

UNITED STATES SENATE
OFFICE OF THE REPUBLICAN LEADER
WASHINGTON, D. C.

BOB DOLE KANSAS

June 29, 1993

Dear Kent,

It was good to see you again at the Young Republicans National Convention in Charleston. As usual, it was quite an uplifting experience to be among the young people who are always so eager to help the party. I also congratulate you and the city for hosting the convention. By all reports it was quite successful.

On examining the business card you left for me with Tom Korologos, I noticed that it had notes on some local mayoral business on the back. I am returning it to you in case the matters haven't already been handled -- I know how important it is to take care of the needs of your constituents!

Best wishes.

Serely,

BOB DOLE

Mayor Kent Strange Hall City of Charleston P.O. Box 2749 Charleston, WV 25330



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Dear Donna,

As I mentioned during my speech
Saturday, I was to sorry to hear that my
being delayed coming into Charleston may have
preempted your remarks to the Young
Republicans National Convention. It was
necessary for me to confer with the White
House regarding President Clinton's action
against Iraq, and that delayed my arrival.

I was very pleased with the group of energetic young people at the convention. With their work and support, the Republican Party has a bright future.

Again, please accept my apologies and best wishes.



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YR CONVENTION

The big event at the convention for the YRs, besides all the important speakers, is the 3-way race for the chair of the YRs. They haven't had this many people running for some time. It is said that those running for office have also associated themselves with a '96 potential presidential candidate. Irv Bisnov of Texas running for Chairman, and Liz Zirger of Kansas on Bisnov's ticket as co-chair, claim they are the "Dole Ticket." It is not known to us who the other two tickets claim to represent. We have not gotten involved in any of the politicking there. Campaign America did sponsor 6 Kansans for the YR convention, however.

In the news, WVA YR Mike Conley acknowledged that he was the caller who talk a radio call-in show he hoped a "Lee Harvey Oswald Jr." would take care of Clinton. He said he didn't mean any harm when questioned by the Secret Service.

West Virginia Young Democrats are holding their own convention this weekend in Charleston, West Virginia with Carville as their key note speaker. They purposely scheduled this event because of the YRs activities this weekend there. So far, the YRs have not seen or heard from them and have noted that the YDs are not getting any press coverage to speak of.

(Election results for the chairmanship will be in tonight, Friday, June 25).

NOTE TO THE LEADER

FROM:

SUZANNE HELLMANN

RE:

ELECTION RESULTS FOR YR CONVENTION

New Chairman and co-chairman have been elected by the YRs at their convention. The new chairman is Irv Bisnov of Texas who volunteered for your presidential campaign in 1988.

The co-chairman is Kansas' own Liz Zirger whose attendance was sponsored by Campaign America.

The race went to a third ballot after one candidate withdrew and gave his support to the Bisnov-Zirger ticket after making some deals.

They are looking forward to your visit.

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(revised tentative schedule) Wednesday, June 23, 1993 Noon - 8PM Registration Marriott Chairman Haley Barbour 8:30PM Marriott Opening Ceremony Marriott Opening Party grm - Midnight 1993 Thursday, June 24, Marriott Registration Marriott Executive and National 9AM Committee Board Meeting Marziott Other Committee Meetings MAG Kanawha River Brunch Cruise aboard the 10:30AM - 1PM West Virginia Belle Marriott Convention Called to Order 2PM Secretary Dick Cheney Secretary Lynn Martin Jeanie Austin Marriott State/Regional Caucuses 6:30PM Marriott YR FEST 9PM - 1AM Priday, June 25, 1993 RAM - 4PM Reg Marriott Registration Marriott Convention Reconvenes MAR Sen. Phil Gramm Election of Officers "Talking Buffet" Lunch Marriott Noon Gov. Carroll Campbell Marriott President's Circle 5:30 - 6:30PM Mardi Gras Reception University of Mountaineer Cookout 7PM - 11PM Charleston Saturday, June 26, 1993 Murriott Registration BAM - Noon Closing Convention Session Marriott 9AM Secretary Lamar Alexander President's Circle Reception Civic Center 6PM - 7PM Civic Center Pre Banquet Reception 6PM - 7PM Civic Center Closing Banquet 7PM - 10PM Senator Hob Dole Sunday, June 27, 1993 Marriott Executive and National

