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3528 Minglewood
Houston, Texas 77023
Oct. 12, 1963

Mr. George H.W. Bush
Harris County Chairman
522 Waugh Drive
Houston, Texas 77019

Re: Vacancy Committee Interviews

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OCT 15 1963

Dear George:

In order to speed up the processing of prospective Pct. Chairmen in Pcts. that are hard to fill I'd like to offer this suggestion:

In uncontested Pcts. where a Volunteer has been found, he or she should first be interviewed by the Area Chairman if unknown to him. This will seldom happen unless the prospect was found by the County, the Vacancy Committee, or someone living in another part of town. In our area we'd welcome any such help.

Secondly, and most important, the candidate should next be interviewed in his or her home by the Executive Director of our party or some paid employee such as Mr. Kearney Reynolds. These people work for us so let's put them out in the field.

This interview will enable the County to get a better idea of the Volunteer's qualifications plus the fact that it shows the Party is interested enough to visit the Volunteer in their home. With both the area chairman and a paid organization man talking to the Volunteer the chance of us both being wrong and being saddled with a misfit is small.

This will leave the Vacancy Committee free to test contested Pcts. and give them time to hunt up prospective Pct. chairmen. It would prevent tying up some of our people with wasted evenings. Some Volunteers have three hour waits which is, in my opinion, wrong.

The above would only apply in Pcts. that are uncontested and where if we hook a live Republican we should smooth their journey into the Grand Old Party and have them working without wasting their time at Headquarters. In contested Pcts. where candidates are numerous the above plan would not apply.

I offer the above only as a suggestion. It may be that because of your pending resignation you won't have time to initiate this change. I feel, however, that this will help us to quickly fill vacant Pcts. and the sooner we can get these positions filled the better off we'll be in the Spring and Fall of 1964.

Sincerely,

Bill

W.L. Vineyard
Area 14, Chairman

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HARRIS COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY

HOUSTON, TEXAS
1701 Houston Club Bldg.

GEORGE H. W. BUSH
County Chairman

WILLIAM R. SIMMONS
Executive Director

July 29, 1963

Dear Mr. Watts,

I have been on a rather extended foreign business trip and I returned to my office today to find your letter of July 25th. I have asked Bill Simmons, our Executive Director, to send you a copy of our proposed By-Laws. I hope that these By-Laws will be adopted at our next Executive Committee meeting. We did not try to make them all comprehensive but we did try to put certain fair play safe guards in the rules so that the Executive Committee and the County Chairman were both protected.

Leon Manry, Midland Production Corp. Americana Bldg., Houston, Texas, is in charge of our Rules Committee and he has done a lot of constructive work on this project. If you would like to have some specific answers I would suggest that you contact him. I know that he would be glad to cooperate with your group.

Thanks for writing and let me know if there is anything we can do for you in the future.

Very truly yours,


George H. W. Bush

Mr. John M. Watts
State Mutual Life Assurance Company of America
509 Lawrence Street
Corpus Christi, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

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Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush.

Mr. John M. Watts
State Mutual Life Assurance Company of America
509 Lawrence Street
Corpus Christi, Texas

September 6, 1963

Dear Milton,

After talking at length with John Tower and other State leaders this week, I have decided to go ahead and make my announcement around the middle of next week for the United States Senate.

Please keep your fingers crossed for me.

Best regards,

HUTCHESON, TALIAFERRO AND HUTCHESON
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
2110 TENNESSEE BUILDING
HOUSTON, TEXAS 77002

