

Richard Nixon Presidential Library Resources for Johnny Cash

Textual

WHITE HOUSE CENTRAL FILES (WHCF): ALPHABETICAL NAME FILES

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/alphabetic-name-files-white-house-central-files>

- Box 85 – Cash, Johnny [2 folders]

WHCF: STAFF MEMBER AND OFFICE FILES (SMOF)

- **First Lady's Press Office**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/first-ladys-press-office-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

- Box 97 - 4/17/70 – Evening at the White House – Johnny Cash [2 folders]

- **Fox, Sanford**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/sanford-fox-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

- Box 21 - April 17, 1970 – Evening at the White House – Johnny Cash
- Box 102 – Programs - April 17, 1970 – Johnny Cash
- Box 112 – Press Releases - Evening at the White House – April 17, 1970, Johnny Cash

- **Winchester, Lucy A.**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/lucy-winchester-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

- Box 6 - Evening at the White House--Johnny Cash April 17, 1970

WHITE HOUSE SPECIAL FILES (WHSF): SMOF

- **President's Personal File (PPF)**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/presidents-personal-file-white-house-special-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

- Box 125 - Evening at the White House, Johnny Cash, Friday, Apr. 17, 1970

RETURNED MATERIALS

- **White House Special Files: Contested Files**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/nixon-presidential-returned-materials-collection-white-house-special-files-whsf-contested-files>

- Box 1 – folder 45
 - From Bull to Chapin RE: the effective organization of big-name celebrities behind RN in the 1972 campaign. Handwritten note added by Chapin. 2 pgs. [7/8/1971]

- o Box 2 – folder 43
 - Copy of a memo from Chapin to “THE FILE” RE: call with Billy Graham. 2 pgs. [7/20/1972]
- o Box 6 – folder 39
 - From Chotiner to Haldeman RE: Johnny Cash. Handwritten note added by unknown. 1 pg. [4/2/1970]
- o Box 6 – folder 45
 - From Higby to Haldeman RE: campaigning in Alabama. 1 pg. [4/19/1970]
- o Box 8 – folder 66
 - From Higby to Haldeman suggesting that the latter watch Johnny Cash and other musicians on television. 1 pg. [1/27/1970]
- o Box 16 – folder 23
 - Report of the Convention TV Committee. 19 pgs. [12/6/1971]
- o Box 19 – folder 9
 - From: Elly M. Peterson To: John Ehrlichman RE: Republican National Leadership Conference dates and appearance of the President and Johnny Cash. 1 pg. [3/31/1970]
 - From: Harry Dent To: H.R. Haldeman RE: Middle America Campaign Strategy. 1 pg. [3/16/1970]
- o Box 45 – folder 49
 - From Strachan “for the record” RE: Advertising meeting – Aug. 16, Haldeman, Dailey, Taylor. 7 pgs. [8/17/1972]
 - To: H From: Tex McCrary RE “Comments on Presentation by November Group (As requested by the Tall Guy in the Grey Suit, Pronto.)” 13 pgs. [no date]

GOVERNED BY DEED OF GIFT: GENERAL DONATIONS

- **Oral Histories**
<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/oral-histories>
 - o Adams, Penelope A.
- **H.R. Haldeman Diaries**
<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/h-r-haldeman-diaries>
 - o March 9, 1970
 - o April 17, 1970

White House Tapes

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/white-house-tapes>

- Conversation Number: OVAL 754-6
 Conversation Date: July 26, 1972

Participants: Richard Nixon, Johnny Cash, William E. Brock III, William E. Timmons, June Carter Cash, Reba Cash Hancock, Bobbie John

Audiovisual

AUDIO COLLECTIONS

- **White House Communications Agency Sound Recordings Collection**

- <https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-08/whca-sr-complete-20180806.pdf>

- File/ID: J-124

- Date: 4/17/1970

- Title: Johnny Cash

- File/ID: P-700418

- Date: 4/17/1970

- Title: Remarks by President Nixon introducing after dinner entertainment followed by a performance by Johnny Cash, June Carter Cash, Mother Maybelle and the Carter Family, Carl Perkins, the Statler Brothers and the Tennessee Three

- **Main Audio File**

- <https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-08/maf-complete-20180806.pdf>

- File/ID: MAF-731214

- Date: 12/14/1973

- Title: "Thank You Mr. President": CD audio copy of an LP presented to President Nixon by the Country Music Association

MOTION FILM COLLECTIONS

- **Naval Photographic Center Film Collection**

- https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-10/npc_complete_20180806.pdf

- File/ID: NPC-1211-106-73

- Date: 7/26/1972

- Title: Nixon Photo Ops: 2) Meeting with Johnny Cash and Senator William E. Brock III to discuss prison reform (7/26)

VIDEO COLLECTIONS

- **White House Communications Agency Videotape Collection**

- <https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2020-02/nixon-library-whca-video-complete-20200211.pdf>

- File/ID: WHCA-3690

- Date: 4/18/1970

- Title: Weekly News Summary (4/25/1970),

Clip: Entertainer Johnny Cash at the White House; Cash interview with Dan Rather from 00:04:00-00:05:30; Cash's comments on President Nixon's song request list

PHOTOGRAPHIC COLLECTIONS

- **White House Photo Office Collection**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2021-04/nixon-library-whpo-complete-20210413.pdf>

- o Roll Number: WHPO-3366 – WHPO-3367

Date: 4/17/1970

Event: President Nixon and Pat Nixon host an "Evening at White House" featuring singers Johnny Cash and June Carter Cash and their band.

Participants: Richard Nixon, Pat Nixon, Johnny Cash, June Carter Cash

- o Roll Number: WHPO-9648 – WHPO-9650

Date: 7/26/1972

Event: President Nixon in the Oval Office visiting with Johnny Cash, June Carter Cash, Bobbie John Press, and Reba Cash Hancock and Senator William Brock

Participants: Richard Nixon, Johnny Cash, June Carter Cash, Bobbie John Press, Reba Cash Hancock, William Brock, Steve Bull, Ronald Ziegler, William Timmons