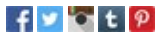


From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 05/03/2021 10:47:39 AM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Trump Transition Issues
Attachments: Trump Transition Issues.docx

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To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
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To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
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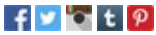
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Subject: Fwd: Missing Trump Records
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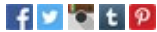
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Subject: Re: Missing Trump Records

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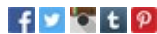
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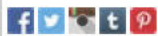
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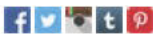
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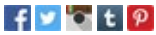
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Sent time: 05/20/2021 11:25:13 AM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

Easier to discuss. Give me a chat or call when you can.

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Sent time: 06/09/2021 07:49:59 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Cc: Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>; Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>; Donius, Susan <susan.donius@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
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This doesn't address the 24 missing boxes. I am out of patience.

David

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On Wed, Jun 9, 2021, 5:24 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Sent time: 07/03/2021 07:26:33 PM
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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

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On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stem <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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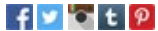
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Subject: Re: FYI [re Missing Trump PRA Records]

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Thanks,
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On Mon, Aug 30, 2021 at 1:35 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

I will follow up with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) and start working on a letter to the AG.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Aug 30, 2021 at 1:36 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

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From: **David Ferriero** <david.ferriero@nara.gov>

Date: Mon, Aug 30, 2021 at 1:01 PM

Subject: Re: NARA documents

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

As you have seen in the press, the House has requested records. Our ability to respond requires access to the 24 boxes which have yet to be accounted for. At this point, I am assuming that they have been destroyed. In which case, I am obligated to report it to the Hill, DOJ, and the White House.

David

On Tue, Aug 17, 2021 at 8:58 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

David. I will check in the am on this

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 17, 2021, at 2:41 PM, David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

Following up. Any news from Palm Beach? And no sign of the Obama letter.

David

On Fri, Jul 30, 2021 at 2:59 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

David, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) here. If you could call me. I understand we have a need for additional federal records to be transferred and (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has enlisted my help. I want to understand the scope of the request from you.

Thanks (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 08/31/2021 01:40:17 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Cc: Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

FYI, here is the response from (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) who says he will want to discuss the situation and will call me later this week.

Deb mentioned that (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) called you back. I am working on drafting a letter now.

Thanks,
Gary

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Date: Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)gmail.com>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)nara.gov>

Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C). I will call you later this week.

Thanks.

(b) (6)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferriero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to

Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

(b) (6)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5)

Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status and return of all of these records.

Thanks,
Gary

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (cell)

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On Tue, Jun 8, 2021 at 7:42 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary, as we discussed yesterday, we will work with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) on arrangements for the North Korea materials. We are continuing to look into the other two categories of documents and will get back to you with more information soon.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 3:59 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will coordinate with you on arranging for transfer of the North Korea records.

Please let me know as soon as you can the status of the other records that we have raised. It is vitally important that we account for them, and any other Presidential records that may still be outside of our possession, as quickly as possible.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 4:19 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> Mike

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We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

Please let us know as soon as you can how we can get these issues resolved.

Thanks,

Gary

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Sent time: 09/01/2021 08:35:43 AM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Document shared with you: "AG Letter re Missing Trump Records.docx"

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Let's plan to discuss sometime Wednesday morning. Thanks

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Cc: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Document shared with you: "AG Letter re Missing Trump Records.docx"

Hi,

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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To: garym.stern@nara.gov
Subject: AG Letter re Missing Trump Records.docx

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) added comments to the following document

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Sent time: 09/01/2021 06:01:31 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>; Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>; Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Subject: Draft Letter to AG re Missing Trump Records
Attachments: AG Letter re Missing Trump Records.docx Problems with Trump Presidential Records on Social Media Platforms.docx

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DRAFT: Attorney Client/Attorney Work Product

The Honorable Merrick Garland
Attorney General
U.S. Department of Justice
Washington, DC

Dear General Garland:

I write pursuant to my authority as Archivist of the United States to seek your assistance for the recovery of Presidential records that may have been unlawfully removed from U.S. Government custody or possibly destroyed in violation of the Presidential Records Act (PRA), 44 U.S.C. Chapter 22.

The PRA establishes that “[t]he United States shall reserve and retain complete ownership, possession, and control of Presidential records; and such records shall be administered in accordance with the provisions of this chapter.” 44 U.S.C. § 2202. The PRA further establishes that, “[u]pon the conclusion of a President’s term of office . . . , the Archivist of the United States shall assume responsibility for the custody, control, and preservation of, and access to, the Presidential records of that President.” *Id.* § 2203(g)(1).

The PRA has no explicit provision on how I should address concerns about suspected removal or destruction of Presidential records. I am, therefore, exercising my discretion to follow the process established for me under the Federal Records Act (FRA), which authorizes me to “request the Attorney General to initiate” an action “for the recovery of records unlawfully removed and for other redress provided by law.” 44 U.S.C. § 2905(a). The same provision states that I “shall notify the Congress when such a request has been made.”

When President Trump left office on January 20, 2021, the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) assumed full legal custody of all Trump Administration Presidential records. However, given the volume and complexity of the records, the vast majority of which exist in a multitude of electronic formats, and the controversy concerning the election results, it has taken through the summer of 2021 to complete the physical transfer of virtually all of the records from the White House complex and White House data centers to NARA’s archival facilities and cloud-hosted data center. In the course of this process, we have become aware that a small number of Trump Presidential paper records were not transferred to NARA, as follows:

- Approximately 24 boxes of paper records that were maintained by President Trump in the White House Residence. During the final days of the Trump Administration, the Chief of Staff and the Counsel to the President had determined that these boxes needed to be transferred to the White House Office of Records Management so that they could be transferred to NARA, but such transfer never took place. We requested that the Office of President Trump search for these records, and have been informed that they could not be located.

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- The original letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office. Since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of NARA’s other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this one be provided to us as well. We requested that the Office of President Trump search for this record, and to date it has not been located.
- The original poster board of the path of Hurricane Dorian that President Trump marked up with a sharpie. It was recalled from the White House Office of Records Management prior to the end of the Administration, but was never returned for transfer to NARA. We requested that the Office of President Trump search for this record, and to date it has not been located.

Accordingly, I am hereby requesting your assistance in recovering these missing Presidential records, along with any other original Presidential records from the Trump Administration that may subsequently be identified and located.

Please note that the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un was also missing. However, in response to our request to search for these records, the Office of President Trump has found them in Mara Lago, FL and will be returning them to NARA.

My General Counsel will follow up with your staff to determine the best way to address this issue.

Sincerely,

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Problems with Trump Presidential Records on Social Media Platforms

- Deleted Tweets from @realDonaldTrump Twitter account. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA was informed by White House officials that they were, in fact, doing so. Since the end of the administration, we learned that the White House stopped using an automated tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide them to us after the fact. Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. We are considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
 - In addition, no steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted to not enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration (realdonaldtrump and whitehouse), which advised they were capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump administration used the White House account approximately five times during four years. However, the realdonaldtrump account was used regularly. News reports indicate the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. It is not known whether direct messaging was enabled on the account.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts which we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.
- The Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J.

Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook to obtain access to the accounts but was never able to do so.

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To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Cc: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>; Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Draft Letter to AG re Missing Trump Records

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Cc: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>; David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Draft Letter to AG re Missing Trump Records

These look good to me with the edits that have been made.

Jay

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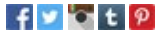
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To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

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Date: Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the [Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.
- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.

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- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration (realdonaldtrump and whitehouse), and NARA was advised that they were capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump administration used the White House account approximately five times during four years. However, the realdonaldtrump account was used regularly. News reports indicate the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. It is not known whether direct messaging was enabled on the account.

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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) please let me know when you will be able to talk about this?

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

I will call you later this week.

Thanks.

(b) (6)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferriero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
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(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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General Counsel

On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C):

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Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status and return of all of these records.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Tue, Jun 8, 2021 at 7:42 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary, as we discussed yesterday, we will work with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) on arrangements for the North Korea materials. We are continuing to look into the other two categories of documents and will get back to you with more information soon.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 3:59 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

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Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will coordinate with you on arranging for transfer of the North Korea records.

Please let me know as soon as you can the status of the other records that we have raised. It is vitally important that we account for them, and any other Presidential records that may still be outside of our possession, as quickly as possible.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 4:19 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>@nara.gov
Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Do you have this correspondence at the office in Alexandria? If so, we can pick them up. If not, we'll need to discuss some other options.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 3:46 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

We have the original North Korea correspondence available to send to you. Please let me know the best arrangements to get this to you.

I'm checking on the other items and will circle back with you on those.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent: Thursday, May 6, 2021 3:16 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

As the EOP continues to transfer the electronic Trump Presidential records into our custody, we have come upon several problems that we need your help in resolving. We have already been working with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to address various issues with respect to capturing Presidential records on social media accounts; his assistance has been very helpful, although some

problems remain that will likely require further follow up with you.

There are also now certain paper/textual records that we cannot account for. We therefore need your immediate assistance to ensure that NARA receives all Presidential records as required by the Presidential Records Act.

For example, the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un were not transferred to us; it is our understanding that in January 2021, just prior to the end of the Administration, the originals were put in a binder for the President, but were never returned to the Office of Records Management for transfer to NARA. It is essential that these original records be transferred to NARA as soon as possible.

Similarly, the letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office has not been transferred; since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of NARA's other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this one be provided to us as well.

It is also our understanding that roughly two dozen boxes of original Presidential records were kept in the Residence of the White House over the course of President Trump's last year in office and have not been transferred to NARA, despite a determination by (b) (6) (b) (7)(C) in the final days of the Administration that they need to be. I had also raised this concern with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) during the final weeks.

We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

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Thanks,

Gary

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Sent time: 09/06/2021 12:33:58 PM
To: Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Document shared with you: "AG Letter re Missing Trump Records.docx"

Here's Gary's update on the box issue. (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) We will see what happens.

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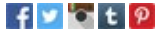
From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 09/08/2021 08:35:42 AM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Cc: Debra Wall <debra.wall@nara.gov>; William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Trump boxes

The meeting with Jonathan and [REDACTED] is set for tomorrow at 3:30, right after our meeting with Ron and Dana. Assuming the first meeting is not canceled once again, I will join Jonathan in his office. Then we'll see whether and how we can resolve this issue.

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Gary

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Also meant to say that I plan to share the list of social media issues with [REDACTED] as well.

Thanks

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On Sat, Sep 4, 2021, 4:24 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 3:25 PM Debra Wall <debra.wall@nara.gov> wrote:

Ditto

On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 1:41 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Agree

Gary M. Stern
General Counsel
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Sufficient.

Thanks

David

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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021, 1:15 PM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:

I think that this is sufficient at this point. Thoughts?

Jay

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Date: Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 1:11 PM
Subject: Trump boxes
To: Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Cc: Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov>

Jay:

I think we have completed the search to the best of our ability. I have listed 33 NSC boxes at the end of this email out of an abundance of caution because they are tagged as POTUS. I think it is very unlikely that these are relevant to our search. But let me know if you want me to ask Bill and David to search these boxes.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

1. NARA only picked up boxes from the following:
 - a. ORM, NSC, WHCA (video tapes), OA (backup tapes), WHMO (flags), and OPC (Correspondence - delivered by RDS)
 - b. Only ORM and NSC would have the type of records for which we are looking.
 - c. ORM is 99.9% sure they did not pick up the boxes in question. We have put eyes on all boxes from ORM that were coded as too late to file. Nothing seems relevant
 - d. NSC did not pick up any boxes from the Residence and the records that they picked up from the West Wing did not seem out of the ordinary.

2. Searches of the following terms on the outside of the ORM and NSC boxes identify no relevant hits.
 - a. Residence
 - b. Third
 - c. 3rd
 - d. Floor
 - e. Second
 - f. 2nd
 - g. Donald Trump
 - h. POTUS (with the exception of NSC files below)
 - i. Oval Office
 - j. Dorian
 - k. Parade
 - l. Personal
 - m. Mar-a-lago
 - n. Maralago
 - o. Florida
 - p. Military
 - q. Tower
 - r. Bedminster
 - s. NYC
 - t. New York

NSC boxes with "POTUS" as staff name

naranumber	staff_name	sub_office
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NSC 1210	POTUS	
NSC 1444	POTUS	
NSC 1513	POTUS	2020 Policy General 1-720
NSC 1514	POTUS	2017-2020 DC Meetings DC4500001-20
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NSC 1530	POTUS	2020 Policy General 2705-3198
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NSC 1532	POTUS	2017-2020 DC Meetings DC4500315-338
NSC 1533	POTUS	2020 Policy General 3200-3531
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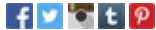
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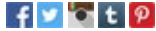
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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 09/21/2021 12:11:54 PM
To: Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: LW Update 09/20/2021

Susan:

See my responses in bold below.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, Sep 21, 2021 at 9:30 AM Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov> wrote:

Thanks for the update, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) and I were at the meeting. (b) (5)

On #2, is Jay attending the meeting? Who is attending the meeting for NARA? **The meeting has already happened—last Friday.** (b) (5)

On #3, yes, (b) (5) I appreciate being copied.

On #4, We might have staff in L who can help with this, but need to verify with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C).

