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[Conversation No. 220-001](#)

Date: October 14, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 3:45 pm and 3:46 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 149-1]

[Conversation No. 220-002](#)

Date: October 14, 1972  
Time: 3:46 pm - 3:49 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with Tricia Nixon Cox.

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[220-002-w001]  
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[See Conversation No. 149-002]

[End of telephone conversation]

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[Conversation No. 220-003](#)

Date: October 14, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 3:49 pm and 3:50 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 149-3]

[Conversation No. 220-004](#)

Date: October 14, 1972  
Time: 3:50 pm -3:53 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with John D. Ehrlichman.

[See Conversation No. 149-4]

[Conversation No. 220-005](#)

Date: October 14, 1972  
Time: 4:05 pm - 4:30 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire



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The President met with H.R. (“Bob”) Haldeman.

College football

- Current ranking of teams
  - University of Oklahoma
  - University of Southern California [USC]

Vietnam negotiations

- Possible settlement
  - Previous meeting with Henry A. Kissinger
    - Timing of settlement
    - John D. Ehrlichman, Clark MacGregor
  - Forthcoming US election
    - Electorate
      - George S. McGovern’s supporters
      - Right wing
    - November 15, 1972
    - Strategy
      - [Nancy S. Maginnes]
        - Conversation with Kissinger
        - Conversation with Haldeman
          - Unnamed man in charge of New York campaign telephone banks for the Committee to Re-elect the President [CRP]
            - Calls to New York area Democrats
              - Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan
              - Support for the President
                - Polling techniques
                  - American Institute for Public Opinion
                    - Increase after McGovern's Vietnam speech
                  - Irish ancestry of voters
                  - Patriotism

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[Personal Returnable]

[220-005-w002]

[Duration: 54s]

1972 election

-Polls

-Outcome

-Sindlinger poll

-*Detroit News*

-The President's talk with John D. Ehrlichman

-The President's talk with Charles W. Colson

-The President's lead

-*Detroit News*

-Polling lead needed to carry states

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Issues

-Vietnam War

-Peace issue

-Possible risks for the Administration

-Prisoners of war [POWs]

-Situation

-Casualties

-Timing of settlement

-1972 election

-The President's conversation with Kissinger

-Possible cease-fire

-Breaches

-Type of settlement

-Success

-McGovern

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[220-005-w004]

[Duration: 12m 6s]

1972 election

- American electorate
  - Choice between the President and George S. McGovern
  - Clark MacGregor's analysis
  - Undecided vote
  - Working class
- Polls
  - George S. McGovern's possible vote count in election
    - The President's opinion
    - Gallup poll
  - Point spreads
    - Massachusetts, West Virginia, Minnesota, and Washington State
      - George S. McGovern
    - The President's 1960 vote count
    - The President's 1968 campaign's effectiveness
    - George S. McGovern's campaigning
      - The President's opinion as to effectiveness
    - California, Illinois
    - Michigan, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, and Pennsylvania
  - Gallup's next poll
    - Timing of release
      - October 16, 1972
      - Yankelovich poll
  - Two person race
    - John B. Connally's analysis
    - Landslide
    - [John] Calvin Coolidge
    - Alfred M. ("Alf") Landon vs. Franklin D. Roosevelt
- Youth vote
  - Vietnam War
- Vietnam War as issue for George S. McGovern
  - Credibility of George S. McGovern
  - Corruption issue
- Polls
  - California



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- Timing
- Los Angeles, Orange County
- Cory poll
- The President's campaign organization
  - Franklyn C. ("Lyn") Nofziger
    - Handling of campaign
      - Opinion of Frederic V. Malek
  - Targeting within California
    - John B. Connally
    - Fresno County
- Massachusetts
- West Virginia
  - President's opinion of potential electoral victory
  - Release of H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's poll
- Massachusetts
  - Becker poll compared to the President
- West Virginia, Kentucky point spreads
- Texas
- Polling by George S. McGovern's organization
- Variance within different polls
  - H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's polls, *Chicago Tribune*, *Hartford Times*
  - Decision Research
    - Detroit News*
- Yankelovich and Gallup polls
  - Potential effect of poll results on the President's campaign workers

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Schedule

- Bill signing ceremony
- Revenue sharing signing ceremony in Philadelphia

An unknown man entered at an unknown time after 5:25 pm.