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September 3, 1963

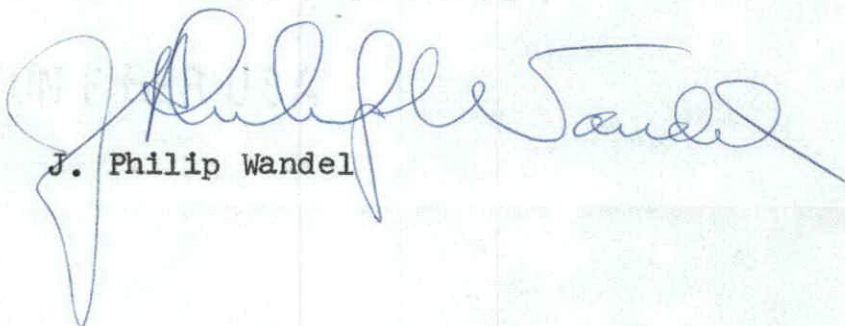
Mr. George H. W. Bush, County Chairman
Republican County Headquarters
1701 Houston Club Bldg.,
Houston, Texas 77002

Dear Mr. Bush:

I hereby submit my resignation as Precinct
Chairman of Precinct 274.

I am sorry that I will not have the time
required to continue to serve as such officer but
hope that I will be able to continue to work for
the Republican Party and its nominees in some other
manner.

Very truly yours,


J. Philip Wandel

JPW:ew

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

September 4, 1963

Dear Phil:

I received your resignation letter dated September 3rd and your resignation as Precinct Chairman of Precinct 274 is hereby accepted with sincere regrets.

I appreciate all the work you have done for the Republican Party and I hope that this resignation does not mean that we cannot call upon you from time to time. Thank you for all your help to the Party.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

KEARNEY: Let's go ahead and process Mrs. McGowen.

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Mr. J. Philip Wandel
Hutcheson, Taliaferro and Hutcheson
2110 Tennessee Building
Houston, Texas 77002

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

August 16, 1963

Dear Fred,

I am very anxious to add the name of James Neumann as an associate member of the Candidates Committee. He was strongly recommended by Tony Farris and is most anxious to get more active in Committee work.

I do not want to bulldoze you into this but if you feel we could have one more associate member on this committee would you drop the attached letter in the mail to him. If not please feel free to hold up on it and we can discuss it when I return.

Best regards,


George H. W. Bush

Mr. Fred Weston
5080 Richmond Avenue
Houston, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

August 12, 1963

Dear Dr. Wilhoit,

I am pleased to appoint you Precinct Chairman of Precinct 143. As you know this is a most important position and I am delighted that you are willing to take it on. Your name will be presented to the next Executive Committee meeting for ratification, but in the meantime will you please go ahead with the work of the Precinct Chairman.

You will be contacted by a member of Russ Roach's Precinct Organization Committee and Kearney Reynolds, our Organizational Director. They can be helpful to you in your precinct work.

I am looking forward to working with you.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

Dr. J. M. Wilhoit
2138 Quanby
Houston, Texas 77005

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

April 16, 1963

Dear Mr. Vitek,

Thanks a lot for your letter about Clyde Hall.
The Committee meets tonight to decide this matter.

I plan to use the Vacancy Committee as a strong committee and will undoubtedly go ahead with their recommendation in this case. Two people have been suggested and frankly both of them appear to have a good background. I think it is a healthy thing when two good men are willing to work as precinct chairman. I hope you agree.

In any event, thank you for your letter and I hope you will be able to work with whoever is chosen.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

Mr. Joe A. Vitek
4617 Kinglet
Houston 35, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

July 29, 1963

Dear Mr. Wentworth,

Please pardon my delay in answering your letter of July 15th but I have been out of the country on a rather prolonged business trip.

The suit that we filed had to do with Congressional Redistricting. Within the last few weeks the local Democratic organization has filed another suit on reapportionment of representation in the Texas Legislature. We are in complete sympathy with the suit since, like you, we feel that the urban areas are grossly under represented.