On #5, I need more background. (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Please be thinking about additional archival staff or WH support staff that you should request for LW. I do not believe this increased workload is going to go away. **Thanks for your support. I'm thinking about what positions are most needed.**

Thanks,
Susan

On Mon, Sep 20, 2021 at 6:11 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

Susan:

I hope you had a good weekend. A few things...

1) (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

[REDACTED]

2) Friday's meeting (b) (5) This is a records management question and not a crisis of any sort. (b) (5)

[REDACTED] The next time we are in the building at the same time, I'll fill you in.

3) (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

[REDACTED]

4) (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

[REDACTED]

5) (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

[REDACTED]

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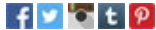
From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 09/30/2021 11:38:15 AM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Cc: Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>; Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: [EXTERNAL] Re: call

fyi, per chain below, WHCO is now ready to set up a call to discuss the Trump boxes. Not sure yet when it will take place, but possibly next week.

Thanks,

Gary

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From: Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov>
Date: Thu, Sep 30, 2021 at 10:23 AM
Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL] Re: call
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Hi Gary: Looks like we're in a position to set up the call below. How about I reach back out to (b) (6) and go from there?

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, September 28, 2021 4:21 PM
To: Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov>
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] Re: call

Jonathan, I thought I'd check back in to see when and how you want to proceed re meeting with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), and NARA to discuss the Trump boxes?

Thanks,

Gary

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On Fri, Sep 17, 2021 at 2:32 PM Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Thanks

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent: Friday, September 17, 2021 2:05 PM
To: Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov>
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] Re: call

fyi, (b) (6) so far has not asked to see these records.

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On Wed, Sep 15, 2021 at 3:22 PM Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Ok thanks.

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 3:21 PM
To: Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov>
Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] Re: call

Sure. Keep in mind that, normally, we would have to provide the records to him per the notification/review process, before we could provide anything to you.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Wed, Sep 15, 2021 at 3:18 PM Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov> wrote:

If (b) (6) does request the records, could we discuss process before anything is provided to him?

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 3:11 PM
To: Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: [EXTERNAL] Re: call

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) we will treat this as a pre-clearance of the request, so will plan to provide the responsive records directly to the WH. Let me know if you want us to provide you a copy set as well?

Thanks,

Gary

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On Wed, Sep 15, 2021 at 2:44 PM Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Thanks very much.

From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Sent: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 2:43 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov>; Gary Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: call

Jonathan, in connection with our call yesterday, fine for (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to get his own documents from NARA so that he can check his notes for a call with me and (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) re the boxes that were in the residence.

I'm copying Gary Stern so he sees this directly.

Thanks,

(b) (6),
[REDACTED]

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 14, 2021, at 3:07 PM, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

I just tried you. I should be available until 4:15 if you get a chance to call back -- after that I'm tied up until around 7:30.

On Tue, Sep 14, 2021 at 2:11 PM Su, Jonathan C. EOP/WHO <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@who.eop.gov> wrote:

Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Could you give me a call at (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) when you have a chance – no rush. Thanks.

Jonathan C. Su

Deputy Counsel to the President

The White House

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 10/05/2021 05:50:42 PM
To: Debra Wall <debra.wall@nara.gov>
Cc: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>; William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Trump boxes

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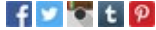


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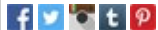
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On Wed, Sep 15, 2021 at 11:28 AM Debra Wall <debra.wall@nara.gov> wrote:

So that means we are holding off on a DOJ letter? What about Congress re the social media issues? Thanks.

On Wed, Sep 15, 2021 at 11:15 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

The call took place last week, which served to get Deputy WH Counsel Jonathan Su up to speed on the issue and the dispute over whether there are 12 or 24 boxes. this week Jonathan told me that they are open to having (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) participate in a meeting with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) and possibly (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), the former Staff Secretary who was (b) (6), (b) (7) principal source. Accordingly, they need access to (b) (6), (b) (7) notes from the last administration, which we now hold -- so they will be making a special access request.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Wed, Sep 8, 2021 at 8:35 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

The meeting with Jonathan and (b) (6) is set for tomorrow at 3:30, right after our meeting with Ron and Dana. Assuming the first meeting is not canceled once again, I will join Jonathan in his office. Then we'll see whether and how we can resolve this issue.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Sep 4, 2021 at 4:39 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Also meant to say that I plan to share the list of social media issues with (b) (6) as well.

Thanks

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On Sat, Sep 4, 2021, 4:24 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

Thanks,

David

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On Sat, Sep 4, 2021, 12:31 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Late yesterday I spoke with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) the Trump PRA Rep, who had caught up with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C). He asked where the number 24 boxes came from, because he said that (b) (6), (b) (7) said that they had found 12 boxes in Florida, which consisted entirely of news clippings, which they considered non-record, and that they were not aware of any other

boxes, and that, under no circumstances, has anything been destroyed. I explained that our information came from the WH Office of Records Management, which was based on their experience and efforts throughout the administration to keep track of all records that were "seen by the President."

In order to try to clear up the confusion and disconnect over this issue, he proposed that we have a meeting/call next week with (b) (6), (b) (7) David, him, me, and (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) if possible. We both understood that we would have to coordinate with WH Counsel concerning any involvement by (b) (6), (b) (7)(C). Accordingly, I then spoke with Jonathan Su, Deputy Counsel to the President, to let him know about (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) proposal. Jonathan proposed that he, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) and I have a meeting/call early next week to figure out the best way to work through this issue and ascertain the facts. I expect we will have that call on Tuesday or Wednesday, after which we can figure out next steps.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) was also completely unaware of the issues we have with Twitter and other social media records. Those issues were mostly handled by (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) another WH lawyer and now Trump Rep, until the last days of the administration. I gave (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) a brief update of what we know so far.

Let me know if you have any questions or would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 3:25 PM Debra Wall <debra.wall@nara.gov> wrote:

Ditto

On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 1:41 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Agree

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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021, 1:23 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

Sufficient.

Thanks

David

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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021, 1:15 PM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:
I think that this is sufficient at this point. Thoughts?

Jay

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Date: Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 1:11 PM
Subject: Trump boxes
To: Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Cc: Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov>

Jay:

I think we have completed the search to the best of our ability. I have listed 33 NSC boxes at the end of this email out of an abundance of caution because they are tagged as POTUS. I think it is very unlikely that these are relevant to our search. But let me know if you want me to ask Bill and David to search these boxes.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

1. NARA only picked up boxes from the following:
 - a. ORM, NSC, WHCA (video tapes), OA (backup tapes), WHMO (flags), and OPC (Correspondence - delivered by RDS)
 - b. Only ORM and NSC would have the type of records for which we are looking.
 - c. ORM is 99.9% sure they did not pick up the boxes in question. We have put eyes on all boxes from ORM that were coded as too late to file. Nothing seems relevant
 - d. NSC did not pick up any boxes from the Residence and the records that they picked up from the West Wing did not seem out of the ordinary.
2. Searches of the following terms on the outside of the ORM and NSC boxes identify no relevant hits.
 - a. Residence
 - b. Third
 - c. 3rd
 - d. Floor
 - e. Second
 - f. 2nd
 - g. Donald Trump
 - h. POTUS (with the exception of NSC files below)
 - i. Oval Office
 - j. Dorian
 - k. Parade
 - l. Personal
 - m. Mar-a-lago
 - n. Maralago
 - o. Florida
 - p. Military
 - q. Tower
 - r. Bedminster
 - s. NYC
 - t. New York

NSC boxes with "POTUS" as staff name

naranumber	staff_name	sub_office
NSC 1210	POTUS	
NSC 1444	POTUS	
NSC 1513	POTUS	2020 Policy General 1-720
NSC 1514	POTUS	2017-2020 DC Meetings DC4500001-20
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NSC 1520	POTUS	2020 Policy General 1584-1947
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Subject: Re: Trump boxes

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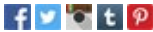
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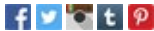


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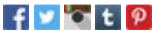
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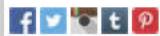
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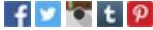
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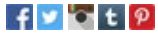
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Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) and Gary: Would a call tomorrow work at one of the times below for you both and any others you'd like to invite? Thanks very much.

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11:30-12:30

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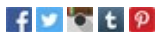
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Sent time: 10/13/2021 10:50:37 AM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
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Subject: Re: call re document boxes

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Subject: Re: call re document boxes

Ok, thanks for the update.

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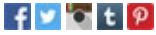
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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 10/13/2021 02:28:33 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: call re document boxes

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To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: call re document boxes

Can do: 9:30 to 10, or anytime between 2 and 3.

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 10/13/2021 02:42:35 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Zoom Meeting
Attachments: invite.ics

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Sent time: 10/13/2021 02:46:34 PM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Zoom Meeting

Thanks

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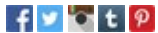
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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 10/18/2021 04:24:22 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Zoom Meeting

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To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Zoom Meeting, with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Re Trump Boxes

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From: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Sent time: 10/19/2021 10:25:48 AM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Zoom Meeting, with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Re Trump Boxes

Intending to be there. Who is in charge?

David

On Tue, Oct 19, 2021 at 10:17 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Sent time: 10/19/2021 10:35:45 AM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Zoom Meeting, with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Re Trump Boxes

Excellent. (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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David

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See you at 2:00.

Gary

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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 2:24 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Feel free to call me if you want to talk.

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On Wed, Oct 13, 2021 at 12:42 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Date: Wed, Oct 13, 2021 at 2:40 PM

Subject: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Zoom Meeting

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> garym.stern@nara.gov <garym.stern@nara.gov>

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Sent time: 10/19/2021 10:38:20 AM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Zoom Meeting, with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Re Trump Boxes

Sounds good.

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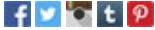
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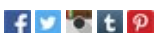
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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Date: Wed, Oct 13, 2021 at 2:40 PM

Subject: Jonathan Su's Zoom Meeting

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> garym.stem@nara.gov <garym.stem@nara.gov>

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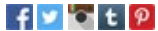
From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 11/01/2021 10:52:50 AM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

fyi, I just spoke with, (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Thanks,
Gary

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Date: Fri, Oct 29, 2021 at 10:14 AM
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) ?

Also please let me know (b) (5)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 3:54 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 8:54 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Ok

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On Oct 21, 2021, at 7:26 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 4:12 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

10:30 would work better for us. I'm adding (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to this email, (b) (5) .

Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 3:34 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Could we talk at 10:00 am tomorrow?

On Tue, Oct 19, 2021 at 12:50 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, I am happy to talk further (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

. Tomorrow doesn't work for me, but Thursday afternoon or just about anytime on Friday should work.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

(b) (5)

I'd like to let

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (whom I've copied here) (b) (5)

Would you be available for a call on Wednesday of this week?

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 10:48 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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NARA did not receive, all of the Presidential records created by President Trump and White House staff that were posted on social media platforms, as summarized in more detail below:

- Early in the Trump Administration, questions were raised about President Trump's use of his personal Twitter account to conduct official government business and whether deleted tweets were being captured and preserved as Presidential records. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump Administration that it should capture and preserve as Presidential records all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, whether on his personal @realDonaldTrump account or on the official @POTUS account, including those tweets that were subsequently deleted. As I reported in a March 30, 2017, letter to Senators Claire McCaskill and Tom Carper, NARA was "informed by White House officials that they [were], in fact, doing so."

Since the end of the administration, we have learned that the White House initially used a manual process to capture tweets that were deleted from @realDonaldTrump and @POTUS by copying them from non-governmental organizations that were capturing them, such as Propublica and Factba.se. The White House did not begin using the vendor ArchiveSocial to automate the capture of tweets and other social media records in real-time until January 2018. Moreover, @realDonaldTrump was not enrolled until August 2018 and the tool stopped capturing @realDonaldTrump in April 2020. The official @POTUS was enrolled in February 2018 and remained connected throughout the rest of the administration.

When properly implemented, ArchiveSocial captures all versions of content as it appears on the platforms, along with any changes, such as deleted or edited content, changes to an account profile, and direct or private messages. However, it cannot capture such changes retroactively. If a social media account is not enrolled or subsequently becomes disconnected from ArchiveSocial, any changes, including deleted or modified posts, cannot be captured.

The Twitter account @realDonaldTrump was disconnected from ArchiveSocial in April 2020. A key feature of ArchiveSocial is that it sends automated alerts to the account owners/system administrators every three to five days to remind them to reconnect any disconnected accounts. The tool also displays information about the account status in the dashboard. It appears that Trump Administration officials failed to respond to these frequent and repeated alerts and never re-enrolled that account.

When White House officials brought this problem to our attention near the end of the administration, Twitter had permanently suspended @realDonaldTrump. NARA contacted Twitter directly to ask if it retained the account data between April 20th and the account's suspension. Twitter provided us with a copy of the available account data. However, it did not include previously deleted tweets, which are not retained by the company. Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the Trump Administration or Twitter. While we do have access to copies of deleted tweets collected by other non-governmental sources, we do not consider them as official Presidential records and cannot ensure the completeness of their captured account data.

- The Trump White House did not take any steps to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media account other than @realDonaldTrump or @POTUS prior to enrolling them with ArchiveSocial. As with @realDonaldTrump, many other Trump Administration social media accounts were not enrolled until the summer or fall of 2018, even though these accounts were active for over a year prior to enrollment, during which time deleted or modified Presidential record content was not captured. Other accounts were not enrolled until just prior to the end of the administration.