Congress

- Telephone call to the President from Caspar W. ("Cap") Weinberger
- Conference report



The unknown man left at an unknown time before 4:30 pm.

- Congress
  - House Resolution [HR] 1 conference
  - Spending ceiling limitation

Haldeman left at 4:30 pm.

Conversation No. 220-006

Date: October 14, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 4:30 pm and 7:40 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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- Request
  - Scotch

Manolo Sanchez's health

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 7:40 pm.



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[Conversation No. 220-007](#)

Date: October 14, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 5:06 pm and 7:40 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 149-5]

[Conversation No. 220-008](#)

Date: October 14, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 7:17 pm and 7:40 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The Camp David operator talked with the President.

[See Conversation No. 149-6]

[Conversation No. 220-009](#)

Date: Unknown between October 14 and 15, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 7:17 pm, October 14 and 9:16 am, October 15, 1972  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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[Duration: 17s]

Request

-Pipe

-Birch

Tricia Nixon Cox and Edward R. F. Cox's schedule

-Forthcoming departure from Camp David

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 9:16 am, October 15, 1972.

[Conversation No. 220-010](#)

Date: October 15, 1972

Time: Unknown between 8:57 am and 9:16 am

Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 149-7]

[Conversation No. 220-011](#)

Date: October 15, 1972

Time: 9:16 am - 9:24 am

Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with John D. Ehrlichman.

[See Conversation No. 149-8]



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Conversation No. 220-012

Date: October 15, 1972

Time: Unknown between 9:16 am and 10:55 am

Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with H.R. ("Bob") Haldeman.

The press

- The White House staff's position
  - Comparison to Lyndon B. Johnson's staff
  - Support of the President for staff members
    - Ronald L. Ziegler
    - Henry A. Kissinger's treatment of staff
    - Clark MacGregor, Frederic V. Malek
  - Direct mail story
- Fallibility
- The President's California property
  - New York Times* story
    - Secret Service facilities at San Clemente
    - Comparison to R. Sargent Shriver story
    - The ownership of the property
    - John D. Ehrlichman
      - [Wally Turners]
    - Reporters contact over the years
      - Number of stories
  - Los Angeles Times*
    - Haldeman's possible telephone call to Otis Chandler
      - The Shriver trust
      - Use of story

Instructions to turn something down

Campaign practices

- Lawrence F. O'Brien, Jr.'s tax returns
  - Effect on O'Brien of White House action



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-Unnamed man in Minnesota [Kenneth Dahlberg ?]

Watergate and campaign practices

- Dwight L. Chapin
  - Story
    - Hearsay
  - Donald H. Segretti
    - Young [First name unknown]
      - University of Southern California [USC]
    - Role
  - Loyalty of White House staff
    - 1968 campaign
      - Leonard Garment, Frank J. Shakespeare
        - Conversation with [Joe McGinniss for *The Selling of the President*]
    - Confidentiality
  - Response to story
    - Segretti
  - Background of story
    - Federal Bureau of Investigation [FBI] inquiry
      - G[eorge] Gordon Liddy's telephone list
        - Segretti
      - Segretti's attempts to reach Chapin
        - Conversation with Young
          - [Unknown person]
          - Revelation of information
  - The Washington Post's* telephone call of October 13, 1972
    - Affadavit from Young
      - Chapin's involvement with Segretti
        - Chapin-Segretti meeting with E. Howard Hunt, Jr. in Miami
  - Ehrlichman, Richard A. Moore, John W. Dean III
    - Draft of statement in response to charges
  - Chapin's relationship with Hunt
  - Chapin, Gordan C. Strachan
    - Relationship with Segretti
  - Time* magazine story
    - Newsweek* [?]
    - Young