I have passed your letter along to our County Executive Director, Mr. W. R. Simmons, and anything important happens I have asked that he let you know about it. We expect to have our suit heard some time late in September. If there is any additional information we can furnish please do not hesitate to let us know.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

Mr. Earl J. Wentworth
The Taxpayers' League of San Antonio
430 Gunter Building
San Antonio, Texas

THE TAXPAYERS' LEAGUE OF SAN ANTONIO

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July 15, 1963

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Mr. George H. W. Bush, chairman
Harris County Republican Party
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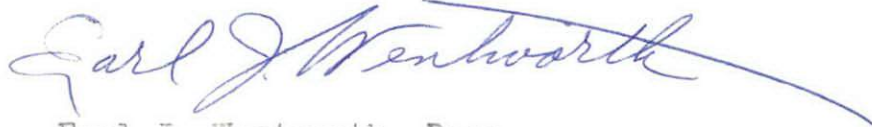
Dear Mr. Bush:

We are interested in the news item regarding the law suit, filed by you and four other stalwart Republicans, for Congressional re-districting.

This organization is most interested to know if your suit covers re-apportionment of representation in the Texas Legislature. We feel that the urban areas are under represented.

We would appreciate very much being kept informed of the progress of this suit.

Sincerely yours,



Earl J. Wentworth, Pres.

Harris County Council of Organizations

P. O. BOX 52113

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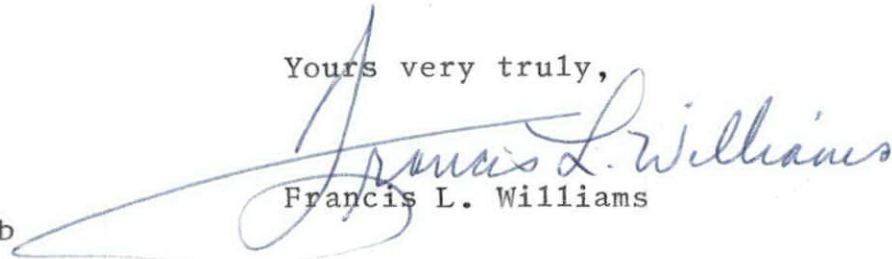
Mr. George Bush, Chairman
Harris County Republican Party
1701 Houston Club Building
Houston, Texas

Dear Mr. Bush:

The HARRIS COUNTY COUNCIL OF ORGANIZATIONS will hold its Annual Picnic on Sunday, August 11, 1963, at the Clear-Lake County Park on FM Road 528, near Webster, Texas. The picnic will begin at noon and will end at 6:00 P.M.

Attorney W. J. Durham of Dallas, Texas, President of the Texas Council of Voters will be the principal speaker. You are cordially invited to be present and have remarks at this affair. Our organization will consider it a honor if you will be able to accept this invitation.

Yours very truly,


Francis L. Williams

FLW/b



STATE MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA

JOHN M. WATTS
MANAGER

THE JOHN M. WATTS AGENCY
SUITE 204 KATZ BUILDING, 509 LAWRENCE STREET
CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

TULIP 4-3537

July 25, 1963

Mr. George Bush
Republican Party County Chairman
1701 Houston Club Building
Houston, Texas

Dear Mr. Bush:

We in Nueces County are at the point where we need to develop some By-laws for our County Executive Committee, and I called Marvin Collins in Austin the other day to ask for suggestions. Marvin did not have a copy of any County By-laws, but suggested that I write to you in order to obtain a sample of your By-laws.

We would appreciate it very much if you could send us a copy of the By-laws which you have drafted for your County organization so that we will have some track to run on while we are drafting our new By-laws. As one of the members of the committee appointed to draft some proposed By-laws for presentation to our executive committee, I felt that it would be best to wait until we had a sample to work from.

Thank you very much for your time and assistance.

Sincerely,

John M. Watts

JMW:eb

cc Mr. Bill Simmons, Executive Director

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

July 1, 1963

Dear Jane,

Just a note to thank you for your cooperation on the appointment of George Stucker as Area Chairman. I am afraid that we did not give you proper notification of this ahead of time. In my opinion Stucker will do a good job and I know he is looking forward to working with you.

If you ever have any questions at all about the way we are handling these things, please do not hesitate to call me.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

Miss Jane Yount
3146 E. Holcombe
Houston 21, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

June 27, 1963

Dear Mr. Williams,

I have passed along your generous check to Jim McBride today, along with a photostatic copy of your letter. I know he will be very pleased.

Now let me thank you for the letter itself. It was most constructive and candidly I should say refreshing.