Committee Menting

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Biznov-Zirger Campaign Team '93

Chairman Candidate: Iry Bisnoy

Irv is a member of the North Dallas Young Republicans and currently serves as auditor of the Young Republican National Federation. He has served on the board of the North Dallas YR's as well as serving as Treasurer and National Committeeman for the Texas Young Republican Federation. Irv is a precinct chairman and vice-chairman of the Republican Forum, the largest Republican club in Dallas County. Irv has volunteered on numerous campaigns including Senator Dole's '88 Presidential bid.

Co-Chairman Candidate: Liz Zirger

Treasurer Candidate: Nick Walters

Nick is a member of the Mississippi Young Republican Federation. He has been an active volunteer and staff member in many Mississippi campaigns. He was a 1988 Bob Dole supporter. Nick has been endorsed by both Senator Trent Lott and Thad Cochran as well

Vice-Chairman at Large Candidate: Blise Wrede

Elise currently serves as a Regional Vice-Chairman for the Young Republican National Federation. She is a veteran of numerous campaigns in New Jersey. Blise currently is on staff for State Senator Coscoe. She is active in the American Legion and has held several local and district offices in the organization.

Assistant Secretary Candidate: Edie Moore

Edie is a member of the Alexandria Young Republicans. She has served as corresponding Secretary and 2nd Vice-Chairman of the Young Republican Federation of Virginia. Edie has served as a Precinct Captain and Ward Captain in Alexandria and currently sits on the Executive Committee. Edie also serves on the YRNF Executive Board and has raised over \$27,000 in the past two years for the YRNF as chairman of President's Circle.

Campaign Manager: Jonathan McKinnon

Jonathan currently serves as a Regional Vice-Chairman for the YRNF. He is a member of the North Dallas Young Republicans and has served on the board as well as the Texas Young Republican Federation board. He is very active in Dallas County politics, currently is a precinct chairman, and was a regular volunteer for six years at the Dallas Republican headquarters. He was a volunteer at the Dole headquarters in Dallas in '88 and most recently served as the Yard Sign Co-Chair for Kay Hutchison.

Assistant Campaign Manager: Sherilee Norris

Sherilee is a member of the Young Republican Federation of Virginia. She is currently on staff for Congressman Bill Thomas of California. Prior to moving to Virginia Sherilee was acitve in California politics, serving as State Co-Chair of College Republicans, as an appointee to the California Student Aid Commission, as a volunteer advance person for Senator Dole from 1986 through 1988 and as the California youth coordinator for his '88 Presidential bid.

Convention Chairman: Clay Knobles

Clay is currently a member of the Baton Rouge Young Republicans and serves as National Committeeman for the Lousiana Young Republican National Federation. Clay has worked as a political consultant on several Baton Rouge judical and city council races. He also worked as the Campaign Manager for State Senator Jay Dardenne. Clay was recently named as Convention Chairman of the 1993 Louisana Republican Party Convention.

TX Dole References for Iry Bisnov & Jonathan McKinnon

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Kent Strange Hall, Mayor

Mayor's Office Phone: (304) 348-8174 Fax: (304) 348-8157

May 27, 1993

The Honorable Robert Dole United States Senator Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Senator Dole:

I know that your office is aware that the National Young Republicans will be having their annual convention in Charleston on June 23-27. Mike Dunnavant, local Chairman of this event, has already been in touch with Joanne Coe of Campaign America.