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- Washington Post, Time* magazine
- Newsweek*
- Segretti
  - Possible response to charges
  - Activities
    - Dick Tuck
    - Guidance
  - Washington Post* story
    - Wording
  - Segretti's current contacts with Dean
    - Segretti
      - Background at USC
      - Chapin, Strachan
      - Relationship
  - Investigation
    - FBI
      - Possible discovery of Herbert W. Kalmbach's role
        - Payments to Segretti
  - Chapin's recruitment of Segretti
    - Chapin, Patrick J. Buchanan's 1968 campaign activities
    - Kalmbach
      - Possible response
  - FBI
    - Statement from Chapin about his relationship with Segretti
  - Segretti role outside the White House staff
    - Independence
      - Liddy's Committee to Re-elect the President [CRP] operation
    - Payments
      - Kalmbach
      - Liddy
      - Kalmbach's role
    - Liddy's reaction to Segretti's activities
      - Dean
        - Liddy
    - Charles W. Colson's knowledge
      - Separation of activities



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- Young's role in revelation of information
- Democratic activities
  - Press's double standard
- Press coverage
  - Washington Post*, *Time* magazine
  - Time* magazine
    - Use of Strachan's name
    - Source for story
      - Grand jury, FBI
        - Ehrlichman's conversation with L[ouis] Patrick Gray, III about leaks
- George S. McGovern's October 15, 1972 speech about corruption
  - Washington Post* story's timing
- Chapin's access to the President
- Response to charges
  - Chapin's response
  - Ehrlichman's response
    - Hearsay
    - Haldeman's view
- Young's statement
  - Motivation
  - Segretti
- Maurice H. Stans
  - Effect of charges
- Response to charges
  - Comparison to underworld figures
  - Sherman Adams and the vicuna coat charges during the Dwight D. Eisenhower administration
    - Eisenhower's response
- Dean
  - Wedding
    - Maureen (Biener) Dean

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[Duration: 9s]

Watergate and campaign practices

- John W. Dean, III
- October 13, 1972 wedding
- Maureen (Biener) Dean

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Watergate and campaign practices

- Chapin-Segretti story
  - White House involvement
  - Chapin's access to the President
- White House response
  - Chapin
    - The President's view
  - Kalmbach
    - Involvement with funds
  - Unnamed West Coast lawyer
    - Segretti's use of names
      - Hunt, Chapin
  - Young statement
    - Editorialized use
  - Revelation of information about Kalmbach's role
    - FBI
      - Statement

Vietnam negotiations

- Kissinger's activities
- Options
  - Haldeman's conversation with Kissinger
    - 1972 election
      - November 15, 1972
    - Possible trip to Hanoi
      - Paris, Saigon
        - Possible press speculation
        - Hanoi



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- 1972 election
- Kissinger's judgment
  - President's view
- Military options
  - 1968 bombing pause by Johnson
    - Comparisons
    - Haldeman's view
- Nguyen Van Thieu
  - Possible reaction to proposed settlement
- Kissinger
  - Hanoi
  - Role
- Kissinger's view
  - Thieu
    - Possible reaction
    - Paris peace talks
- Use of the term coalition
  - State Department request
  - Council for National Concord
- Thieu's reaction
- Kissinger's itinerary
  - Forthcoming trip to Paris
    - Saigon
- 1972 election
- Type of settlement
  - 1972 election
    - Kissinger's attitude
    - [Nancy S. Maginnes]
- Kissinger's schedule

The President left at an unknown time after 9:30 am.

Haldeman talked with the Camp David operator at an unknown time between 9:30 am and 10:55 am.

[Conversation No. 220-12A]

[See Conversation No. 181-2]



An unknown person talked with Haldeman at an unknown time between 9:30 am and 10:55 am.

Haldeman talked with Kissinger at an unknown time.

[End of telephone conversation]

The President entered at an unknown time before 10:55 am.

#### Vietnam negotiations

- Kissinger's schedule
  - The President's schedule
- Kissinger's suggested strategy
  - Kissinger's itinerary
    - Saigon
    - Thieu
      - Possible outcome of settlement
        - Timing
          - 1972 election
        - Paris, Saigon, Hanoi
        - Kissinger's concern
- Cease-fire
- Kissinger's perspective
  - Motivation
- Chances for settlement before 1972 election
  - Kissinger's possible view
  - Impact
- 1972 election
  - Young supporters of the President
    - McGovern

#### Campaign practices

- Vietnam
  - McGovern's use of recording anonymous voice [at University of Minnesota, October 12, 1972]
    - Hypothetical use of anonymous phone call
    - Press reaction
      - McGovern's press secretary [Richard Dougherty]
        - McGovern
    - Campaign funds





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-Stewart R. Mott

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[220-012-w003]

[Duration: 1m 35s]

1972 election

-Crowd sizes

-George S. McGovern's reaction

-The President's reaction

-Motorcades

-John B. Connally's reaction

-Public reactions

-Estimates of turnout for the President's appearance

-Enthusiasm level

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Vietnam negotiations

-Possible trip by Alexander M. Haig, Jr.