Regarding the money situation, as you may know there are several financial programs. The Neighbor-to-Neighbor Drive does not attempt to get donations from substantial givers. The Key Man Republican program is one where an individual gives \$1,000 or agrees to raise \$1,000. This is a State program and one to which we lend our support. In addition we have an Almanac Program. This is an advertising program which is deductible for corporations and which is something new. This too appeals to larger givers. In the event that your company, or others you may know, may be interested I am attaching some information. Lastly, we have special fund raising efforts such as the recent Goldwater dinner. Your letter points out that we have probably not done a very good job on solicitation of larger gifts. This is something we have been thinking about and there probably could be a program which would not conflict with the others but rather supplement them. Your sales pitch makes a good deal of sense.

Regarding the Republican Alliance program, we have great hopes for this. We have broken the ethnic committee, which is the county committee working with the Alliance, in to sub-committee that include among other things, research, debate, organization, etc. We have passed along a copy of your letter to Gene Crossman who is the chairman of the overall committee and asked that he take up with the Alliance leadership the specific issues which you mentioned.

Thank you ever so much for your interest in the Party and
your most intelligent letter. I hope that we will have the
opportunity to meet one of these days.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

Mr. Arnold E. Williams
Petroleum Analytical Research Corp.
P. O. Box 12334
Houston 17, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

May 29, 1963

Dear Julie and Nan,

Mrs. Holtz tells me of the wonderful work that you did on Saturday decorating the shrubs. This was the first thing I noticed when I came to the Headquarters. Thank you very much for your wonderful work.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

Miss Julie Whorton
Miss Nan Whorton
12927 Taylorcrest
Houston 24, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

May 27, 1963

Dear Representative Wilson,

Thank you so much for the telegram regarding the opening of our new Headquarters in Harris County. We had a good crowd and your words of encouragement were much appreciated by our people. Thanks again.

Best regards,

George H. W. Bush

Representative Bob Wilson
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

May 27, 1963

Dear Wally,

The aluminum flagpole is the hit of the new Headquarters. It is really terrific and I certainly appreciate your doing this for us. It can also serve as a catapult in case we need to get a guy down to the center of town in a hurry. Come by and take a look at it and in the meantime, many thanks.

Best regards,

George H. W. Bush

Mr. Wallace S. Wilson
P. O. Drawer 19
Houston 1, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

May 22, 1963

Dear Mr. Wheeler,

I am so sorry to have missed your interesting program last Friday. I talked to Steve Patton as soon as I got in from the Gulf and he told me Des Barry did a good job. I am sure he was better than I would have been, but nevertheless I would have liked very much to have attended.

Des was most pleased with the program and told me about it in some detail.

I am sorry it worked out that I could not be there. We were logging the only participating well we have been in on this year and I felt that I just had to be there. Incidentally, it was a dry hole so I might as well have stayed at home.

Thanks for asking me to be on the program and congratulations on your far-sightedness in conducting this type of educational forum. As chairman of the Republican Party here I am happy to see lots of this kind of activity.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

Mr. Clyde Wheeler
Sunray Oil Co.
P. O. Box 2039
Tulsa, Oklahoma

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

May 20, 1963

Dear Bob,

Just a note to thank you for an enjoyable time the other night at the "Y" banquet. Not only did I have a good time but I think it was very worthwhile.

I went by to see the new Alliance Headquarters and it looks terrific.

See you soon.

Best regards,

George H. W. Bush

Mr. Robert Wells
P. O. Box 4521
Houston 1, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

April 18, 1963

Dear Ralph,

Upon the unanimous recommendation of the Vacancy Committee I have decided to appoint Donald N. Lambert Precinct Chairman of Precinct 287. The Committee was impressed by both men but they felt that Lambert's credentials were a little better for this particular appointment.

I do hope that you will be able to work with Mr. Lambert and I have urged that he try to get Mr. Hall to work in the precinct.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush

Mr. Ralph Wilkens
5022 Beechnut
Bellaire, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.