We would be very flattered to have you as a featured speaker at one of the sessions - preferably the Saturday, June 26, meeting. Your office can contact Mike Dunnavant at (304) 343-7900. There will be at least 1,200 Republicans from all over the country waiting to hear from you.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely.

Kent Strange Hall Mayor

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MEMORANDUM

JUNE 2, 1993

TO:

SENATOR DOLE

FROM:

JO-ANNE

SUBJ:

PENDING REQUESTS/INVITATIONS -- OUT-OF-TOWN (JUN-JULY)

Saturday, June 26. Charleston, West Virginia. 7:00 reception, 8:00 PM Banquet. YR's National Convention. Invitation to Keynote. 1000 attendees. Other speakers: Carroll Campbell, Lamar request has been submitted to you several times, but I have not yet get another keynote speaker if you can't accept.

ACCEPT

REGRET

SENATOR BOB DOLE

ADDRESS TO YOUNG

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL

CONVENTION

JUNE 26, 1993

CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA

THANK YOU. IT'S A PLEASURE
TO BE HERE. I KNOW THAT THIS
CONVENTION HAS RECEIVED
QUITE A BIT OF ATTENTION

FROM THE PRESS, BECAUSE A
LOT OF FOLKS RUMORED TO BE
PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES
HAVE DROPPED BY.

I GUESS THERE'S NO
STOPPING THE PRESS. I'M SURE
THEY WILL WRITE SOMETHING
ABOUT MY APPEARANCE HERE,
JUST AS THEY ARE TYRING TO
MAKE SOMETHING OF THE FACT

THAT ALL MY FLIGHTS HOME TO KANSAS ARE NOW ROUTED
THROUGH NEW HAMPSHIRE.

I AM PLEASED TO BE HERE
TONIGHT AND TO BE ABLE TO
MEET WITH THE FUTURE OF THE
REPUBLICAN PARTY.

IT WAS JUST A FEW MONTHS
AGO WHEN MANY IN THE PRESS
WERE SAYING THAT THE

REPUBLICAN PARTY DIDN'T HAVE A FUTURE. AFTER ALL, THE DEMOCRATS CONTROL THE WHITE HOUSE. THE **DEMOCRATS CONTROL THE** SENATE. THE DEMOCRATS CONTROL THE HOUSE. AND YES, THE DEMOCRATS CONTROL THE MEDIA.

AND GIVEN ALL THAT,

REPUBLICANS WERE THOUGHT

TO BE AN ENDANGERED

SPECIES.

BUT A LOT OF THINGS HAVE
CHANGED IN THE LAST FEW
MONTHS. A LOT OF PEOPLE
ARE COMING OUR WAY.
THERE'S A NEW REPUBLICAN
SENATOR FROM TEXAS.

THERE'S A NEW REPUBLICAN
MAYOR IN LOS ANGELES.
THERE ARE TEN NEW
REPUBLICAN STATE
LEGISLATORS WHO WON SEATS
PREVIOUSLY HELD BY
DEMOCRATS.

PEOPLE ARE COMING OUR
WAY BECAUSE PEOPLE ARE
WAKING UP TO A SIMPLE FACT:

UNDER PRESIDENT CLINTON AND THE DEMOCRAT CONGRESS, IT'S NOT REPUBLICANS THAT ARE AN ENDANGERED SPECIES: IT'S TAXPAYERS. IT'S SMALL BUSINESSMEN AND WOMEN. IT'S THE MIDDLE CLASS. IT'S **ANYONE WHO THINKS THERE'S** NOTHING WRONG WITH MAKING A PROFIT.

THANKS TO PRESIDENT
CLINTON, ALL THESE
AMERICANS CAN NOW BE
CLASSIFIED AS ENDANGERED
SPECIES.

AND HE LIKES ME. THAT'S ONE
ISSUE WE AGREE ON. AND WE
ALSO AGREE ON A FEW OTHERS,

AND WHEN HE NEEDS MY HELP
ON ISSUES LIKE N.A.F.T.A. OR
AIDE TO RUSSIA, THEN I'LL BE
THERE.

