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## **Inventory for FOIA 2023-0042-F [15]**

### **Records on Biden Family Connections**

#### **Extent**

9 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.

**Scope and Content**

The materials in this series are a selective, not necessarily all inclusive, body of records responsive to the topic of FOIA case 2023-0042-F.

This series consists of email messages sent by Mike McCormick and Daniel Shih to other Office of the Vice President staff members including Vice President Joe Biden's aide Fran Person. The email messages from Mike McCormick are press releases of remarks given by Vice President Biden at open press campaign events in Kenosha, Wisconsin on October 26, 2012 and Lakewood, Ohio on November 4, 2012. Hunter Biden was in attendance at these events. The email message sent by Daniel Shih was forwarding a briefing book for December 9, 2012. The briefing book documents holiday parties at the Naval Observatory, one of which included Hunter Biden and Eric Schwerin in attendance.

**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 2023-0042-F [15]:

**Biden Vice Presidential Records: Electronic Records****Point 4b - Exchange Email - Fran Person - Narrowed - 2012-07-31 to 2012-12-31**

This SRL contains 9 responsive email messages.

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