- The ArchiveSocial tool included the ability to capture direct messages that may have been used on the platforms, but the Trump Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, and was unable to report whether direct messaging was actually used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we think contain presidential record information, but were not captured by the Trump Administration. These accounts belonged to Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro. After the end of the administration, NARA obtained the publicly available tweets from these accounts in order to supplement its archival collection.
- In January 2021, administration officials advised NARA that two social media accounts they thought contained Presidential record content were not enrolled in ArchiveSocial and could not be retroactively enrolled as they had been suspended by the platforms. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook, which operates Instagram, to obtain access to the accounts, but Facebook was not able to provide access.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration, (@realDonaldTrump and @whitehouse), which advised NARA that it was capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump Administration used the @whitehouse account approximately five times during four years. However, the administration regularly used the @realDonaldTrump account. News reports indicate that the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. We do not know whether direct messaging was enabled on the account. We are not able to determine to what extent @realDonaldTrump SnapChat contained unique Presidential records as compared to content duplicative from other platforms, or purely campaign related material which would not have been a Presidential record.

Please let me know when you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 6:47 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, 1:00 works for me (though I have to leave at 1:15, but that should be enough time).

Thanks

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 8:49 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

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On Thu, Oct 14, 2021 at 5:18 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Please let me know when you are free to talk, including either later today or tomorrow?

Thanks,

Gary

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On Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the [Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.
- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.
- In its last weeks, the Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook to obtain access to the accounts but was never able to do so.
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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) please let me know when you will be able to talk about this?

Thanks,
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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) I
will call you later this week.

Thanks.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferriero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
wrote
Gary,

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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (7)(A)
[Redacted]

Thanks,
Gary

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On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status and return of all of these records.

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Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <[@nara.gov](mailto:(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov)>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

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Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

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Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Do you have this correspondence at the office in Alexandria? If so, we can pick them up. If not, we'll need to discuss some other options.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 3:46 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

We have the original North Korea correspondence available to send to you. Please let me know the best arrangements to get this to you.

I'm checking on the other items and will circle back with you on those.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 6, 2021 3:16 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Subject: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C):

As the EOP continues to transfer the electronic Trump

Presidential records into our custody, we have come upon several problems that we need your help in resolving. We have already been working with (b) (6), (b) (7) to address various issues with respect to capturing Presidential records on social media accounts; his assistance has been very helpful, although some problems remain that will likely require further follow up with you.

There are also now certain paper/textual records that we cannot account for. We therefore need your immediate assistance to ensure that NARA receives all Presidential records as required by the Presidential Records Act.

For example, the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un were not transferred to us; it is our understanding that in January 2021, just prior to the end of the Administration, the originals were put in a binder for the President, but were never returned to the Office of Records Management for transfer to NARA. It is essential that these original records be transferred to NARA as soon as possible.

Similarly, the letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office has not been transferred; since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of NARA's other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this one be provided to us as well.

It is also our understanding that roughly two dozen boxes of original Presidential records were kept in the Residence of the White House over the course of President Trump's last year in office and have not been transferred to NARA, despite a determination by (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) in the final days of the Administration that they need to be. I had also raised this concern with (b) (6), (b) (7) during the final weeks.

We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

Please let us know as soon as you can how we can get these issues resolved.

Thanks,
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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 11/05/2021 03:10:32 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

Given that (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Let me know what you think, and feel free to call me if you'd like to discuss (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Nov 1, 2021 at 10:52 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

fyi, I just spoke with, (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Date: Fri, Oct 29, 2021 at 10:14 AM

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Also please let me know (b) (5)

Thanks,
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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 3:54 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 8:54 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Ok

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On Oct 21, 2021, at 7:26 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Thanks,
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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 4:12 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

10:30 would work better for us. I'm adding (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to this email. (b) (5)

Thanks,
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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 3:34 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Could we talk at 10:00 am tomorrow?

On Tue, Oct 19, 2021 at 12:50 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, I am happy to talk further (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C). Tomorrow doesn't work for me, but Thursday afternoon or just about anytime on Friday should work.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

(b) (5)

I'd like to let

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (whom I've copied here) (b) (5)

Would you be available for a call on Wednesday of this week?

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 10:48 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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NARA did not receive, all of the Presidential records created by President Trump and White House staff that were posted on social media platforms, as summarized in more detail below:

- Early in the Trump Administration, questions were raised about President Trump's use of his personal Twitter account to conduct official government business and whether deleted tweets were being captured and preserved as Presidential records. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump Administration that it should capture and preserve as Presidential records all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, whether on his personal @realDonaldTrump account or on the official @POTUS account, including those tweets that were subsequently deleted. As I reported in a March 30, 2017, letter to Senators Claire McCaskill and Tom Carper, NARA was "informed by White House officials that they [were], in fact, doing so."

Since the end of the administration, we have learned that the White House initially used a manual process to capture tweets that were deleted from @realDonaldTrump and @POTUS by copying them from non-governmental organizations that were capturing them, such as Propublica and Factba.se. The White House did not begin using the vendor ArchiveSocial to automate the capture of tweets and other social media records in real-time until January 2018. Moreover, @realDonaldTrump was not enrolled until August 2018 and the tool stopped capturing @realDonaldTrump in April 2020. The official @POTUS was enrolled in February 2018 and remained connected throughout the rest of the administration.

When properly implemented, ArchiveSocial captures all versions of content as it appears on the platforms, along with any changes, such as deleted or edited content, changes to an account profile, and direct or private messages. However, it cannot capture such changes retroactively. If a social

media account is not enrolled or subsequently becomes disconnected from ArchiveSocial, any changes, including deleted or modified posts, cannot be captured.

The Twitter account @realDonaldTrump was disconnected from ArchiveSocial in April 2020. A key feature of ArchiveSocial is that it sends automated alerts to the account owners/system administrators every three to five days to remind them to reconnect any disconnected accounts. The tool also displays information about the account status in the dashboard. It appears that Trump Administration officials failed to respond to these frequent and repeated alerts and never re-enrolled that account.

When White House officials brought this problem to our attention near the end of the administration, Twitter had permanently suspended @realDonaldTrump. NARA contacted Twitter directly to ask if it retained the account data between April 20th and the account's suspension. Twitter provided us with a copy of the available account data. However, it did not include previously deleted tweets, which are not retained by the company. Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the Trump Administration or Twitter. While we do have access to copies of deleted tweets collected by other non-governmental sources, we do not consider them as official Presidential records and cannot ensure the completeness of their captured account data.

- The Trump White House did not take any steps to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media account other than @realDonaldTrump or @POTUS prior to enrolling them with ArchiveSocial. As with @realDonaldTrump, many other Trump Administration social media accounts were not enrolled until the summer or fall of 2018, even though these accounts were active for over a year prior to enrollment, during which time deleted or modified Presidential record content was not captured. Other accounts were not enrolled until just prior to the end of the administration.
- The ArchiveSocial tool included the ability to capture direct messages that may have been used on the platforms, but the Trump Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, and was unable to report whether direct messaging was actually used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we think contain presidential record information, but were not captured by the Trump Administration. These accounts belonged to Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro. After the end of the administration, NARA obtained the publicly available tweets from these accounts in order to supplement its archival collection.
- In January 2021, administration officials advised NARA that two social media accounts they thought contained Presidential record content were not enrolled in ArchiveSocial and could not be retroactively enrolled as they had been suspended by the platforms. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook, which operates Instagram, to obtain access to the accounts, but Facebook was not able to provide access.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration, (@realdonaldtrump and @whitehouse), which advised NARA that it was capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump Administration used the @whitehouse account approximately five times during four years. However, the administration regularly used the @realdonaldtrump account. News reports indicate that the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. We do not know whether direct messaging was enabled on the account. We are not able to determine to what extent @realdonaldtrump SnapChat contained unique Presidential records as compared to content duplicative from other platforms, or purely campaign related material which would not have been a Presidential record.

Please let me know when you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 6:47 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
Yes, 1:00 works for me (though I have to leave at 1:15, but that should be enough time).

Thanks

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 8:49 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I could talk later today. Would 1:00 pm work?

On Thu, Oct 14, 2021 at 5:18 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please let me know when you are free to talk, including either later today or tomorrow?

Thanks,
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On Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the [Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.
- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.
- In its last weeks, the Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with

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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) please let me know when you will be able to talk about this?

Thanks,
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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

I will call you later this week.

Thanks.

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On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferriero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,

Gary

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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

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Do you have this correspondence at the office in Alexandria? If so, we can pick them up. If not, we'll need to discuss some other options.

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 3:46 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

We have the original North Korea correspondence available to send to you. Please let me know the best arrangements to get this to you.

I'm checking on the other items and will circle back with you on those.

Thanks

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 6, 2021 3:16 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C); (b) (6), (b) (7)(C); (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C); (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <@nara.gov>

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As the EOP continues to transfer the electronic Trump Presidential records into our custody, we have come upon several problems that we need your help in resolving. We have already been working with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to address various issues with respect to capturing Presidential records on social media accounts; his assistance has been very helpful, although some problems remain that will likely require further follow up with you.

There are also now certain paper/textual records that we cannot account for. We therefore need your immediate assistance to ensure that NARA receives all Presidential records as required by the Presidential Records Act.

For example, the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un were not transferred to us; it is our understanding that in January 2021, just prior to the end of the Administration, the originals were put in a binder for the President, but were never returned to the Office of Records Management for transfer to NARA. It is essential that these original records be transferred to NARA as soon as possible.

Similarly, the letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office has not been transferred; since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of

NARA's other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this one be provided to us as well.

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We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

Please let us know as soon as you can how we can get these issues resolved.

Thanks,

Gary

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From: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Sent time: 11/05/2021 03:12:03 PM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

Next week.

On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:11 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Given that (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Let me know what you think, and feel free to call me if you'd like to discuss (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Nov 1, 2021 at 10:52 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

fyi, I just spoke with, (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Date: Fri, Oct 29, 2021 at 10:14 AM

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) ?

Also please let me know (b) (5)

Thanks,

Gary

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 3:54 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 8:54 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Ok

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 21, 2021, at 7:26 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 4:12 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

10:30 would work better for us. I'm adding (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to this email, (b) (5)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 3:34 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Could we talk at 10:00 am tomorrow?

On Tue, Oct 19, 2021 at 12:50 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, I am happy to talk further (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

. Tomorrow doesn't work for me, but Thursday afternoon or just about anytime on Friday

should work.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

(b) (5)

I'd like to let

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (whom I've copied here) (b) (5)

Would you be available for a call on Wednesday of this week?

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 10:48 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

NARA did not receive, all of the Presidential records created by President Trump and White House staff that were posted on social media platforms, as summarized in more detail below:

- Early in the Trump Administration, questions were raised about President Trump's use of his personal Twitter account to conduct official government business and whether deleted tweets were being captured and preserved as Presidential records. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump Administration that it should capture and preserve as Presidential records all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, whether on his personal @realDonaldTrump account or on the official @POTUS account, including those tweets that were subsequently deleted. As I reported in a March 30, 2017, letter to Senators Claire McCaskill and Tom Carper, NARA was "informed by White House officials that they [were], in fact, doing so."

Since the end of the administration, we have learned that the White House initially used a manual process to capture tweets that were deleted from @realDonaldTrump and @POTUS by copying them from non-governmental organizations that were capturing them, such as Propublica and Factba.se. The White House did not begin using the vendor ArchiveSocial to automate the capture of tweets and other social media records in real-time until January 2018. Moreover, @realDonaldTrump was not enrolled until August 2018 and the tool stopped capturing @realDonaldTrump in April 2020. The official @POTUS was enrolled in February 2018 and remained connected throughout the rest of the administration.

When properly implemented, ArchiveSocial captures all versions of content as it appears on the platforms, along with any changes, such as deleted or edited content, changes to an account profile, and direct or private messages. However, it cannot capture such changes retroactively. If a social media account is not enrolled or subsequently becomes disconnected from ArchiveSocial, any changes, including deleted or modified posts, cannot be captured.

The Twitter account @realDonaldTrump was disconnected from ArchiveSocial in April 2020. A key feature of ArchiveSocial is that it sends automated alerts to the account owners/system administrators every three to five days to remind them to reconnect any disconnected accounts. The tool also displays information about the account status in the dashboard. It appears that Trump Administration officials failed to respond to these frequent and repeated alerts and never re-enrolled that account.

When White House officials brought this problem to our attention near the end of the administration, Twitter had permanently suspended @realDonaldTrump. NARA contacted Twitter directly to ask if it retained the account data between April 20th and the account's suspension. Twitter provided us with a copy of the available account data. However, it did not include previously deleted tweets, which are not retained by the company. Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the Trump Administration or Twitter. While we do have access to copies of deleted tweets collected by other non-governmental sources, we do not consider them as official Presidential records and cannot ensure the completeness of their captured account data.