-Kissinger's reaction

-Possible settlement

-Strategy

-Thieu

-Possible effect

-Thieu

-Kissinger's trip to Saigon

Watergate and campaign practices

-Kalmbach's role

-Ehrlichman and Haldeman

-Chapin, Segretti

-Response to future revelations about Kalmbach



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- Ehrlichman's meeting
  - Meeting compared to one with William P. Rogers
  - As spokesman
    - Possible questions
    - Comparison to Clark MacGregor and Herbert G. Klein
- Chapin
  - Charges
    - Time* magazine
    - Life* magazine
  - Story
    - Washington compared to national focus
      - Washington Post*, *Los Angeles Times*

Foreign relations

- Roy L. Ash's trip to Europe
  - Meeting in West Germany with Franz-Josef Strauss
    - Message for the President
    - Kissinger
      - Request from Strauss
    - November 19, 1972 Bundestag elections
      - Willy Brandt
        - Unknown intelligence source
        - Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
        - West Berlin
          - Voting power
            - Bundestag
            - Dr. Rainer Barzel
            - Christian Democratic Union [CDU]
  - Egon Bahr
- Proposal
  - Four power approval
    - USSR, France, US
    - Possible US position
      - Delay
        - November election
      - West Berlin
        - Statehood
          - USSR
  - Ash's view



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- Barzel
  - Strauss
    - Forthcoming West German election
- Strauss's request
  - Kissinger
    - Strauss's possible view
- US-Soviet relations

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[National Security]

[220-012-w005]

[Duration: 3s]

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END WITHDRAWN ITEM NO. 5

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Foreign relations

- Roy L. Ash's trip to Europe
  - West Germany
    - Taiwan, Republic of China
- Ash's role
  - Strauss
    - Kissinger
- US-Soviet relations
- Haig
  - Kissinger
    - Paris negotiations
- Strauss's message for the President
  - Kissinger
    - Reply to Strauss



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- Instructions for Ash
  - West German election
    - Kissinger
    - Barzel
    - Brandt
  - Haig
    - Kissinger
    - Haldeman
    - Ash's trip
    - Strauss

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[Personal Returnable]

[220-012-w006]

[Duration: 1m 26s]

The President's schedule

- H. R. ("Bob") Haldeman's response

1972 election

- Effect of action
- John B. Connally
  - Forthcoming television address
    - Timing
      - October 20, 1972
      - Schedule around World Series broadcasts
      - October 17-19 and 21-22, 1972

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Watergate and campaign practices

- Charges
  - Counterattack
    - Chapin story in *Washington Post*



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- Role in White House
  - Possible public reaction
- Tie to Strachan, Haldeman, Ehrlichman, Ziegler
  - USC
    - Thelma C. ("Pat") Nixon
- Response by John B. Connally to McGovern
  - Focus on issues
    - Forthcoming television broadcast
    - Timing
- Funding
  - Democrats for Nixon
  - Dwayne O. Andreas
    - Meeting in New York, Chicago
    - Nicholas Rosa, Andreas
  - Focus of request for funds
  - Democrats for Nixon
    - Nature of funds
- Kalmbach
  - Revelations
  - Existence of fund
    - Reporting
    - Relation to CRP
    - International Telephone and Telegraph [ITT] case
      - Frank Demarco, Jr.
  - Stans
  - As fundraiser
  - Role as the President's lawyer
  - News story
    - New York Times*
- Control
- News media
  - Handling revelations

### Speeches

- Rogers
  - Conversation with Ehrlichman
  - Haldeman
  - Colson's recommendations



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- Connally
- The Establishment and press

### The press

- Washington Post, New York Times*
- White House contacts
  - Kissinger's meetings with *Time* magazine and *Los Angeles Times* staffs
- Life* magazine
  - “Dirty tricks”