BUT THE FACT IS THAT THE

AMERICAN VOTERS WERE THE

VICTIMS THIS PAST NOVEMBER

OF THE OLD "BAIT AND SWITCH"

TRICK.

CANDIDATE CLINTON SAID HE
WAS A "NEW DEMOCRAT." HE
WAS ONE THAT UNDERSTOOD
THAT MORE TAXES, MORE
SPENDING, AND MORE
REGULATIONS WERE NOT THE
ANSWER.

AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE
BOUGHT IT.

BUT WHAT THEY BOUGHT AND
WHAT THEY GOT ARE TWO
ENTIRELY DIFFERENT
PRODUCTS.

FOR ON JANUARY 20, WHEN
CANDIDATE CLINTON BECAME
PRESIDENT CLINTON, THE NEW
DEMOCRAT SUDDENLY BECAME
THE OLD DEMOCRAT. AND FOR
THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, THE

PRICE TAG JUST KEEPS GOING UP AND UP AND UP. PRESIDENT CLINTON CHALLENGED REPUBLICANS TO COME UP WITH A BETTER BUDGET THAN THE ONE HE PROPOSED--THE ONE THAT CONTAINED WHAT SENATOR MOYNIHAN DESCRIBED AS "THE LARGEST TAX INCREASE IN WORLD HISTORY."

AND WE DID. WE MADE SOME TOUGH CHOICES, AND PROPOSED A VERY LEAN BUDGET. ONE THAT CUT SPENDING FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD. ONE THAT KEPT **AMERICANS "TAX FREE IN** 93"..AND 94...AND 95...AND 96...

YOU KNOW WHAT HAPPENED TO OUR PROPOSAL. 54 OF 56 DEMOCRATS VOTED AGAINST IT. AND AT 3:00 A.M. ON FRIDAY MORNING, VICE PRESIDENT GORE CAST THE TIE-BREAKING VOTE FOR THE PRESIDENT'S BUDGET.

THE PRESIDENT SAID THAT
THE VOTE WAS A DEFINING

MOMENT IN HISTORY. AND IT WAS. AMERICAN VOTERS WILL REMEMBER IT FOR A LONG LONG TIME. AND NO DOUBT ABOUT IT, PRESIDENT CLINTON HAS NOW EARNED HIS PLACE ON "MOUNT TAX-MORE." SO WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?

WELL, WHAT WE DON'T DO IS
SIT ON THE SIDELINES, AND
JUST THROW ROCKS AT THE
PRESIDENT AND THE
DEMOCRATS.

IF WE WANT AMERICANS TO
CONTINUE TO COME OUR WAY,
THEN WE HAVE TO EARN THEIR
SUPPORT AND EARN THEIR
TRUST.

AND WE DO THAT BY DOING WHAT WE DID IN THE BUDGET **DEBATE--BY PROPOSING COMMON SENSE SOLUTIONS TO** THE PROBLEMS OF THE DAY. SOLUTIONS THAT DON'T MAKE YOUR TAX BILL BIGGER. SOLUTIONS THAT DON'T MAKE GOVERNMENT BIGGER.

AND YEARS WILL OFFER

AMERICANS A VERY CLEAR

PICTURE OF TWO DIFFERENT

PHILOSOPHIES.

ON ONE HAND IS THE
PHILOSOPHY OF PRESIDENT
CLINTON AND THE DEMOCRATS.

A PHILOSOPHY THAT SAYS
UNCLE SAM KNOWS BEST. A

PHILOSOPHY THAT SAYS BIGGER **GOVERNMENT IS BETTER** GOVERNMENT. A PHILOSOPHY THAT SAYS BUREAUCRATS ON THE POTOMAC SHOULD MAKE THE DECISIONS FOR THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE ON THE MISSISSIPPI, THE COLUMBIA, AND THE COLORADO.