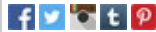
- The Trump White House did not take any steps to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media account other than @realDonaldTrump or @POTUS prior to enrolling them with ArchiveSocial. As with @realDonaldTrump, many other Trump Administration social media accounts were not enrolled until the summer or fall of 2018, even though these accounts were active for over a year prior to enrollment, during which time deleted or modified Presidential record content was not captured. Other accounts were not enrolled until just prior to the end of the administration.
- The ArchiveSocial tool included the ability to capture direct messages that may have been used on the platforms, but the Trump Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, and was unable to report whether direct messaging was actually used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we think contain presidential record information, but were not captured by the Trump Administration. These accounts belonged to Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro. After the end of the administration, NARA obtained the publicly available tweets from these accounts in order to supplement its archival collection.
- In January 2021, administration officials advised NARA that two social media accounts they thought contained Presidential record content were not enrolled in ArchiveSocial and could not be retroactively enrolled as they had been suspended by the platforms. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook, which operates Instagram, to obtain access to the accounts, but Facebook was not able to provide access.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration, (@realdonaldtrump and @whitehouse), which advised NARA that it was capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump Administration used the @whitehouse account approximately five times during four years. However, the administration regularly used the @realdonaldtrump account. News reports indicate that the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. We do not know whether direct messaging was enabled on the account. We are not

able to determine to what extent @realdonaldtrump SnapChat contained unique Presidential records as compared to content duplicative from other platforms, or purely campaign related material which would not have been a Presidential record.

Please let me know when you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 6:47 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
Yes, 1:00 works for me (though I have to leave at 1:15, but that should be enough time).

Thanks

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 8:49 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I could talk later today. Would 1:00 pm work?

On Thu, Oct 14, 2021 at 5:18 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Please let me know when you are free to talk, including either later today or tomorrow?

Thanks,

Gary

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On Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the [Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.
- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.

- In its last weeks, the Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook to obtain access to the accounts but was never able to do so.
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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) please let me know when you will be able to talk about this?

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

. I will call you later this week.

Thanks.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferrero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
wrote:
Gary,

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)
[Redacted]

Thanks,
Gary

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On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
[Redacted]

(b) (5)
[Redacted]

Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status and return of all of these records.

Thanks,
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On Tue, Jun 8, 2021 at 7:42 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary, as we discussed yesterday, we will work with (b) (6), (b) (7) on arrangements for the North Korea materials. We are continuing to look into the other two categories of documents and will get back to you with more information soon.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 3:59 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will coordinate with you on arranging for transfer of the North Korea records.

Please let me know as soon as you can the status of the other records that we have raised. It is vitally important that we account for them, and any other Presidential records that may still be outside of our possession, as quickly as possible.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 4:19 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Hi (b) (6), (b) (7) The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> @nara.gov

Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 11/05/2021 03:12:59 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

Sounds good. Let me know what he has to say.

Thanks

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On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:12 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

Next week.

On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:11 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Given that (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Let me know what you think, and feel free to call me if you'd like to discuss (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Nov 1, 2021 at 10:52 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

fyi, I just spoke with, (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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From: **GaryM Stern** <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Date: Fri, Oct 29, 2021 at 10:14 AM
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

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Also please let me know (b) (5)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 3:54 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 8:54 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Ok

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 21, 2021, at 7:26 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 4:12 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

10:30 would work better for us. I'm adding (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to this email, (b) (5).

Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 3:34 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Could we talk at 10:00 am tomorrow?

On Tue, Oct 19, 2021 at 12:50 PM GaryM Stem <garym.stem@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, I am happy to talk further (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C). Tomorrow doesn't work for me, but Thursday afternoon or just about anytime on Friday should work.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

(b) (5)
(b) (5). I'd like to let
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (whom I've copied here) (b) (5)
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C). Would you be available for a call on Wednesday of this week?

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 10:48 AM GaryM Stem <garym.stem@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C):

NARA did not receive, all of the Presidential records created by President Trump and White House staff that were posted on social media platforms, as summarized in more detail below:

- Early in the Trump Administration, questions were raised about President Trump's use of his personal Twitter account to conduct official government business and whether deleted tweets were being captured and preserved as Presidential records. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump Administration that it should capture and preserve as Presidential records all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, whether on his personal @realDonaldTrump account or on the official @POTUS account, including those tweets that were subsequently deleted. As I reported in a March 30, 2017, letter to Senators Claire McCaskill and Tom Carper, NARA was "informed by White House officials that they [were], in fact, doing so."

Since the end of the administration, we have learned that the White House initially used a manual process to capture tweets that were deleted from @realDonaldTrump and @POTUS by copying them from non-governmental organizations that were capturing them, such as Propublica and Factba.se. The White House did not begin using the vendor ArchiveSocial to automate the capture of tweets and other social media records in real-time until January 2018. Moreover, @realDonaldTrump was not enrolled until August 2018 and the tool stopped capturing @realDonaldTrump in April 2020. The official @POTUS was enrolled in February 2018 and remained connected throughout the rest of the administration.

When properly implemented, ArchiveSocial captures all versions of content as it appears on the platforms, along with any changes, such as deleted or edited content, changes to an account profile, and direct or private messages. However, it cannot capture such changes retroactively. If a social media account is not enrolled or subsequently becomes disconnected from ArchiveSocial, any changes including deleted or modified posts, cannot be captured.

The Twitter account @realDonaldTrump was disconnected from ArchiveSocial in April 2020. A key feature of ArchiveSocial is that it sends automated alerts to the account owners/system administrators every three to five days to remind them to reconnect any disconnected accounts. The tool also displays information about the account status in the dashboard. It appears that Trump Administration officials failed to respond to these frequent and repeated alerts and never re-enrolled that account.

When White House officials brought this problem to our attention near the end of the administration, Twitter had permanently suspended @realDonaldTrump. NARA contacted Twitter directly to ask if it retained the account data between April 20th and the account's suspension. Twitter provided us with a copy of the available account data. However, it did not include previously deleted tweets, which are not retained by the company. Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the Trump Administration or Twitter. While we do have access to copies of deleted tweets collected by other non-governmental sources, we do not consider them as official Presidential records and cannot ensure the completeness of their captured account data.

- The Trump White House did not take any steps to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media account other than @realDonaldTrump or @POTUS prior to enrolling them with ArchiveSocial. As with @realDonaldTrump, many other Trump Administration social media accounts were not enrolled until the summer or fall of 2018, even though these accounts were active for over a year prior to enrollment, during which time deleted or modified Presidential record content was not captured. Other accounts were not enrolled until just prior to the end of the administration.
- The ArchiveSocial tool included the ability to capture direct messages that may have been used on the platforms, but the Trump Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, and was unable to report whether direct messaging was actually used on any of the platforms by the account holders.

- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we think contain presidential record information, but were not captured by the Trump Administration. These accounts belonged to Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro. After the end of the administration, NARA obtained the publicly available tweets from these accounts in order to supplement its archival collection.
- In January 2021, administration officials advised NARA that two social media accounts they thought contained Presidential record content were not enrolled in ArchiveSocial and could not be retroactively enrolled as they had been suspended by the platforms. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook, which operates Instagram, to obtain access to the accounts, but Facebook was not able to provide access.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration, (@realDonaldTrump and @whitehouse), which advised NARA that it was capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump Administration used the @whitehouse account approximately five times during four years. However, the administration regularly used the @realDonaldTrump account. News reports indicate that the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. We do not know whether direct messaging was enabled on the account. We are not able to determine to what extent @realDonaldTrump SnapChat contained unique Presidential records as compared to content duplicative from other platforms, or purely campaign related material which would not have been a Presidential record.

Please let me know when you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 6:47 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
Yes, 1:00 works for me (though I have to leave at 1:15, but that should be enough time).

Thanks

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 8:49 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I could talk later today. Would 1:00 pm work?

On Thu, Oct 14, 2021 at 5:18 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please let me know when you are free to talk, including either later today or tomorrow?

Thanks,

Gary

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On Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the [Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was

widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.

- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.
- In its last weeks, the Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook to obtain access to the accounts but was never able to do so.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration (realdonaldtrump and whitehouse), and NARA was advised that they were capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump administration used the White House account approximately five times during four years. However, the realdonaldtrump account was used regularly. News reports indicate the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. It is not known whether direct messaging was enabled on the account.

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Thanks,
Gary

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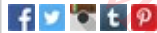


On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) please let me know when you will be able to talk about this?

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

I will call you later this week.

Thanks.
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferriero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
wrote:

Gary,

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

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(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

[Redacted]

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[Redacted]

I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)
[Redacted]

Thanks,
Gary

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On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
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(b) (5)
[Redacted]

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[REDACTED]

Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status and return of all of these records.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Tue, Jun 8, 2021 at 7:42 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary, as we discussed yesterday, we will work with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) on arrangements for the North Korea materials. We are continuing to look into the other two categories of documents and will get back to you with more information soon.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 3:59 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will coordinate with you on arranging for transfer of the North Korea records.

Please let me know as soon as you can the status of the other records that we have raised. It is vitally important that we account for them, and any other Presidential records that may still be outside of our possession, as quickly as possible.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 4:19 PM <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Hi <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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From: <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> nara.gov

Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM

To: <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>; <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

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<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Do you have this correspondence at the office in Alexandria?
If so, we can pick them up. If not, we'll need to discuss some other options.

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 3:46 PM <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

We have the original North Korea correspondence available to send to you. Please let me know the best arrangements to get this to you.

I'm checking on the other items and will circle back with you on those.

Thanks,

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 6, 2021 3:16 PM

To: <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> nara.gov

Subject: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>:

As the EOP continues to transfer the electronic Trump Presidential records into our custody, we have come upon several problems that we need your help in resolving. We have already been working with (b) (6), (b) (7) to address various issues with respect to capturing Presidential records on social media accounts; his assistance has been very helpful, although some problems remain that will likely require further follow up with you.

There are also now certain paper/textual records that we cannot account for. We therefore need your immediate assistance to ensure that NARA receives all Presidential records as required by the Presidential Records Act.

For example, the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un were not transferred to us; it is our understanding that in January 2021, just prior to the end of the Administration, the originals were put in a binder for the President, but were never returned to the Office of Records Management for transfer to NARA. It is essential that these original records be transferred to NARA as soon as possible.

Similarly, the letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office has not been transferred; since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of NARA's other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this one be provided to us as well.

It is also our understanding that roughly two dozen boxes of original Presidential records were kept in the Residence of the White House over the course of President Trump's last year in office and have not been transferred to NARA, despite a determination by (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) in the final days of the Administration that they need to be. I had also raised this concern with (b) (6), (b) (7) during the final weeks.

We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

Please let us know as soon as you can how we can get these issues resolved.

Thanks,
Gary
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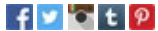
From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 11/12/2021 03:22:09 PM
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FYI, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

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Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Nov 1, 2021 at 10:52 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

fyi, I just spoke with (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Date: Fri, Oct 29, 2021 at 10:14 AM
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) ?

Also please let me know (b) (5)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 3:54 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 8:54 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Ok

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 21, 2021, at 7:26 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 4:12 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

10:30 would work better for us. I'm adding (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to this email, (b) (5).

Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 3:34 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Could we talk at 10:00 am tomorrow?

On Tue, Oct 19, 2021 at 12:50 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

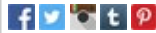
Yes, I am happy to talk further (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5). Tomorrow doesn't work for me, but Thursday afternoon or just about anytime on Friday should work.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

(b) (5)

I'd like to

let (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (whom I've copied here) (b) (5)

Would you be available for a call on Wednesday of this week?

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 10:48 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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NARA did not receive all of the Presidential records created by President Trump and White House staff that were posted on social media platforms, as summarized in more detail below:

- Early in the Trump Administration questions were raised about President Trump's use of his personal Twitter account to conduct official government business and whether deleted tweets were being captured and preserved as Presidential records. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump Administration that it should capture and preserve as Presidential records all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, whether on his personal @realDonaldTrump account or on the official @POTUS account, including those tweets that were subsequently deleted. As I reported in a March 30, 2017, letter to Senators Claire McCaskill and Tom Carper, NARA was "informed by White House officials that they [were], in fact, doing so."

Since the end of the administration, we have learned that the White House initially used a manual process to capture tweets that were deleted from @realDonaldTrump and @POTUS by copying them from non-governmental organizations that were capturing them, such as ProPublica and Factba.se. The White House did not begin using the vendor ArchiveSocial to automate the capture of tweets and other social media records in real-time until January 2018. Moreover, @realDonaldTrump was not enrolled until August 2018 and the tool stopped capturing @realDonaldTrump in April 2020. The official @POTUS was enrolled in February 2018 and remained connected throughout the rest of the administration.

When properly implemented, ArchiveSocial captures all versions of content as it appears on the platforms, along with any changes, such as deleted or edited content, changes to an account profile, and direct or private messages. However, it cannot capture such changes retroactively. If a social media account is not enrolled or subsequently becomes disconnected from ArchiveSocial, any changes, including deleted or modified posts, cannot be captured.

The Twitter account @realDonaldTrump was disconnected from ArchiveSocial in April 2020. A key feature of ArchiveSocial is that it sends automated alerts to the account owners/system

administrators every three to five days to remind them to reconnect any disconnected accounts. The tool also displays information about the account status in the dashboard. It appears that Trump Administration officials failed to respond to these frequent and repeated alerts and never re-enrolled that account.

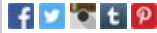
When White House officials brought this problem to our attention near the end of the administration, Twitter had permanently suspended @realDonaldTrump. NARA contacted Twitter directly to ask if it retained the account data between April 20th and the account's suspension. Twitter provided us with a copy of the available account data. However, it did not include previously deleted tweets, which are not retained by the company. Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the Trump Administration or Twitter. While we do have access to copies of deleted tweets collected by other non-governmental sources, we do not consider them as official Presidential records and cannot ensure the completeness of their captured account data.