April 5, 1963

Dear Ralph,

Between me, my downtown office and the headquarters we fouled up. The other night I mentioned to you that you should have received a copy of my letter to Hart Mankin accepting his resignation. This did not go out.

Hart resigned effective March 31st and suggested Mr. Donald N. Lambert as his successor. I have advised Gerry Donner, Chairman of the Vacancy Committee of this. The purpose of this letter is simply to suggest to you that if there are other people that you, as chairman of the area, would like to recommend, please contact either me or Gerry Donner.

Best regards,

George H. W. Bush

Mr. Ralph Wilkens
5022 Beechnut
Houston, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.
Houston 2, Texas

March 26, 1963

Dear Jack,

I sent the attached letter today to Mr. Carby. Although I will not feel completely bound by the decision of the Vacancy Committee I intend to use it very actively. In this case there was a very strong recommendation for Mr. Tamasy, in spite of Carby's many good supporters.

I do appreciate your taking the time to come to headquarters to discuss this matter before the Committee. I, personally, was impressed with both of the candidates and in this case I think we have a situation where whoever got the job would be well qualified.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush, Chairman
Harris County Republican Party

Mr. John B. Wallace
821 Jacquet
Bellaire, Texas

CHARLES R. WALKER, M.D., D.A.B.R.
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115 DOCTORS' BLDG. 3155 STAGG DRIVE
BEAUMONT, TEXAS
TE 8-6566

March 21, 1963

Mr. George H. W. Bush, Chairman
Harris County Republican Executive Committee
% Zapata Offshore Drilling Company
1701 Houston Club Building
Houston 2, Texas

Dear Mr. Bush:

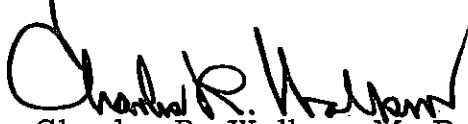
Your secretary, Miss Flynn, is going to send me some photographs which we will use in connection with the publicity for your visit on March 27, 1963.

I neglected to request from Miss Flynn a biographical sketch, which we could also put to good use.

Please include the sketch with the photographs.

Thanks very much.

Very truly yours,



Charles R. Walker, M. D.,
President,
North Jefferson County Republican Club

CRW:mhs

1701 Houston Club Bldg.
Houston 2, Texas

March 19, 1963

Dear Mrs. Ware:

I cannot begin to tell you how humiliated I am about last night. The worst part is I have absolutely no excuse. I was at the headquarters taping a finance broadcast until around 7:30; then I went home to have dinner with my son who is just back from boarding school. I had written the appointment down in three memo books and just flat did not check. All I can ask is that you try to forgive me and that you give me just one more chance.

I would like to write a short note to each of the ladies who were present last night, so I am asking my secretary to call you to get a list of their names and addresses.

When you are downtown please drop by my office because I am most anxious to tell you in person how badly I feel about this foul up. I just hope it wasn't too embarrassing for you.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush, Chairman
Harris County Republican Party

Mrs. Leroy Ware
806 Roper
Houston, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.
Houston 2, Texas

March 18, 1963

Dear Dr. Williams,

Just a note on behalf of the Republican Party to thank you for your hospitality yesterday afternoon. I enjoyed meeting you and I do want to have that chat very soon. We are very serious about trying to get our story to the negro people. Too often in the past we have not even asked for their vote or pointed out the merits of our case. We hope that this will be a thing of the past.

In any event please let me assure you that I am most anxious to get to know you better and to discuss the problems facing our Party and to tell you more about our plans for broadening the base of our Party and accordingly the voting habits of the people. I am sure there will be several issues that we disagree on but I am determined to find the issues that we do agree on and emphasize them to you and others in your organization.

Thank you again for the nice time yesterday.