### Campaign practices

- McGovern's handling of charges

### Vietnam negotiations

- Possible settlement
  - 1972 election
    - Possible late October announcement
  - 1962 Cuban missile crisis
    - Effect on the President's gubernatorial race in California
      - John F. Kennedy
- Effect of settlement
  - Possible announcement
    - Public reaction
      - Troop withdrawal, POWs
    - Duration
    - Content
      - Edward M. Kennedy's forthcoming Congressional hearings on Watergate
        - Timing

### Congress

- Water bill
  - Quorum
  - Veto
    - Chances for sustention
- Quorum
  - Republicans
  - Congressional action



-Accomplishments

The President's schedule

- Return to Washington
  - Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
  - Robert H. Abplanalp
  - Hobart D. ("Hobe") Lewis

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[220-012-w008]  
[Duration: 34s]

1972 election

- Comparison to typical campaigns
  - Effect on the President of campaigning
    - Chicago, Los Angeles
- Potential effect on the President of his lead in election

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Campaign practices

- Charges
  - Staff
    - CRP
      - Loyalty
        - Comparison to 1968
          - [Joe McGinniss]
            - [The Selling of the President]
- Hugh W. Sloan, Jr.

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[Duration: 27s]

1972 election
-Washington Post story on support for the President by opinion leaders
-Organized labor

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Kalmbach
-Information on further developments

Haldeman left at 10:55 am.

Conversation No. 220-013

Date: October 15, 1972
Time: Unknown between 10:55 am and 11:07 am
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 149-9]

Conversation No. 220-014

Date: October 15, 1972
Time: 11:07 am - 11:21 am
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with Charles W. Colson.





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[220-014-w001]  
[Duration: 28s]

[See Conversation No. 149-010-w001]

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[220-014-w002]  
[Duration: 55s]

[See Conversation No. 149-010-w002]

[End of telephone conversation]

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[Conversation No. 220-015](#)

Date: October 15, 1972  
Time: 11:24 am  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.



[See Conversation No. 149-11]

[Conversation No. 220-016](#)

Date: October 15, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 11:24 am and 11:35 am  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The Camp David operator talked with the President.

[See Conversation No. 149-12]

[Conversation No. 220-017](#)

Date: October 15, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 11:24 am and 12:00 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with the Camp David operator.

[See Conversation No. 149-13]

[Conversation No. 220-018](#)

Date: October 15, 1972  
Time: 12:00 pm - 12:14 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President talked with Henry A. Kissinger.

[See Conversation No. 149-14]



Conversation No. 220-019

Date: October 15, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 12:14 pm and 7:53 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President met with Manolo Sanchez.

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[220-019-w001]  
[Duration: 16s]

The President's schedule  
-Weather  
-The President's previous walk

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Sanchez left at an unknown time before 7:53 pm.

Conversation No. 220-020

Date: October 15, 1972  
Time: Unknown between 12:14 pm and 7:53 pm  
Location: Camp David Hard Wire

The President dictated a memorandum for the file.

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- Trip to Camp David on October 15, 1972
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  - Robert H. Abplanalp
  - Charles G. ("Bebe") Rebozo
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  - Refreshment
  - Menu
- The President's October 13, 1972 meetings
  - Clare Merritt (Hodgson) Ruth, Bobby Thomson, Ralph Branca
  - Baseball
  - Athletes as role models
    - The President's opinion of George H. ("Babe") Ruth
    - World Series
  - The President's opinion of Clare Merritt (Hodgson) Ruth
- Campaign anecdote
- Hugh Scott
- The President's October 13, 1972 meetings
  - James S. Copley, Margaret Helen (Kinney) Copley, and Victor H. Krulak
  - James S. Copley
    - The President's description
    - Health
  - Support
- October 12, 1972
- Foreign relations
  - Chou En-lai
  - People's Republic of China [PRC]
  - Union of Soviet Socialist Republics [USSR]
- The President's October 13, 1972 meetings
  - Joe D. Waggoner, Jr.
- The President's October 12, 1972 trip to Atlanta, Georgia
  - Meeting with Hispanic supporters



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- Governors and mayors
- The President's reception
- Revenue-sharing signing ceremony in Philadelphia
- Frank L. Rizzo

Vietnam negotiations

- Possible settlement
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  - Nguyen Van Thieu
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