- The Trump White House did not take any steps to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media account other than @realDonaldTrump or @POTUS prior to enrolling them with ArchiveSocial. As with @realDonaldTrump, many other Trump Administration social media accounts were not enrolled until the summer or fall of 2018, even though these accounts were active for over a year prior to enrollment, during which time deleted or modified Presidential record content was not captured. Other accounts were not enrolled until just prior to the end of the administration.
- The ArchiveSocial tool included the ability to capture direct messages that may have been used on the platforms, but the Trump Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, and was unable to report whether direct messaging was actually used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we think contain presidential record information, but were not captured by the Trump Administration. These accounts belonged to Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro. After the end of the administration, NARA obtained the publicly available tweets from these accounts in order to supplement its archival collection.
- In January 2021, administration officials advised NARA that two social media accounts they thought contained Presidential record content were not enrolled in ArchiveSocial and could not be retroactively enrolled as they had been suspended by the platforms. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook, which operates Instagram, to obtain access to the accounts, but Facebook was not able to provide access.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration, (@realdonaldtrump and @whitehouse), which advised NARA that it was capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump Administration used the @whitehouse account approximately five times during four years. However, the administration regularly used the @realdonaldtrump account. News reports indicate that the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. We do not know whether direct messaging was enabled on the account. We are not able to determine to what extent @realdonaldtrump SnapChat contained unique Presidential records as compared to content duplicative from other platforms, or purely campaign related material which would not have been a Presidential record.

Please let me know when you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 6:47 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
Yes, 1:00 works for me (though I have to leave at 1:15, but that should be enough time).

Thanks

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 8:49 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I could talk later today. Would 1:00 pm work?

On Thu, Oct 14, 2021 at 5:18 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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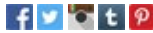
Please let me know when you are free to talk, including either later today or tomorrow?

Thanks,

Gary

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On Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the [Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured
- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.
- In its last weeks, the Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook to obtain access to the accounts but was never able to do so.
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President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump administration used the White House account approximately five times during four years. However, the realdonaldtrump account was used regularly. News reports indicate the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. It is not known whether direct messaging was enabled on the account.

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Thanks,
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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) please let me know when you will be able to talk about this?

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

. I will call you later this week.

Thanks.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferriero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
wrote:

Gary,

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

Thanks,
Gary

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On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
[Redacted]
(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]
[Redacted]

The Archivist has now directed me to seek the assistance of the Department of Justice, which is the necessary recourse when we are unable to obtain the return of improperly removed government records that belong in our custody.

Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status and return of all of these records.

Thanks,
Gary
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On Tue, Jun 8, 2021 at 7:42 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary, as we discussed yesterday, we will work with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) on arrangements for the North Korea materials. We are continuing to look into the other two categories of

documents and will get back to you with more information soon.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 3:59 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will coordinate with you on arranging for transfer of the North Korea records.

Please let me know as soon as you can the status of the other records that we have raised. It is vitally important that we account for them, and any other Presidential records that may still be outside of our possession, as quickly as possible.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 4:19 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Do you have this correspondence at the office in Alexandria? If so, we can pick them up. If not, we'll need

to discuss some other options.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 3:46 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

We have the original North Korea correspondence available to send to you. Please let me know the best arrangements to get this to you.

I'm checking on the other items and will circle back with you on those.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 6, 2021 3:16 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> @nara.gov

Subject: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C):

As the EOP continues to transfer the electronic Trump Presidential records into our custody, we have come upon several problems that we need your help in resolving. We have already been working with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to address various issues with respect to capturing Presidential records on social media accounts; his assistance has been very helpful, although some problems remain that will likely require further follow up with you.

There are also now certain paper/textual records that we cannot account for. We therefore need your immediate assistance to ensure that NARA receives all Presidential records as required by the Presidential Records Act.

For example, the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un were not transferred to us; it is our understanding that in January 2021, just prior to the end of the Administration, the originals were put in a binder for the President, but were never returned to the Office of Records Management for transfer to NARA. It is essential that these original records be transferred to NARA as soon as possible.

Similarly, the letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office has not been transferred; since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of NARA's other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this

one be provided to us as well.

It is also our understanding that roughly two dozen boxes of original Presidential records were kept in the Residence of the White House over the course of President Trump's last year in office and have not been transferred to NARA, despite a determination by (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) in the final days of the Administration that they need to be. I had also raised this concern with (b) (6), (b) (7) during the final weeks.

We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

Please let us know as soon as you can how we can get these issues resolved.

Thanks,
Gary
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From: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Sent time: 11/12/2021 03:26:36 PM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

Thanks

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On Fri, Nov 12, 2021, 3:22 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

FYI, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

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Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:12 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Sounds good. Let me know what he has to say.

Thanks

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On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:12 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

Next week.

On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:11 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Given that (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Let me know what you think, and feel free to call me if you'd like to discuss (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,

Gary

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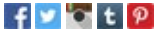
(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) ?

Also please let me know (b) (5) .

Thanks,

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 3:54 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 8:54 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

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On Oct 21, 2021, at 7:26 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 4:12 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

10:30 would work better for us. I'm adding (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to this email, (b) (5)

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 3:34 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Could we talk at 10:00 am tomorrow?

On Tue, Oct 19, 2021 at 12:50 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, I am happy to talk further (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

. Tomorrow doesn't work for me, but Thursday afternoon or just about anytime on

Friday should work.

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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

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I'd like to
let (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (whom I've copied here) (b) (5)
Would you be available for a call on Wednesday of this week?

Thanks,
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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 10:48 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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NARA did not receive, all of the Presidential records created by President Trump and White House staff that were posted on social media platforms, as summarized in more detail below:

- Early in the Trump Administration, questions were raised about President Trump's use of his personal Twitter account to conduct official government business and whether deleted tweets were being captured and preserved as Presidential records. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump Administration that it should capture and preserve as Presidential records all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, whether on his personal @realDonaldTrump account or on the official @POTUS account, including those tweets that were subsequently deleted. As I reported in a March 30, 2017, letter to Senators Claire McCaskill and Tom Carper, NARA was "informed by White House officials that they [were], in fact, doing so."

Since the end of the administration, we have learned that the White House initially used a manual process to capture tweets that were deleted from @realDonaldTrump and @POTUS by copying them from non-governmental organizations that were capturing them, such as Propublica and Factba.se. The White House did not begin using the vendor ArchiveSocial to automate the capture of tweets and other social media records in real-time until January 2018. Moreover, @realDonaldTrump was not enrolled until August 2018 and the tool stopped capturing @realDonaldTrump in April 2020. The official @POTUS was enrolled in

February 2018 and remained connected throughout the rest of the administration.

When properly implemented, ArchiveSocial captures all versions of content as it appears on the platforms, along with any changes, such as deleted or edited content, changes to an account profile, and direct or private messages. However, it cannot capture such changes retroactively. If a social media account is not enrolled or subsequently becomes disconnected from ArchiveSocial, any changes, including deleted or modified posts, cannot be captured.

The Twitter account @realDonaldTrump was disconnected from ArchiveSocial in April 2020. A key feature of ArchiveSocial is that it sends automated alerts to the account owners/system administrators every three to five days to remind them to reconnect any disconnected accounts. The tool also displays information about the account status in the dashboard. It appears that Trump Administration officials failed to respond to these frequent and repeated alerts and never re-enrolled that account.

When White House officials brought this problem to our attention near the end of the administration, Twitter had permanently suspended @realDonaldTrump. NARA contacted Twitter directly to ask if it retained the account data between April 20th and the account's suspension. Twitter provided us with a copy of the available account data. However, it did not include previously deleted tweets, which are not retained by the company. Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the Trump Administration or Twitter. While we do have access to copies of deleted tweets collected by other non-governmental sources, we do not consider them as official Presidential records and cannot ensure the completeness of their captured account data.

- The Trump White House did not take any steps to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media account other than @realDonaldTrump or @POTUS prior to enrolling them with ArchiveSocial. As with @realDonaldTrump, many other Trump Administration social media accounts were not enrolled until the summer or fall of 2018, even though these accounts were active for over a year prior to enrollment, during which time deleted or modified Presidential record content was not captured. Other accounts were not enrolled until just prior to the end of the administration.
- The ArchiveSocial tool included the ability to capture direct messages that may have been used on the platforms, but the Trump Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, and was unable to report whether direct messaging was actually used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we think contain presidential record information, but were not captured by the Trump Administration. These accounts belonged to Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro. After the end of the administration, NARA obtained the publicly available tweets from these accounts in order to supplement its archival collection.
- In January 2021, administration officials advised NARA that two social media accounts they thought contained Presidential record content were not enrolled in ArchiveSocial and could not be retroactively enrolled as they had been suspended by the platforms. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook, which operates Instagram, to obtain access to the accounts, but Facebook was not able to provide access.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration, (@realdonaldtrump and @whitehouse), which advised NARA that it was capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump Administration used the @whitehouse

account approximately five times during four years. However, the administration regularly used the @realdonaldtrump account. News reports indicate that the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. We do not know whether direct messaging was enabled on the account. We are not able to determine to what extent @realdonaldtrump SnapChat contained unique Presidential records as compared to content duplicative from other platforms, or purely campaign related material which would not have been a Presidential record.

Please let me know when you would like to discuss further.

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 6:47 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
Yes, 1:00 works for me (though I have to leave at 1:15, but that should be enough time).

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Gary,

I could talk later today. Would 1:00 pm work?

On Thu, Oct 14, 2021 at 5:18 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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On Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the [Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.
- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection.

These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.

- In its last weeks, the Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook to obtain access to the accounts but was never able to do so.
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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

. I will call you later this week.

Thanks.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

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On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stern

<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Thanks,

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On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern

<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5)

Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status and return of all of these records.

Thanks,

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On Tue, Jun 8, 2021 at 7:42 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary, as we discussed yesterday, we will work with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) on arrangements for the North Korea materials. We are continuing to look into the other two categories of documents and will get back to you with more information soon.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 3:59 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> @nara.gov; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will coordinate with you on arranging for transfer of the North Korea records.

Please let me know as soon as you can the status of the other records that we have raised. It is vitally important that we account for them, and any other Presidential records that may still be outside of our possession, as quickly as possible.

Thanks,

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 4:19 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Cc: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Do you have this correspondence at the office in Alexandria? If so, we can pick them up. If not, we'll need to discuss some other options.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 3:46 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

We have the original North Korea correspondence available to send to you. Please let me know the best arrangements to get this to you.

I'm checking on the other items and will circle back with you on those.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent: Thursday, May 6, 2021 3:16 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C):

As the EOP continues to transfer the electronic Trump Presidential records into our custody, we have come upon several problems that we need your help in resolving. We have already been working with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to address various issues with respect to capturing Presidential records on social media accounts; his assistance has been very helpful, although some problems remain that will likely require further follow up with you.

There are also now certain paper/textual records that we cannot account for. We therefore need your immediate assistance to ensure that NARA receives all Presidential records as required by the Presidential Records Act.

For example, the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un were not transferred to us; it is our understanding that in January 2021, just prior to the end of the Administration, the originals were put in a binder for the President, but were never returned to the Office of Records Management for transfer to NARA. It is essential that these original records be transferred to NARA as soon as possible.

Similarly, the letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office has not been transferred; since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of NARA's other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this one be provided to us as well.

It is also our understanding that roughly two dozen boxes of original Presidential records were kept in the Residence of the White House over the course of President Trump's last year in office and have not been transferred to NARA, despite a determination by (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) in the final days of the Administration that they need to be. I had also raised this concern with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) during the final weeks.

We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

Please let us know as soon as you can how we can get these issues resolved.

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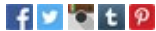
From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 11/15/2021 07:40:28 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

By way of a further update, today (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

We'll see if this gets things anywhere.

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On Fri, Nov 12, 2021 at 3:26 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

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On Fri, Nov 12, 2021, 3:22 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

FYI, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

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On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:12 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:
Next week.

On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:11 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Given that (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Let me know what you think, and feel free to call me if you'd like to discuss (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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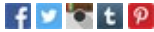


On Mon, Nov 1, 2021 at 10:52 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

fyi, I just spoke with, (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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From: **GaryM Stern** <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Date: Fri, Oct 29, 2021 at 10:14 AM
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) ?

Also please let me know (b) (5)

Thanks,
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Thanks,
Gary

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On Thu, Oct 21, 2021 at 3:34 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Could we talk at 10:00 am tomorrow?

On Tue, Oct 19, 2021 at 12:50 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, I am happy to talk further (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Tomorrow doesn't work for me, but Thursday afternoon or just about
anytime on Friday should work.

Thanks,
Gary

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Gary,

(b) (5)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C). I'd like
to let (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (whom I've copied here) (b) (5)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Would you be available for a call on Wednesday of this week?

Thanks,
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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NARA did not receive, all of the Presidential records created by President Trump and White House staff that were posted on social media platforms, as summarized in more detail below:

- Early in the Trump Administration, questions were raised about President Trump's use of his personal Twitter account to conduct official government business and whether deleted tweets were being captured and preserved as Presidential records. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump Administration that it should capture and preserve as Presidential records all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, whether on his personal @realDonaldTrump account or on the official @POTUS account, including those tweets that were subsequently deleted. As I reported in a March 30, 2017, letter to Senators Claire McCaskill and Tom Carper, NARA was "informed by White House officials that they [were], in fact, doing so."