Very truly yours,

George H. W. Bush, Chairman
Harris County Republican Party

Dr. F. L. Williams
618 Prairie
Houston 2, Texas

1701 Houston Club Bldg.
Houston 2, Texas

March 15, 1963

Dear Dr. Walker,

This will confirm that I will be at your meeting at the HOLIDAY INN, on March 27th. I will drive back to Houston after the meeting. I appreciate your kind offer for reimbursement of expenses, etc. but I do plan to combine this with a business trip to a plant we have in Beaumont so there most certainly will be no expenses involved to your group.

My talk will be informal and shouldn't take more than 15 minutes. I will try not to be too boring.

Best regards,

George H. W. Bush, Chairman
Harris County Republican Party

Dr. Charles R. Walker
115 Doctors' Bldg.
3155 Stagg Drive
Beaumont, Texas

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March 14, 1963

Mr. George H. W. Bush, Chairman
Harris County Republican Executive Committee
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1700 Houston Club Building
Houston, Texas

Dear Mr. Bush:

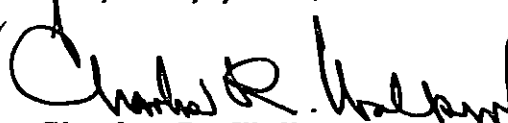
This letter will confirm my conversation with your secretary, Miss Flynn, of March 13, 1963. She called to advise me that as a result of a change in your schedule, you will be able to speak at our club meeting on March 27, 1963.

Our previously-scheduled program for this date will not interfere with your talk. Mr. B. L. Morris, our District Committeeman, will present a short 15 minute program consisting of slides from the state headquarters which constitute an analysis of the recent Texas election results. We plan to hold all other business to a minimum, so as to give you the remaining time available.

Our meeting will be at 8:00 P. M. at THE HOLIDAY INN in Beaumont. Miss Flynn has told me that you will drive to Beaumont immediately prior to the meeting. Should you elect to stay overnight at THE HOLIDAY INN, we will be glad to make a reservation for you and to reimburse you for all of your lodging as well as your travel expense.

We are looking forward with pleasure to having you meet with us.

Very truly yours,



Charles R. Walker, M. D.,

President,

North Jefferson County Republican Club

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1701 Houston Club Bldg.
Houston 2, Texas

March 12, 1963

Dear Ed,

It was I who should have written you to thank you
for the support you gave me.

Your kind letter meant a lot and I hope I can do
the job in an constructive fashion. Anytime you
have a suggestion please do not hesitate to pick
up the phone and call or come on over.

Best regards,

Mr. E. L. Whittenburg
Whittenburg and Company
3311 Mercer Street
Houston 27, Texas

*will call
back*

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March 12, 1963

Mr. George H. W. Bush, Chairman
Harris County Republican Executive Committee
% Zapata Offshore Drilling Company
1700 Houston Club Building
Houston, Texas

Dear Mr. Bush:

Mrs. O. C. Galloway, a member of the program committee of the North Jefferson County Republican Club, has advised me that she has spoken with you recently with respect to your being a speaker at one of our club meetings in the near future.

Our club would be delighted to have you speak to us on any subject which you deem appropriate. However, we are committed to the date of March 27, 1963 for our next meeting. Mrs. Galloway tells me that you would not be able to come to Beaumont on this date.

Would it be possible for you to address our club meeting on either April 17th or April 24th? Our meetings are always held on a Wednesday at THE HOLIDAY INN. The club has been highly successful, and we have had as many as 250 persons in attendance.

If you are unable to make connections with our April meeting, perhaps we could make arrangements for the May meeting.

Hoping that we will be able to arrive at a mutually satisfactory date, I am,

Very truly yours,

Charles R. Walker

Charles R. Walker, M. D.,
President,
North Jefferson County Republican Club

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Mr. George H. W. Bush
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Houston, Texas

Dear George:

It is with a great deal of pleasure that I note the warm enthusiastic comments as to your election as chairman of the Harris County Republicans. Your sincerity of purpose, your desire to succeed, your unquestionable integrity and your loyalty as an American will enable the Republican Party in our County and our State to take giant steps forward in a never ending crusade for maintaining our liberties.

May I offer my good wishes and my support.

Sincerely,



E. L. Whittenburg

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March 9, 1963