Extent

10 folders, approximately 796 pages

Summary

This collection consists of emails related to the Department of Justice (DOJ) weekly summaries, DOJ community safety program details, a DOJ SACSI conference in Indianapolis, Operation Reach in the Middle District of North Carolina, and the 1999 Building Livable Communities report.

Scope and Content Note

The materials in FOIA 2018-0886-F are a selective body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult the archivist about related material. Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request 2018-0886-F was for records pertaining to the Strategic Approaches to Community Safety Initiative (SACSI). This collection includes emails regarding Department of Justice (DOJ) weekly summaries, DOJ community safety program details, a DOJ SACSI conference in Indianapolis, Operation Reach in the Middle District of North Carolina, and the 1999 Building Livable Communities report. Launched by the Department of Justice in 1998, the Strategic Approaches to Community Safety Initiative originated from the problem of youth gun violence in cities during the 1980s and 1990s. SACSI involves a collaborative problem-solving approach to youth gun violence and was tested in several large cities during the late 1990s and early 2000s in an effort to reduce youth gun violence.

Record Type

Textual

System of Arrangement

Records that are responsive to this FOIA request were found in these collection areas—Clinton Presidential Records: ARMS Emails, Clinton Presidential Records: TRP Emails, and Clinton Presidential Records: LOTUS Notes. The Automated Records Management System (ARMS) is a database that contains email records of the Executive Office of the President. This system maintained unclassified Presidential email. The ARMS database is comprised of six sub-series of email records called "buckets." The buckets generally represent a specific White House office. The buckets are titled: NPR for National Performance Review, OPD for Office of Policy Development, POTUS for President of the United States, WHO for White House Office, CEA for Council of Economic Advisers, and Default for emails not associated with an office. The NPR bucket contains email created or received by an individual with a National Performance Review (NPR) White House user account. The OPD bucket contains email created or received by an individual with an Office of Policy Development (OPD) White House user account. The POTUS bucket was designated for email created and received by the President of the United States (POTUS). Please note that President Clinton never used his POTUS White House user account to send the few emails he wrote while in office. The WHO bucket contains email created or received by individual with an Executive Office of the President White House user account not identified as CEA, NPR, or OPD. The CEA bucket contains email created or received by an individual with a Council of Economic Advisors (CEA) White House user account. The Default bucket contains email created or received by unknown or un-recognized email accounts. Email found within the Default bucket often includes email created or received by offices or individuals outside the Executive Office of the President. ARMS emails are arranged by topic, there-under by bucket, and there-under chronologically by creation date. The Tape Restoration Project (TRP) is a database consisting of restored emails from the Automated Records Management System (ARMS) from July 1994 through June of 2000. The TRP is a database that contains email records of the Executive Office of the President. This system maintained unclassified Presidential record email. The TRP database is comprised of the same six sub-series of email as in ARMS. TRP emails are arranged by topic, there-under by bucket, and there-under chronologically by creation date. LOTUS Notes is a database that contains files created in the LOTUS Notes system. The LOTUS Notes system was used as an email management system during the Clinton

Administration, and contains drafts of email, mailing lists, attachments, and other items likely intended for email.

Access

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

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Provenance

Official records of William Jefferson Clinton’s presidency are housed at the Clinton Presidential Library and administered by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) under the provisions of the Presidential Records Act (PRA).

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Container List

The following is a list of documents and folders processed in response to FOIA 2018-0886-F:
Box 1
Clinton Presidential Records: Automated Records Management System [Email]
OPD [OA/ID 250000]
[SACSI…]
[04/01/1999 – 12/01/2000]
WHO [OA/ID 500000]
[SACSI…]
[11/09/1998 – 04/09/1999]
Clinton Presidential Records: Automated Records Management System [Email]
[continued]
WHO [OA/ID 500000]
[SACSI…]
[06/09/2000] [Folder 1]
[06/09/2000] [Folder 2]
[06/09/2000] [Folder 3]
[07/18/2000 – 11/21/2000]
Default [OA/ID 1100000]
[SACSI…]
[01/04/1999 – 07/27/1999]
Clinton Presidential Records: Tape Restoration Project (TRP) [Email]
WHO [OA/ID 500000]
[SACSI…]
[11/05/1998]
Clinton Presidential Records: LOTUS Notes
WHO Archive [OA/ID 165000]
[Community Safety Initiative]
[09/14/2000 – 11/09/2000]
[SACSI]
[03/24/1999 – 11/09/2000]