

**Richard Nixon Presidential Library
Resources for L. Patrick Gray**

Textual Materials

White House Special Files (WHSF): Staff Member and Office Files (SMOF)

Harry R. (H.R.) Haldeman

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/harry-r-haldeman-white-house-special-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

NEW boxes 40-44 Handwritten notes from following meeting dates:

1/28/72
5/2/72
5/3/72
6/23/72
3/2/73
3/21/73
3/22/73
3/24/73
3/25/73
3/26/73
3/31/73
4/5/73
4/15/73
4/16/73
4/17/73
4/21/73
4/26/73
4/27/73

NEW box 108 - Robert Finch May 1972

NEW box 118 - Alex Butterfield November 1972 [2 folders]

NEW box 119 - General Tkach December 1972

NEW box 122 - L. Patrick Gray, III

NEW box 139 - J. Edgar Hoover 1972 [2 folders]

OLD boxes 251-256 - Higby Handwritten Notes

John D. Ehrlichman

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/john-d-ehrichman-white-house-special-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

Box 7-9 - Notes of Meetings with the President

4/25/72
5/3/72
7/6/72

11/27/72
2/14/73
2/16/73
3/21/73
3/27/73
4/17/73
4/28/73

Box 27 - Panetta, [Leon]
Box 32 - 1972 Telephone Conversations [3 folders]
Box 32 - 1973 Telephone Conversations [3 folders]
Box 33 - Wallace Shooting

John W. Dean, III

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/john-w-dean-iii-white-house-special-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

Boxes 105-107 - 22 folders on congressional hearings for the nomination of Gray

President's Office Files (POF)

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

Box 18 - President's Handwriting, September 1972 [6 folders]

Boxes 36-45 Annotated News Summaries

7/21/72
8/2/72
9/11/72
10/6/72
10/24-26/72
10/28/72
11/3/72
2/17/73
3/3/73
3/11/73
3/14/73
3/21/72

Box 81 - Memoranda for the President--Beginning August 2, 1970 [see 8/2/70]

Box 85 - Memoranda for the President--Beginning April 2, [1972] [see 4/2/72]

Box 85 - Memoranda for the President--Beginning April 30, [1972] [see 4/30/72]

Special Staff Files

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

Box 4 - [Jerry Jones] Personal Date Questionnaire of Louis Patrick Gray III [FG

17-5]

Subject Files: Confidential Files

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/subject-files-white-house-special-files>

Box 19 - FG 17 Dept. of Justice
Box 38 - JL Judicial - Legal Matters

White House Central Files: Subject Files

FG (Federal Government-Organizations): FG 17 Dept. of Justice

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-17-department-justice-white-house-central-files-subject-files>

FG 17-5 The Federal Bureau of Investigation

JL (Judicial-Legal)

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/jl-judicial-legal-matters-white-house-central-files-subject-files>

JL 3 Criminal Matters (boxes 13-23)

WHCF: Alphabetical Name Files

Box 85 - Gray, L. Patrick III

WHCF: SMOF

Geoffrey Shepard

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/geoffrey-shepard-white-house-special-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

Box 3 - Pat Gray-Gun Control

General Donations

L. Patrick Gray, III

Boxes 1-2

White House Tapes

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

Conversation Number: 576-6
Conversation Date: 9/18/71

Participants: Nixon, Stephen Bull, John Mitchell
Topic: L. Patrick Gray as potential successor to J. Edgar Hoover

Conversation Number: 646-5
Conversation Date: 1/12/72
Participants: Nixon, Mitchell
Topic: L. Patrick Gray

Conversation Number: 659-16
Conversation Date: 1/28/72
Participants: Nixon, Mitchell, H.R. Haldeman
Topic: L. Patrick Gray's promotion/confirmation

Conversation Number: 720-19
Conversation Date: 5/5/72
Participants: Nixon, Haldeman
Topic: Gray's FBI directorship

Conversation Number: 27-92
Conversation Date: 7/26/72
Participants: Nixon, John Ehrlichman
Topic: Handgun legislation/Gray

