

**Extent**

317 folders, approximately 19,016 pages

**Summary**

This collection contains the files of Bill Burton, who served as Deputy Assistant to the President and Policy and Staff Director for Chief of Staff Mack McLarty from 1993 to 1994. The collection consists of correspondence from members of Congress and congressional staff, federal agencies, memoranda, printed emails, news articles, schedules, invitation lists, publications, reports, press releases, statistical material, briefing materials and handwritten notes.

**Scope and Content Note**

This collection contains the files of Bill Burton, who served as Deputy Assistant to the President and Policy and Staff Director for Chief of Staff Mack McLarty from 1993 to 1994. Burton's responsibilities included managing policy issues for the Chief of Staff. He also coordinated energy issues for the Clinton/Gore presidential campaign in 1992 and for the transition of the President-elect.

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**Record Type**

Textual

**System of Arrangement**

Records of this systematically processed series were found in Clinton Presidential Records: White House Staff and Office Files, Chief of Staff Office, Bill Burton. This systematic collection is arranged into 3 subseries and then alphabetically within each subseries

## **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).

## **Processed by**

Staff Archivist, 2025. Previously restricted materials are added as they are released.

## **Last Modified Date**

2026-07-31

## **Container List**

Following is a list of folders processed for the Bill Burton series:

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[Correspondence with White House Officials - Domestic Policy Advisor - Greg Simon][OA/ID 2776]  
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