

MEMORANDUM

To: Lisa Caputo
From: Jennifer O'Connor
Date: July 14, 1995
Re: Assemblymember Susan John

Lisa, Kevin forwarded this note to me. I have spoken with Assemblymember Susan John and I think it is an excellent idea if the First Lady has time.

Please let me know how you want to proceed.



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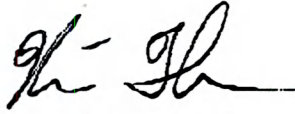
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NOTE TO LISA CAPUTO

FROM: Kevin Thurm



RE: Radio Broadcast with Assemblymember Susan John

Attached please find a request from New York Assemblymember Susan John to interview the First Lady next Thursday (7/20/95) between 10:00 am and 1:00 pm on a radio show in Rochester, New York.

The Assemblymember was an early supporter of the President (December 1991/January 1992) and the lead delegate candidate in her congressional district (and ultimately a delegate to the Convention). She carried considerable water for us during the New York campaign and has continued to be a strong supporter.

Next week, the host of a morning talk show is on vacation and Susan is one of the stand-in hosts; she has asked whether the First Lady would be willing to spend a few minutes being interviewed. According to Susan's attached memo, the station plays throughout the upstate New York region.

Because I believe this would be good use of the First Lady's time, I urge strong consideration of the Assemblymember's request and its acceptance.

If you have any questions, or if I could be of further assistance, please give me a call (690-6133).

cc: Jennifer O'Connor

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Notes re request for Thursday, July 20 between 10:00 am and 1:00 pm

WHAM Radio (1180 AM) largest AM station in Rochester

signal extends east to Syracuse, west to Buffalo

Morning call-in show whose host is on vacation. A series of local elected officials have been asked to be stand-in hosts - Mayor Johnson, Congressman Paxon, Congresswoman Slaughter, Assemblymember Susan John.

Show runs from 10:00 am until 1:00 pm with newsbreaks at the hour and half hour.

As the host I may interview anyone I want about any topic I want, for as long or as short as I want. If the Clinton administration has a current agenda item to talk about, this is a golden opportunity to reach upstate New York.

Perhaps the President or Mrs. Clinton would like to take this opportunity to talk for two to four minutes with western New York about the balanced budget; about taking care of our future generations; about the well-intentioned misguided notions of the GOP majority in Congress; whatever.

Afterwards, calls may come in to me as the host about what was discussed, and any feedback can be shared with whomever. Obviously, my intention is not to have any callers direct questions to the President or First Lady, or other Presidential representative. If that would be your preference, however, we could do that.