Conversation Number: 815-6
Conversation Date: 11/24/72
Participants: Nixon, Ehrlichman
Topic: Gray's FBI nomination

Conversation Number: 822-12
Conversation Date: 12/13/72
Participants: Nixon, Ehrlichman, Haldeman
Topic: L. Patrick Gray, III

Conversation Number: 859-38
Conversation Date: 2/21/73
Participants: Nixon, Haldeman
Topic: Watergate/L. Patrick Gray

Conversation Number: 425-45
Conversation Date: 4/9/73
Participants: Nixon, Henry Kissinger
Topic: Watergate/Gray/FBI files

Conversation Number: 429-22
Conversation Date: 4/19/73

Participants: Nixon, John J. Wilson, Frank H. Strickler
Topic: Watergate/Gray

Conversation Number: 432-26

Conversation Date: 5/9/73

Participants: Nixon, George H.W. Bush, David K. "Pat" Wilson, William E.
Brock, III, Robert H. Michel, William E. Timmons

Topic: Watergate/public perception of Gray's actions

Conversation Number: 442-49

Conversation Date: 6/4/73

Participants: Nixon, Bull, Ronald Ziegler,

Topics: Gray's nomination

Conversation Number: 447-11

Conversation Date: 6/18/73

Participants: Nixon, J. Fred Buzhardt

Topic: Gray's Ervin Committee testimony

Audiovisual Materials

Audio Collections

White House Communications Agency (WHCA) Sound Recording Collection

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

File ID/Number: G-165

Date: 5/3/72

Tape Contents: Press briefing by Acting Attorney General Richard Kleindeinst
and Acting FBI Director L. Patrick Gray, with Ronald Ziegler

Program Time: 26:00

File ID/Number: P-730319

Date: 3/5/73

Tape Contents: Remarks by President Nixon in a press conference

Program Time: 37:15

Video Collections

WHCA Videotape Collection

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

File/ID: WHCA 5336

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening news broadcasts

Date: 5/2/72 - 5/3/72

File/ID: WHCA 5383

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 5/12/72 - 5/15/72

File/ID: WHCA 5384

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 5/15/72 - 5/16/72

File/ID: WHCA 5385

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 5/16/72 - 5/18/72

File/ID: WHCA 5782

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 9/15/72 - 9/18/72

File/ID: WHCA 5928

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 11/14/72 - 11/16/72

File/ID: WHCA 6136

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 2/16/73 - 2/18/73

File/ID: WHCA 6152

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 2/26/73 - 2/28/73

File/ID: WHCA 6153

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 3/1/73

File/ID: WHCA 6166

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 3/5/73 - 3/8/73

File/ID: WHCA 6167

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 3/8/73

File/ID: WHCA 6178

Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts

Date: 3/9/73 - 3/13/73

File/ID: WHCA 6179
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 3/13/73 - 3/14/73

File/ID: WHCA 6180
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 3/15/73

File/ID: WHCA 6193
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 3/16/73 - 3/19/73

File/ID: WHCA 6194
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 3/19/73 - 3/20/73

File/ID: WHCA 6195
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 3/21/73 - 3/22/73

File/ID: WHCA 6207
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 3/23/73 - 3/26/73

File/ID: WHCA 6217
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 3/30/73 - 3/31/73

File/ID: WHCA 6221
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 4/4/73 - 4/5/73

File/ID: WHCA 6222
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 4/5/73

File/ID: WHCA 6264
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 4/28/73 - 5/1/73

File/ID: WHCA 6285
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 5/11/73 - 5/13/73

File/ID: WHCA 6313
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 5/23/73

File/ID: WHCA 6340
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 6/4/73

File/ID: WHCA 6482
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 8/3/73 - 8/6/73

File/ID: WHCA 6483
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 8/6/73 - 8/7/73

File/ID: WHCA 6575
Title/Event: Excerpts of evening network news broadcasts
Date: 10/1/73 - 10/3/73

