiled news articles related to the foreign official trip to Warsaw, Poland, Bucharest, Romania and Prague, Czech Republic which Hunter Biden attended with his daughter Finnegan Biden.

This series also includes email messages related to official White House travel in which James (Jim) Biden was included. Email topics include scheduling information for a White House holiday tour in December 2015 from Ann Marie Muldoon, an invitation to a plaque dedication ceremony in May 2016 from Kathy Chung, and confirmation of accompanying Vice President Biden on official travel to Ireland in June 2016 from Sara Biden. The May 2016 event was a Memorial Day dedication of the National Guard headquarters in New Castle, DE in memory of Beau Biden.

## **System of Arrangement**

Records responsive to this FOIA request were found in the Biden Vice Presidential Electronic Records

collection which includes email messages and electronic files. 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 Barack Obama. These electronic records are born-digital files and are primarily .eml, .pdf, .wpd, and .doc files.

The responsive electronic records retrieved from EOP ERA are saved in search results lists (SRLs) and are arranged chronologically by creation date. The following is a list of the SRLs saved and processed in response to FOIA 2022-120-F[3]:

Biden Vice Presidential Records: Electronic Records

Point C Exchange Email - Hunter Biden (travel) 2009-01-20 to 2011-12-31

14 email messages

**Point E Exchange Email - James Biden (travel) 2013-09-25 to 2017-01-20** 5 email messages

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