Since the end of the administration, we have learned that the White House initially used a manual process to capture tweets that were deleted from @realDonaldTrump and @POTUS by copying them from non-governmental organizations that were capturing them, such as ProPublica and Factba.se. The White House did not begin using the vendor ArchiveSocial to automate the capture of tweets and other social media records in real-time until January 2018. Moreover, @realDonaldTrump was not enrolled until August 2018 and the tool stopped capturing @realDonaldTrump in April 2020. The official @POTUS was enrolled in February 2018 and remained connected throughout the rest of the administration.

When properly implemented, ArchiveSocial captures all versions of content as it appears on the platforms, along with any changes, such as deleted or edited content, changes to an account profile, and direct or private messages. However, it cannot capture such changes retroactively. If a social media account is not enrolled or subsequently becomes disconnected from ArchiveSocial, any changes, including deleted or modified posts, cannot be captured.

The Twitter account @realDonaldTrump was disconnected from ArchiveSocial in April 2020. A key feature of ArchiveSocial is that it sends automated alerts to the account owners/system administrators every three to five days to remind them to reconnect any disconnected accounts. The tool also displays information about the account status in the dashboard. It appears that Trump Administration officials failed to respond to these frequent and repeated alerts and never re-enrolled that account.

When White House officials brought this problem to our attention near the end of the administration, Twitter had permanently suspended @realDonaldTrump. NARA contacted Twitter directly to ask if it retained the account data between April 20th and the account's suspension. Twitter provided us with a copy of the available account data. However, it did not include previously deleted tweets, which are not retained by the company. Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the Trump Administration or Twitter. While we do have access to copies of deleted tweets collected by other non-governmental sources, we do not consider them as official Presidential records and cannot ensure the completeness of their captured account data.

- The Trump White House did not take any steps to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media account other than @realDonaldTrump or @POTUS prior to enrolling them with ArchiveSocial. As with @realDonaldTrump, many other Trump Administration social media accounts were not enrolled until the summer or fall of 2018, even though these accounts were active for over a year prior to enrollment, during which

time deleted or modified Presidential record content was not captured. Other accounts were not enrolled until just prior to the end of the administration.

- The ArchiveSocial tool included the ability to capture direct messages that may have been used on the platforms, but the Trump Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, and was unable to report whether direct messaging was actually used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we think contain presidential record information, but were not captured by the Trump Administration. These accounts belonged to Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro. After the end of the administration, NARA obtained the publicly available tweets from these accounts in order to supplement its archival collection.
- In January 2021, administration officials advised NARA that two social media accounts they thought contained Presidential record content were not enrolled in ArchiveSocial and could not be retroactively enrolled as they had been suspended by the platforms. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook, which operates Instagram, to obtain access to the accounts, but Facebook was not able to provide access.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration, (@realDonaldTrump and @whitehouse), which advised NARA that it was capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump Administration used the @whitehouse account approximately five times during four years. However, the administration regularly used the @realDonaldTrump account. News reports indicate that the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. We do not know whether direct messaging was enabled on the account. We are not able to determine to what extent @realDonaldTrump SnapChat contained unique Presidential records as compared to content duplicative from other platforms, or purely campaign related material which would not have been a Presidential record.

Please let me know when you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 6:47 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, 1:00 works for me (though I have to leave at 1:15, but that should be enough time).

Thanks

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 8:49 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I could talk later today. Would 1:00 pm work?

On Thu, Oct 14, 2021 at 5:18 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Please let me know when you are free to talk, including either later today or tomorrow?

Thanks,

Gary

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On Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the

[Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.
- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.
- In its last weeks, the Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook to obtain access to the accounts but was never able to do so.
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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) please let me know when you will be able to talk about this?

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

I will call you later this week.

Thanks.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferriero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

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I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stem
<garym.stem@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

[Redacted signature block]

Thanks,
Gary

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On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern

<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5)

Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status and return of all of these records.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, Jun 8, 2021 at 7:42 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary, as we discussed yesterday, we will work with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) on arrangements for the North Korea materials.

We are continuing to look into the other two categories of documents and will get back to you with more information soon.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 3:59 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> @nara.gov; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will coordinate with you on arranging for transfer of the North Korea records.

Please let me know as soon as you can the status of the other records that we have raised. It is vitally important that we account for them, and any other Presidential records that may still be outside of our possession, as quickly as possible.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 4:19 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> @nara.gov

Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Do you have this correspondence at the office in Alexandria? If so, we can pick them up. If not, we'll need to discuss some other options.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 3:46 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

We have the original North Korea correspondence available to send to you. Please let me know the best arrangements to get this to you.

I'm checking on the other items and will circle back with you on those.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 6, 2021 3:16 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@com>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@gov>

Subject: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C):

As the EOP continues to transfer the electronic Trump Presidential records into our custody, we have come upon several problems that we need your help in resolving. We have already been working with (b) (6), (b) (7) to address various issues with respect to capturing Presidential records on social media accounts; his assistance has been very helpful, although some problems remain that will likely require further follow up with you.

There are also now certain paper/textual records that we cannot account for. We therefore need your immediate assistance to ensure that NARA receives all Presidential records as required by the Presidential Records Act.

For example, the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un were not transferred to us; it is our understanding that in January 2021, just prior to the end of the Administration, the originals were put in a binder for the President, but were never returned to the Office of Records Management for transfer to NARA. It is essential that these original records be transferred to NARA as soon as possible.

Similarly, the letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office has not been transferred; since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of NARA's other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this one be provided to us as well.

It is also our understanding that roughly two dozen

boxes of original Presidential records were kept in the Residence of the White House over the course of President Trump's last year in office and have not been transferred to NARA, despite a determination by (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) in the final days of the Administration that they need to be. I had also raised this concern with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) during the final weeks.

We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

Please let us know as soon as you can how we can get these issues resolved.

Thanks,

Gary

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 12/08/2021 05:04:44 PM
To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

FYI, today (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Nov 15, 2021 at 7:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

By way of a further update, today (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

We'll see if this gets things anywhere.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Nov 12, 2021 at 3:26 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

Thanks

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On Fri, Nov 12, 2021, 3:22 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

FYI, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)

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Thanks,
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On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:12 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Sounds good. Let me know what he has to say.

Thanks

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On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:12 PM David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov> wrote:

Next week.

On Fri, Nov 5, 2021 at 3:11 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Given that (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Let me know what you think, and feel free to call me if you'd like to discuss (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Mon, Nov 1, 2021 at 10:52 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

fyi, I just spoke with (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

[REDACTED]

Thanks,
Gary

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From: **GaryM Stern** <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Date: Fri, Oct 29, 2021 at 10:14 AM

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) ?

Also please let me know (b) (5)

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 3:54 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Please let me know if you have any questions.

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On Fri, Oct 22, 2021 at 8:54 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Ok

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 21, 2021, at 7:26 PM, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Thanks,
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Thanks,
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Thanks,
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On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 12:50 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

(b) (5)

I'd like to let (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (whom I've copied here) (b) (5)

Would you be available for a call on Wednesday of this week?

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Mon, Oct 18, 2021 at 10:48 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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NARA did not receive, all of the Presidential records created by President Trump and White House staff that were posted on social media platforms, as summarized in more detail below:

- Early in the Trump Administration, questions were raised about President Trump's use of his personal Twitter account to conduct official government business and whether deleted tweets were being captured and preserved as Presidential records. In March 2017, NARA advised the Trump Administration that it should capture and preserve as Presidential records all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, whether on his personal @realDonaldTrump account or on the official @POTUS account, including those tweets that were subsequently deleted. As I reported in a March 30, 2017, letter to Senators Claire McCaskill and Tom Carper, NARA was "informed by White House officials that they [were], in fact, doing so."

Since the end of the administration, we have learned that the White House initially used a manual process to capture tweets that were deleted from @realDonaldTrump and @POTUS by copying them from non-governmental organizations that were capturing them, such as Propublica and Factba.se. The White House did not begin using the vendor ArchiveSocial to automate the capture of tweets and other social media records in real-time until January 2018. Moreover, @realDonaldTrump was not enrolled until August 2018 and the tool stopped capturing @realDonaldTrump in April 2020. The official @POTUS was enrolled in February 2018 and remained connected throughout the rest of the administration.

When properly implemented, ArchiveSocial captures all versions of content as it appears on the platforms, along with any changes, such as deleted or edited content, changes to an

account profile, and direct or private messages. However, it cannot capture such changes retroactively. If a social media account is not enrolled or subsequently becomes disconnected from ArchiveSocial, any changes, including deleted or modified posts, cannot be captured.

The Twitter account @realDonaldTrump was disconnected from ArchiveSocial in April 2020. A key feature of ArchiveSocial is that it sends automated alerts to the account owners/system administrators every three to five days to remind them to reconnect any disconnected accounts. The tool also displays information about the account status in the dashboard. It appears that Trump Administration officials failed to respond to these frequent and repeated alerts and never re-enrolled that account.

When White House officials brought this problem to our attention near the end of the administration, Twitter had permanently suspended @realDonaldTrump. NARA contacted Twitter directly to ask if it retained the account data between April 20th and the account's suspension. Twitter provided us with a copy of the available account data. However, it did not include previously deleted tweets, which are not retained by the company.

Accordingly, we were unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the Trump Administration or Twitter. While we do have access to copies of deleted tweets collected by other non-governmental sources, we do not consider them as official Presidential records and cannot ensure the completeness of their captured account data.

- The Trump White House did not take any steps to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media account other than @realDonaldTrump or @POTUS prior to enrolling them with ArchiveSocial. As with @realDonaldTrump, many other Trump Administration social media accounts were not enrolled until the summer or fall of 2018, even though these accounts were active for over a year prior to enrollment, during which time deleted or modified Presidential record content was not captured. Other accounts were not enrolled until just prior to the end of the administration.
- The ArchiveSocial tool included the ability to capture direct messages that may have been used on the platforms, but the Trump Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, and was unable to report whether direct messaging was actually used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we think contain presidential record information, but were not captured by the Trump Administration. These accounts belonged to Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin, Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro. After the end of the administration, NARA obtained the publicly available tweets from these accounts in order to supplement its archival collection.
- In January 2021, administration officials advised NARA that two social media accounts they thought contained Presidential record content were not enrolled in ArchiveSocial and could not be retroactively enrolled as they had been suspended by the platforms. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook, which operates Instagram, to obtain access to the accounts, but Facebook was not able to provide access.
- SnapChat was used by the Trump Administration, (@realdonaldtrump and @whitehouse), which advised NARA that it was capturing content posted to the platform. NARA reviewed the transferred social media records and has not located any SnapChat content. SnapChat ultimately banned President Trump from the platform and it is not possible to see any previous content. SnapChat advised NARA that the Trump Administration used the @whitehouse account approximately five times during four years. However, the administration regularly used the @realdonaldtrump account. News reports indicate that the account had 1.5 million followers on the platform. We do not know whether direct

messaging was enabled on the account. We are not able to determine to what extent @realdonaldtrump SnapChat contained unique Presidential records as compared to content duplicative from other platforms, or purely campaign related material which would not have been a Presidential record.

Please let me know when you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 6:47 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, 1:00 works for me (though I have to leave at 1:15, but that should be enough time).

Thanks

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On Fri, Oct 15, 2021 at 8:49 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

I could talk later today. Would 1:00 pm work?

On Thu, Oct 14, 2021 at 5:18 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

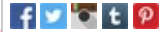
Please let me know when you are free to talk, including either later today or tomorrow?

Thanks,

Gary

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On Mon, Sep 6, 2021 at 11:59 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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Also, here's additional background on the social media issues we discussed. On page 2 of the [Archivist's March 30, 2017, response to queries from Senators McCaskill and Carper](#), he stated that "NARA has advised the White House that it should capture and preserve all tweets that the President posts in the course of his official duties, including those that are subsequently deleted, as Presidential records, and NARA has been informed by White House officials that they are, in fact, doing so." (b) (5)

- No steps were taken to capture deleted content from any Trump Administration social media records other than @realDonaldTrump until the Administration procured a third party social media archiving tool in February 2018. After that, use of the tool was widespread but not timely. For example, most accounts were eventually enrolled but may have been active for weeks, months, or years prior to enrollment, during which time deleted content was not captured.
- At the end of the administration, NARA learned that the White House stopped using the social media archiving tool to capture deleted Tweets in April 2020, and Twitter was unable to provide the deleted Tweets to us after the fact. Accordingly, NARA was unable to obtain a complete set of these Presidential records from the White House. NARA is considering utilizing what was collected by non-governmental sources as an adjunct to our archival collection.
- The third party tool used to capture social media content from Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook included the ability to capture direct messages on the platforms. The Administration opted not to enable capture of direct messages, but was unable to report whether direct messaging was used on any of the platforms by the account holders.
- NARA identified seven Twitter accounts that we believe contain PRA records but were not captured by the Trump Administration. NARA obtained the publicly available tweets at the end of the administration through a third party to supplement its archival collection. These include accounts from Andrew Giuliani, Chad Gilmartin,

Ivanka Trump, Kayleigh McEnany, Kellyanne Conway, Mark Meadows, and Peter Navarro.

- In its last weeks, the Trump Administration advised NARA that two social media accounts it believed should be treated as containing PRA content were not enrolled in their third party archiving tool and could not be retroactively enrolled. These accounts were Donald J. Trump on Facebook and @realDonaldTrump on Instagram. NARA endeavored to work with Facebook to obtain access to the accounts but was never able to do so.
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On Fri, Sep 3, 2021 at 2:08 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary, could we talk this afternoon? I can do any time except 3.