File/ID: WHCA-W-226
Title/Event: Proceedings of the Senate Watergate Committee Hearings -
Testimony of John Ehrlichman; containing Ehrlichman's remarks about
leaving L. Patrick Gray to "hang slowly, slowly twisting in the wind."
Date: 7/26/73

File/ID: WHCA-W-254
Title/Event: Proceedings of the Senate Watergate Committee Hearings -
Testimony of L. Patrick Gray
Date: 8/3/73

File/ID: WHCA-W-255
Title/Event: Proceedings of the Senate Watergate Committee Hearings -
Testimony of L. Patrick Gray
Date: 8/3/73

File/ID: WHCA-W-256
Title/Event: Proceedings of the Senate Watergate Committee Hearings -
Testimony of L. Patrick Gray
Date: 8/6/73

File/ID: WHCA-W-257
Title/Event: Proceedings of the Senate Watergate Committee Hearings -
Testimony of L. Patrick Gray
Date: 8/6/73

File/ID: WHCA-W-258
Title/Event: Proceedings of the Senate Watergate Committee Hearings -
Testimony of L. Patrick Gray
Date: 8/6/73

File/ID: WHCA-W-259
Title/Event: Proceedings of the Senate Watergate Committee Hearings -
Testimony of L. Patrick Gray
Date: 8/6/73

File/ID: WHCA-W-260
Title/Event: Proceedings of the Senate Watergate Committee Hearings -
Testimony of L. Patrick Gray
Date: 8/6/73

Photographic Collections

White House Photo Office (WHPO)

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-10/whpo-complete-20181001_1.pdf

Roll Number: 0262
No. of Images: 34
Color/B&W: B&W
Photographer: Atkins, Oliver
Date: 2/12/1969
Event: President Nixon poses with HEW Department appointees
Participants: Nixon, Robert Finch, Louis P. Gray, others
Frames Selected: 1-13; 29-34

Roll Number: 8815
No. of Images: 1
Color/B&W: B&W
Photographer: Knudsen, Robert L.
Date: 4/4/1972
Event: President Nixon shaking hands with members of the American Bar
Association's Young Lawyer's Section.
Participants: Nixon, Walter McLin, III, Robert Murray, Harry Hathaway, Mitchell,
Scowcroft, L. Patrick Gray, III
Frames Selected: 1

Roll Number: 9007
No. of Images: 1
Color/B&W: B&W
Photographer: Knudsen, Robert L.

Date: 5/3/1972

Event: President Nixon seated informally with Richard Kleindienst, L. Patrick Gray, and others

Participants: Nixon, L. Patrick Gray, Richard Kleindienst, H.R. Haldeman, John Ehrlichman

Frames Selected: 1

Roll Number: 9012

No. of Images: 2

Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver

Date: 5/4/1972

Event: President Nixon seated at his desk and standing with L. Patrick Gray and Mrs. Beatrice Gray; President Nixon shaking hands with L. Patrick Gray as Mrs. Beatrice Gray stands nearby

Participants: Nixon, L. Patrick Gray, Mrs. Beatrice Gray

Frames Selected: All frames

Additional Resources

Public Papers of the President

American Presidency Project

<https://www.presidency.ucsb.edu/people/president/richard-nixon>

The President's News Conference, March 2, 1973

The President's News Conference, March 15, 1973

Statement About Intention To Withdraw the Nomination of L. Patrick Gray III To Be Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, April 05, 1973

Statements About the Watergate Investigations, May 22, 1973

The President's News Conference, August 22, 1973

Published Materials

Nixon, Richard M. *RN: The Memoirs of Richard M. Nixon*. New York: Grosset and Dunlap, 1978

Gray, L. Patrick and Ed Gray. *In Nixon's Web: A Year in the Crosshairs of Watergate*. New York: Times Books, 2008

Websites

“In Nixon’s Web: Watergate and the FBI.” *Lpatrickgrayiii.com*. LPGIII Pages LLC, 2008. Web.

<http://www.lpatrickgrayiii.com/index.html>