AND ON THE OTHER HAND IS THE REPUBLICAN PHILOSOPHY. A PHILOSOPHY THAT SAYS THAT HERE IN AMERICA, THE PEOPLE KNOW BEST. A PHILOSOPHY THAT SAYS LESS **GOVERNMENT IS BETTER** GOVERNMENT. A PHILOSOPHY THAT SAYS THERE IS NO LIMIT TO WHAT AMERICAN BUSINESS

CAN DO IF THE GOVERNMENT JUST GOT OUT OF THE WAY. THAT'S THE FUNDAMENTAL DIFFERENCE WE HAVE TO HIGHLIGHT. AND THAT'S THE MESSAGE WE WANT TO PLACE BEFORE THE VOTERS THIS **NOVEMBER, AND IN NOVEMBER** OF 1994 WHEN I PLAN ON **CHANGING JOBS FROM SENATE** MINORITY LEADER TO SENATE MAJORITY LEADER.

THERE'S ANOTHER MESSAGE WE NEED TO WORK ON, AS WELL. AND THAT'S A MESSAGE THAT THE REPUBLICAN PARTY DOESN'T EXCLUDE ANYBODY. WE ARE AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PARTY. WE ARE--AS LEE ATWATER SAID SO MANY TIMES--THE PARTY OF THE BIG TENT.

I HAD A BREAKFAST IN MY
OFFICE LAST WEEK. THERE
WERE ABOUT 10 REPUBLICAN
SENATORS, AND ABOUT 25
SPECIAL GUESTS--25 BLACK
AMERICANS WHO ARE
RECOGNIZED AS LEADERS IN

THEIR COMMUNITIES AND IN AMERICA.

THEY WERE FROM EVERY PART OF THE COUNTRY--SOME WERE BUSINESSMEN AND **WOMEN, SOME WERE** MINISTERS, SOME WERE IN THE MEDIA--BUT THEY ALL HAD ONE MESSAGE: THE DEMOCRATS HAVE TAKEN THEM FOR

GRANTED FOR FAR TOO LONG,
AND THERE IS A WINDOW OF
OPPORTUNITY FOR THE
REPUBLICAN PARTY TO EXPAND
OUR BASE.

IT WAS POINTED OUT IN OUR
MEETING THAT PRESIDENT BUSH
RECEIVED ONLY 11% OF THE
BLACK VOTE. AN INCREASE IN
THAT VOTE TO 18% OR 20%

WOULD MEAN THAT PRESIDENT
BUSH WOULD HAVE BEEN REELECTED.

IT'S A POINT THAT WAS ALSO
MADE IN A COLUMN BY BRENT
STAPLES IN MONDAY'S NEW
YORK TIMES. HE'S CALLING FOR
ONE MILLION NEW BLACK
REPUBLICANS. AND HE'S RIGHT.
WE NEED WE NEED ONE MILLION

NEW VOICES TO LISTEN TO AND TO LEARN FROM; ONE MILLION **NEW REPUBLICANS SENDING A** LOUD AND CLEAR MESSAGE THAT COMPETITION AND A **HEALTHY TWO-PARTY SYSTEM IS** THE HALLMARK OF DEMOCRACY. I CHALLENGE THE YOUNG REPUBLICANS TO MAKE **EXPANSION OF OUR PARTY'S**

MEMBERSHIP ONE OF YOUR TOP PRIORITIES.

IN CLOSING, LET ME JUST SAY "THANK YOU." THANK YOU FOR YOUR DEDICATION. THANK YOU FOR YOUR COMMITMENT. THANK YOU FOR BELIEVING IN AMERICA. AND THANK YOU FOR THE HARD WORK YOU ARE DOING TO ENSURE THAT THE

BEST DAYS OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY AND OF AMERICA ARE YET TO COME.