On Thu, Sep 2, 2021 at 5:40 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) please let me know when you will be able to talk about this?

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, Aug 31, 2021 at 1:05 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:
Gary,

I will want to discuss the situation with you. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]. I will call you later this week.

Thanks.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2021, at 2:41 PM, Gary M Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), since late July (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) has been communicating directly with David Ferriero about the status of the missing Presidential records, which to date have still not been located.

I wanted to give you a heads up that, earlier today, David informed (b) (6), (b) (7) that our ability to respond fully to all of the pending PRA special access requests (including the August 25, 2021, request from the House Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol) requires access to the 24 boxes (and other potentially missing records, e.g., any deleted Tweets from April 2020 through January 8, 2021). David explained that if any records have been destroyed or cannot be located, he is obligated to report it to DOJ, Congress, and the White House.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss further.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Sat, Jul 3, 2021 at 12:17 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

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[Redacted]

I hope this is helpful.

I look forward to talking tomorrow.

Thanks,
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 2, 2021, at 10:37 AM, GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5)
[Redacted]

Thanks,
Gary

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On Wed, Jun 30, 2021, 6:26 PM GaryM Stern
<garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
[Redacted]

(b) (5)
[Redacted]

Please contact me as soon as possible to discuss the status
and return of all of these records.

Thanks,
Gary

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On Tue, Jun 8, 2021 at 7:42 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary, as we discussed yesterday, we will work with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) on arrangements for the North Korea materials. We are continuing to look into the other two categories of documents and will get back to you with more information soon.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 3:59 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will coordinate with you on arranging for transfer of the North Korea records.

Please let me know as soon as you can the status of the other records that we have raised. It is vitally important that we account for them, and any other Presidential records that may still be outside of our possession, as quickly as possible.

Thanks,

Gary

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On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 4:19 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Hi (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) The correspondence is at the Florida office.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Sent: Tuesday, May 18, 2021 4:11:00 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Subject: Re: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Do you have this correspondence at the office in Alexandria? If so, we can pick them up. If not, we'll need to discuss some other options.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, May 18, 2021 at 3:46 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Gary,

We have the original North Korea correspondence available to send to you. Please let me know the best arrangements to get this to you.

I'm checking on the other items and will circle back with you on those.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 6, 2021 3:16 PM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

<(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Subject: Need for Assistance re Presidential Records

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C):

As the EOP continues to transfer the electronic Trump Presidential records into our custody, we have come upon several problems that we need your help in

resolving. We have already been working with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) to address various issues with respect to capturing Presidential records on social media accounts; his assistance has been very helpful, although some problems remain that will likely require further follow up with you.

There are also now certain paper/textual records that we cannot account for. We therefore need your immediate assistance to ensure that NARA receives all Presidential records as required by the Presidential Records Act.

For example, the original correspondence between President Trump and North Korean Leader Kim Jong-un were not transferred to us; it is our understanding that in January 2021, just prior to the end of the Administration, the originals were put in a binder for the President, but were never returned to the Office of Records Management for transfer to NARA. It is essential that these original records be transferred to NARA as soon as possible.

Similarly, the letter that President Obama left for President Trump on his first day in office has not been transferred; since that letter was received by President Trump after his term commenced, it is a Presidential record – note that all of NARA's other Presidential Libraries maintain the original copy of similar letters, and it is necessary that this one be provided to us as well.

It is also our understanding that roughly two dozen boxes of original Presidential records were kept in the Residence of the White House over the course of President Trump's last year in office and have not been transferred to NARA, despite a determination by (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) in the final days of the Administration that they need to be. I had also raised this concern with (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) during the final weeks.

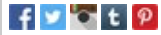
We know things were very chaotic, as they always are in the course of a one-term transition. This is why the transfer of the Trump electronic records is still ongoing and won't be complete for several more months. But it is absolutely necessary that we obtain and account for all original Presidential records.

Please let us know as soon as you can how we can get these issues resolved.

Thanks,
Gary
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (cell)

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 12/21/2021 11:25:56 AM
To: Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Subject: Pickup of Trump Records from Florida

Jay, (b) (5)

Let me know if you have any luck with (b) (5)

Thanks
Gary

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From: William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Sent time: 12/21/2021 05:30:36 PM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Pickup of Trump Records from Florida

Thanks. Of course, (b) (5)

Jay

On Tue, Dec 21, 2021 at 11:26 AM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

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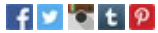
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Exactly. I suppose if (b) (5)

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On Tue, Dec 21, 2021 at 5:30 PM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Sent time: 12/30/2021 04:39:38 PM

To: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>; Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>; Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>; Donius, Susan <susan.donius@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Subject: Fwd: BOXES [Trump]

(b) (5)

Thanks,
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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Date: Thu, Dec 30, 2021, 3:17 PM

Subject: BOXES

To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

Gary – Further to our conversation, we have located 12 boxes that are 25” x 12.5” x 10.5”. In addition, we have the Obama letter, the Kim Jong-un correspondence, and the NOAA poster. Pick up will be at Mar-a-Lago.

I have cc'd (b) (6), (b) (7) who can assist with logistics.

Regards,
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: David Ferriero <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Sent time: 12/30/2021 05:42:52 PM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Cc: Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>; Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>; Donius, Susan <susan.donius@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
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Better!

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To: William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Pickup of Trump Records from Florida

Let me know if you think (b) (5)

Thanks,
Gary

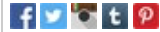
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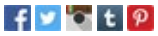
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Sent time: 01/04/2022 10:59:31 AM
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Subject: Re: Pickup of Trump Records from Florida

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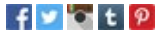
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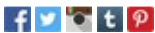
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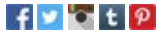
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Subject: (b) (5) Move of Trump Materials

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/04/2022 11:18:59 AM
To: William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Subject: (b) (5) - Move of Trump Materials

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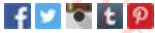
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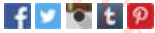
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Sent: Thursday, December 30, 2021 3:17 PM

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Sent time: 01/10/2022 11:35:59 AM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: BOXES

Yes, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (5)

Regards,

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To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: BOXES

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Yes (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (5)

Regards,

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Sent time: 01/12/2022 09:43:57 AM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Records Movement from FL

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Date: Wed, Jan 12, 2022 at 9:39 AM
Subject: Fwd: Records Movement from FL
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

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Date: Wed, Jan 12, 2022 at 9:35 AM
Subject: Re: Records Movement from FL
To: <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Thank you for your contacting the Holdings Protection and Recovery Staff (CH). We will respond to your inquiry as soon as possible. If this is an urgent matter please call (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) on (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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BCc: groups.archive2@nara.gov
Subject: Re: Records Movement from FL

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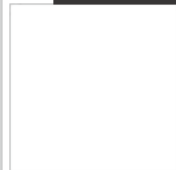
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Sent time: 01/12/2022 09:58:29 AM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
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Thanks (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Sorry for the short notice, but this just came together quickly.....we would like to pick up on 01/17..... Monday.....

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I am a member of the Holdings Protection staff and I have been assigned to write up the action plan for this movement of records from FL to A1. Please let me know who the POC in BF is for this movement of records and I will work with them to coordinate the movement.

Thanks,

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/12/2022 04:06:54 PM
To: Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Records Movement from FL

I don't know if you have heard anything. (b) (5)

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Subject: Re: Records Movement from FL

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Cc: HoldingsProtection <holdingsprotection@nara.gov>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Please keep the circle of folks working on this as small as possible and the movement is close hold. Thanks.

Regards,

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov

On Wed, Jan 12, 2022 at 9:35 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

BF is working on a record movement from FL to A1.

Please coordinate with them to do a Movement Document to track the shipment.

Thanks.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) [@nara.gov](mailto:(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov)

From: Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/12/2022 04:50:54 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Records Movement from FL

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

I had not heard anything since I shared with you the outcome of my call with Jay and Gary. (b) (5)

Susan

On Wed, Jan 12, 2022 at 4:07 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

I don't know if you have heard anything. (b) (5)

(b) (5)

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Date: Wed, Jan 12, 2022 at 9:48 AM

Subject: Re: Records Movement from FL

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Cc: HoldingsProtection <holdingsprotection@nara.gov>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

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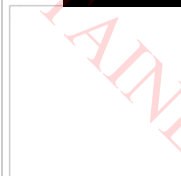
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Susan K. Donius

Executive, Legislative Archives, Presidential Libraries and Museum Services

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (o)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (o)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (telework)

From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/13/2022 01:21:19 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Courier Movement from Palm Springs FL to A1 - January 17-19, 2022
Attachments: Action Plan 22-A1-04 Palm Springs to A1 01172022.pdf

Hi,

Attached is the action plan for the courier movement from a facility in Palm Springs to Archives 1 on January 17-19, 2022. Please forward to A1 Security Control to track the movement of these records. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Archives Specialist
Holdings Protection and Recovery Staff
Office of the Chief Operations Officer
Office: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
Fax: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)



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Date : January 17, 2022

Reply to

Attn of : (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Subject : Security Action Plan – Movement #22-A1-04 from a facility in Palm Beach, FL to the National Archives, Washington, DC.

To : (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

The following information is provided reference moving National Archives material from a facility in Palm Beach, FL to the National Archives, Washington, DC on January 17–19, 2022. The material for this movement is considered high value and is being protected in accordance with NARA Directive 1702 paragraph 10 and NARA Directive 1573.

Additional Points of Contact	Position	Phone Number(s)
Security Control	Archives I	(b) (7)(E)
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)	(b) (4)	(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (Cell)
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)	(b) (4)	(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (Cell)
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)	Staff, Palm Springs facility (Origination POC)	(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (Cell)
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)	Supervisory Archivist (LW) (Destination POC)	(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (Cell)

Movement/ Facility in Palm Springs, FL to Archives I, Washington, DC

Monday, January 17, 2022

- (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), (b) (7)(E), (b) (4) [Redacted]
- [Redacted]
- [Redacted]
- [Redacted]

(b) (4), (b) (5) [Redacted]

Wednesday, January 19, 2022

- (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), (b) (7)(E), (b) (4) [Redacted]
- [Redacted]
- [Redacted]
- [Redacted]

Note: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), (b) (7)(E) [Redacted]

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Please contact the Holdings Protection and Recovery staff at (b) (7)(E) [Redacted] or e-mail at HoldingsProtection@nara.gov if you have any questions.

SIGNED

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) [Redacted]
Archives Specialist
Holdings Protection and Recovery Staff
National Archives and Records Administration

From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/13/2022 01:32:04 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Courier Movement from Palm Springs FL to A1 - January 17-19, 2022

Will do...Thanks for the quick turnaround.

Regards,

On Thu, Jan 13, 2022 at 1:21 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

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Holdings Protection and Recovery Staff
Office of the Chief Operations Officer
Office: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)
Fax: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/13/2022 03:30:16 PM
To: Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Courier Movement from Palm Springs FL to A1 - January 17-19, 2022
Attachments: Action Plan 22-A1-04 Palm Springs to A1 01172022.pdf

Susan:

Apparently (b) (5)

(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (5)
(b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Date: Thu, Jan 13, 2022 at 1:21 PM
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To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
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Fax: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Date : January 17, 2022

Reply to
Attn of : (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Subject : Security Action Plan – Movement #22-A1-04 from a facility in Palm Beach, FL to the National Archives, Washington, DC.

To : (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Movement/ Facility in Palm Springs, FL to Archives I, Washington, DC

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[Redacted]
- [Redacted]
- [Redacted]

(b) (4), (b) (5)
[Redacted]

Wednesday, January 19, 2022

- (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), (b) (7)(E), (b) (4)
[Redacted]
- [Redacted]
- [Redacted]

Note: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (5), (b) (7)(E)
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Holdings Protection and Recovery Staff
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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Sent time: 01/14/2022 06:54:17 AM

To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Subject: Re: Courier Movement from Palm Springs FL to A1 - January 17-19, 2022

I forwarded to the a-1 security supervisor today.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Thu, Jan 13, 2022 at 1:21 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

Hi,

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Thanks,

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Nat'l Archives & Records Administration
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Sent time: 01/14/2022 08:52:20 AM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>; (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Courier Movement from Palm Springs FL to A1 - January 17-19, 2022

Thanks (b) (6), (b) (7)(C).

On Fri, Jan 14, 2022 at 6:54 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:
I forwarded to the a-1 security supervisor today.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Thanks,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/14/2022 10:21:23 AM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: BOXES

fyi

Gary M. Stern
General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration
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301-837-0293 (fax)
garym.stern@nara.gov



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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Date: Wed, Jan 5, 2022 at 1:58 PM
Subject: Re: BOXES
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)nara.gov>

Thanks Gary.

Hi (b) (6), (b) (7),

Please let me know what you need from us to begin making arrangements.

Thank you,

(b) (6), (b) (7)

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, January 4, 2022 5:53 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)nara.gov>
Subject: Re: BOXES

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) I am cc'ing (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) who is NARA's (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) who is making arrangements (b) (5) (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will work with you directly to coordinate the pickup.

Thanks,
Gary

Gary M. Stern
General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration
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College Park, MD 20740
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (cell)



On Thu, Dec 30, 2021 at 7:49 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Thanks (b) (6), (b) (7)(C). I'll be in touch after the New Year to discuss logistics for picking up the boxes.

Gary

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Gary M. Stern
General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration

On Thu, Dec 30, 2021, 4:47 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)> wrote:

Thanks (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Gary - standing by to discuss the pickup logistics at your convenience.

Thanks, and Happy New Year!

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Sent: Thursday, December 30, 2021 3:17 PM
To: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Subject: BOXES

Gary – Further to our conversation, we have located 12 boxes that are 25” x 12.5” x 10.5”. In addition, we have the Obama letter, the Kim Jong-un correspondence, and the NOAA poster. Pick up will be at Mar-a-Lago.

I have cc'd (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) who can assist with logistics.

Regards,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/18/2022 01:14:23 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Shipment Palm Beach to A1

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

I guess the only logistic requirement is to have the loading dock door open; the driver will unload the shipment with a pallet jack. If needed, I believe you have a copy of the security action plan which has the driver's name and contact information. The last reported location at 10:14 am was Fayetteville NC. The overnight location will be Fredericksburg VA. Any further questions for me please let me know. My cell number is (b) (6), (b) (7)(C).

R/s

On Tue, Jan 18, 2022 at 10:24 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

Yes, I will be able to be here.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, Jan 18, 2022 at 10:08 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

Good morning (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

I wanted to notify you that the shipment will arrive at A1 tomorrow January 19th between the hours of 6-7am. Will you be able to receive it at that time? If you have any questions for me please let me know. I can be reached at (b) (6), (b) (7)(C).

Regards,

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/18/2022 02:08:39 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Shipment Palm Beach to A1

Hey (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), can you give me a call pls. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/18/2022 03:10:39 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: NARA GBL FL to MD
Attachments: NAR22GBL032 F0004196 Palm Beach to DC 1-17.pdf Security Statement.docx

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>
Date: Tue, Jan 18, 2022 at 2:54 PM
Subject: NARA GBL FL to MD
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)>

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) here is the NARA paperwork. Drivers name is (b) (6), (b) (7)(C).

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

(b) (4)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Freight Bill of Lading

ORIGINAL

GSA Transportation Management Services Solution Electronic Bill of Lading.

This Government shipment is subject to terms and conditions of 41 CFR 102-117 & 118, the GSA Freight Standard Tender of Service (STOS), and the U.S. Government Freight Transportation - Handbook.

1. Bill of Lading Number F0004196	2. Date BOL Issued 1/12/2022	3. Date BOL Printed 1/12/2022	1/3
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4. Contract P.O. Number/Other Authority:

5. Agency Shipment ID Number: NAR22GBL032

6. Tariff/Tender/Special Rate Authority Tender ID OTO \$4990.2 ON 01/12/2022	SRO ID OTO	LaneID
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7. Line of Accounting
See item description (box 35)

8. TSP Name Tendered To (b) (6), (b) (4) SCAC UVLN	9. Bill Charges To 88-00-NAR-USB Snycada NARA C/O US Bank HTTPS://Network.syncada.com/ NAPERVILLE IL 60566 UNITED STATES 1-800-417-1844
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10. Origin Mar-a-Lago 1100 S. Ocean Blvd PALM BEACH FL 33480 UNITED STATES (b) (6) Other Details: (b) (6)	11. Destination National Archives 700 Pennsylvania Ave. NW NATL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS DC 20408 UNITED STATES (b) (6) Other Details: (b) (6)
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12. Requested Pickup Date 1/17/2022	13. Actual Pickup Date	14. Required Delivery Date 1/19/2022
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15. Signature of Agent	16. Per	17. TSP Pro Bill Number
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18. Total Packages 1	19. Total Weight 500	20. Total Cube 0	21. Mode Motor	22. Declared Shipment Value	23. Estimate 4990.20
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24. Marks and Annotations
Pickup 1/17/2022 at 1400
Delivery 1/19/2022 at 0900

For HAZMAT Emergency Contact 1800-888-8888

For Use of Issuing Office

25. Issuing Office
NARA

Issuing Officer (b) (6)

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Certificate of TSP Billing - Consignee Must Not Pay Any Charges

26. Delivered On	27. At (Actual Delivery Point City/State)	28. By (Name of TSP)

29. Delivered this consignment in apparent good order except as may be indicated <input type="checkbox"/> Shortage <input type="checkbox"/> Damage	30. <input type="checkbox"/> TSP OSD Report Attached <input type="checkbox"/> Delivery at Destination Furnished <input type="checkbox"/> Accessorial Services Certification Attached
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31. TSP acknowledges receipt of packages and required placards.
 TSP certifies emergency response information was made available and/or TSP has DOT emergency response guidebook or equivalent document in the vehicle.

Per
 Package Numbers
 Date

32. Quantity	33. Type	34. HM	35. Item Description	36. Weight	37. Cube	38. Cube Units
1	PAL		Government Records Appropriation Charge Code: NAR4578RBXXXXXX NAR9540000000 NARX1X100000	500	0	Cu Ft.

Charge Breakdown	Total Charge
Linehaul Cost	0.00
Fuel Surcharge Cost	0.00
Accessorial Cost	\$0.0
TOTAL	4,990.20

<p>SHIPPER SIGNATURE / DATE</p> <p>This is to certify that the above named materials are properly classified, packaged, marked and labeled, and are in proper condition for transportation according to the applicable regulations of the DOT.</p>	<p>CARRIER SIGNATURE / PICKUP DATE</p> <p>Carrier acknowledges receipt of packages and required placards. Carrier certifies emergency response information was made available and/or carrier has the DOT emergency response guidebook or equivalent documentation in the vehicle. Property described above is received in good order, except as noted.</p>
Signature _____ Date _____	Signature _____ Date _____

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Quantity	Type	HM	Item Description	Weight	Cube	Cube Units
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Archives and Records Administration (NARA) Security Requirements:

Exclusive Use NARA shipments of Government records or holdings require trailers to remain locked and sealed at all times.

These locks and seals may only be removed by Government personnel at the destination facility. Should a Transportation Services Provider be required to remove the NARA lock or seal, the National driver must contact NARA Security immediately Security Hotline (b) (7)(E) 24 hours-day 365 days a year. The driver must provide NARA Security-

The NARA BOL number

Truck address and position

Nature of the problem

Drivers name

Drivers phone number

Approximate time of the occurrence

NARAs Transportation Department will contact the driver to obtain additional information regarding the lock and seal removal and to provide instructions on how to proceed with the shipment. Railroad Use for this shipment Not Authorized.

From: GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/18/2022 08:23:46 PM
To: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Boxes

I'm thinking (b) (5) [REDACTED]. Call me when you can.

Gary M. Stern
General Counsel
National Archives and Records Administration
8601 Adelphi Road
College Park, MD 20740
(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (cell)
301-837-3026 (office)
301-837-0293 (fax)
garym.stern@nara.gov



On Tue, Jan 18, 2022 at 7:43 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

All:

(b) (5) [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] I'll write something up right now to give you an overview of what we received. We can then get to work on a full inventory.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) [REDACTED]

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(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) [REDACTED]

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>

Sent time: 01/18/2022 11:36:59 PM

To: Bosanko, William <william.bosanko@nara.gov>; Susan Donius <susan.donius@nara.gov>; GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Subject: Trump boxes

All:

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From: William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/19/2022 08:09:01 AM
To: Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>; Ferriero, David <david.ferriero@nara.gov>
Subject: Fwd: Trump boxes

The materials from FL arrived last night. Below is (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) quick assessment.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Date: Tue, Jan 18, 2022 at 11:37 PM
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Thank you. We need to get item-level control as soon as possible. (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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Sent time: 01/19/2022 08:13:18 AM
To: William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Cc: Wall, Debra <debra.wall@nara.gov>
Subject: Re: Trump boxes

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All:

We received 15 bankers boxes and the weather map. My plan was to glance into each box before I shelved it so I could give y'all a high level overview. As I fanned through the pile of newspapers at the top of the first box, I found several unfolded classified docs in between some of the newspapers. So I took all the boxes to the SCIF. The first box I picked up in the SCIF had a newspaper on top that was post 1/20/2021. At that point I decided to take a closer look in each box to see if there are other issues that you three, David, and Deb might want to know about sooner than later. There may be others I didn't notice, but here is an overview.

-The majority of the material consists of newspapers, magazines and printed news articles.

-The majority of the items are not in folders--just piled in the boxes. Some boxes seem to have things from the same time period. Others have documents from multiple years. There is no information written on the boxes to provide any context. And I wasn't joking about the classified docs just showing up in the midst of a stack of newspapers. The lack of any organization was consistent throughout the boxes.

-Thankfully we got more than newspapers and magazines. There are plenty of original Presidential records in there, and many contain Trump handwriting.

-There was one accordion folder in the mess so it stood out. It contained, among other things, the Obama letter and North Korea correspondence. We need to verify that all of the correspondence is there. But I think we are in good shape.

-There are a lot of classified records. The majority of those are head of state briefing papers and briefing cards and most of those are in folders or clipped together. But the folders are scattered throughout the boxes, not filed together. Other classified documents are on a range of topics and more often than not are just loose in the boxes. I saw several docs that I think are PDBs. I also found an incredibly sensitive SAP document.

- Except for a number of presidential daily schedules scattered throughout the boxes, the unclassified docs don't seem to focus on any one issue. I did see some material related to 1/6 and COVID. And at close glance I believe one of the classified docs is responsive to a third Congressional request. So we will need to review all of these boxes.

-As I mentioned, very little of this material is in folders. But about half of one box is filled with a stack of folders, the vast majority of which are the same color and type. Many have a note from the staff secretary clipped to the front that states the topic of the document that is in the folder. Intermixed with these are some folders that have the note attached to the folder, but the folder is empty. And there are quite a few folders with no note and no doc. They look like the other folders and are in the same stack. So it is likely those once had notes and docs. Maybe those items were sent to ORM. There are also about 20ish folders scattered throughout the boxes that contain printouts of photos from random events. There are also numerous chunks of unfolded photos in several boxes. And then there are a handful of empty folders that are identified as coming from the Photo Office and likely contained those photos.

-I think one entire box is post presidential, but there are some items without dates and there could be some pre January 20 docs that I missed. I'll need to go back through it to verify. But without a doubt the vast, vast majority is post presidential. I also ran across small amounts of post presidential material in at least two other boxes. I noticed some of the newspapers were from this fall, so this isn't just a box that was created in February 2021 and was mistakenly stored with the boxes from the

residence. So it is clear that some of the boxes were created or altered after the administration.

-There are also a good number of personal/political (non-PRA) docs scattered throughout a few of the boxes. Most relate to the 2020 election.

-Finally, I have the impression that most of this material is from 2020 and 2019. I need to take another look to see if that is actually true, but if it is that might open up questions about when they started creating these boxes of random stuff.

Let me know if there is something of particular interest you want us to explore before we begin to do a detailed inventory.

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
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Subject: Item level inventory for Trump material

Susan:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) and I talked, and we both agreed that we are not able to work on the Trump inventory. I think you or I need to respond to Jay. (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] But I really want to get this rolling.

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Susan and I have talked (b) (5), (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) [REDACTED]. We will be back in touch.

Thanks.

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On Thursday, January 20, 2022, (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

Susan:

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From: William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Sent time: 01/21/2022 12:41:49 PM
To: Stern, GaryM <garym.stern@nara.gov>
Subject: (b) (5) - Move of Trump Materials

JFYI

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From: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>
Date: Wed, Jan 5, 2022, 4:13 PM
Subject: Re: (b) (5) - Move of Trump Materials
To: William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov>
Cc: (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov>, GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov>

Thanks Jay....will do.....we're on it.....I'll let everyone know the plan once we firm it up....

Regards,

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

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On Wed, Jan 5, 2022 at 4:11 PM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:

Hi. Yes. Let me know if you run into any issues. (b) (5)

Thanks,

Jay

On Wed, Jan 5, 2022 at 4:07 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

Jay.....just one more question.....assume NARA will bear the cost of this shipment?

Regards,

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On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 12:59 PM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:

Thanks (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (5)

On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 12:57 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

OK, understood Jay....(b) (5)

Regards,

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On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 12:19 PM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:

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Jay

On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 12:16 PM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (cc here) may have some additional questions. (b) (5)

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C) will reach out to you for any clarifications.

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 12:13 PM GaryM Stern <garym.stern@nara.gov> wrote:

Yes, thanks (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) Once you've been able to set something up, I can put you in touch with Trump's assistant in Mar a Lago who is handling the logistics.

Gary

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On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 11:57 AM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:

Many thanks.

On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 11:55 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

Got it. (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) (b) (5)

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On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 11:52 AM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:
Right now - Gary, copied - as he is in touch with the attorneys for the President.

Jay

On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 11:19 AM (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) <(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)@nara.gov> wrote:

Jay,

We will see what we can do. Who is your POC on the move?

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

On Tue, Jan 4, 2022 at 11:17 AM William Bosanko <william.bosanko@nara.gov> wrote:

(b) (6), (b) (7)(C)

We have some materials from the Trump Administration that need to be moved from Florida to DC. (b) (5)

[REDACTED]

Pick-up at Mar-a-Lago, delivery to A1. Approx. 12 boxes that are 25" x 12.5" x 10.5".

I mentioned to (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) that I would be reaching out.

Thanks,

Jay