

## Richard Nixon Presidential Library Resources for Santa Barbara Oil Spill

### Textual

#### WHITE HOUSE CENTRAL FILES (WHCF): ALPHABETICAL NAME FILES

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

- Box 37 - Reagan, Ronald Gov. [6 folders]

#### WHITE HOUSE CENTRAL FILES (WHCF): SUBJECT FILES

- **DI (Disasters)**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/di-disasters-white-house-central-files-subject-files>

- Box 1 - EX DI Disasters 1/20/1969-2/28/1969
- Box 1 - EX DI Disasters 3/1/1969-3/31/1969
- Box 1 - EX DI Disasters 4/1/1969-6/30/1969
- Box 1 - GEN DI Disasters 2/6/1969-12/29/1970

- **FG (Federal Government-Organizations)**

- FG 19 Department of the Interior

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/fg-19-department-interior-white-house-central-files-subject-files>

- FG 25 Department of Transportation

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-25-department-transportation-white-house-central-files-subject-files>

- FG 25-4 Coast Guard, United States

- **NR (Natural Resources)**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/nr-natural-resources-white-house-central-files-subject-files>

- Box 10 - EX NR 6 Oil-Natural Gas 1969
- Box 10 - EX NR 6 Oil-Natural Gas 1/1970-5/1970
- Box 10 - EX NR 6 Oil-Natural Gas 6/1970-7/1970
- Box 10 - EX NR 6 Oil-Natural Gas 8/1970-12/1970
- Box 12 - GEN NR 6 Oil-Natural Gas 1/1969-4/1969
- Box 12 - GEN NR 6 Oil-Natural Gas 2/1969-12/1969

- **SP (Speeches)**

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

- New box 119 - EX SP 3-22 Speeches Made on TR7
  - Santa Barbara, Calif. - After inspecting damage from oil leakage, 3/21/69
- New box 119 - Gen SP 3-22 Speeches Made on TR7

- **ST (States-Territories)**

- <https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/st-states-territories-white-house-central-files-subject-files>

- Box 4 - EX ST 5 California 1969-1970
  - Box 4 - GEN ST 5 California 1969-1970

WHCF: STAFF MEMBER AND OFFICE FILES (SMOF)

- **Raoul-David, Michael**

- <https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/michael-raoul-duval-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

- Box 23 - OCS-Santa Barbara

- **Schleede, Glenn R.**

- <https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/glenn-r-schleede-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

- Box 36 - Oil Pollution & Cleanup Liability
  - Box 36 - Santa Barbara
  - Box 38 - Santa Barbara
  - Boxes 55-56 - Santa Barbara – 1971 [2 folders]

- **Whitaker, John C.**

- <https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/john-c-whitaker-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files>

- Box 89 - Oil Spill, 1970 [from OA 8182] [3 folders]
  - Box 103 - Santa Barbara-1970 [from OA 8184] [3 folders]
  - Box 144 - Off-Shore Oil Leases--Santa Barbara [1971-72] [from CFOA 774]

WHITE HOUSE SPECIAL FILES (WHSF): SMOF

- **Ehrlichman, John D.**

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

- Box 4 - JDE Notes of Meetings with the President -1/1/70-6/30/70
    - 5-4-70, Fourth Meeting: “Santa Barbara...”
  - Box 10 - JDE Miscellaneous Notes, 1969-1973
    - 1969 - n.d. 1 p. "Gov. Reagan briefing...”

- **Krogh, Egil “Bud”**

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

- Box 67 - Whitaker-OA #3247 [Environment-Santa Barbara Oil Pollution-Union Oil] [1969-70]

- **President’s Personal File (PPF)**

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

- Box 46 - Speech File - February 6, 1969, Press Conference
- Box 46 - Speech File - February 11, 1969, Statement--Pollution of the California Coastline
- Box 47 - Speech File - March 21, 1969, Santa Barbara Oil Spill
- Box 85 - Speech File - Wednesday, April 18, 1973, TV Film Clip--Energy

#### GOVERNED BY DEED OF GIFT: GENERAL DONATIONS

- **Oral Histories**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/oral-histories>

- Hickel, Walter
- Roberts, Malcolm

- **H.R. Haldeman Diaries**

<https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/h-r-haldeman-diaries>

- February 6, 1969
- February 10, 1969
- February 11, 1969

#### White House Tapes

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

- Conversation Number: EOB 276-4  
Conversation Date: September 10, 1971  
Participants: Richard Nixon, John D. Ehrlichman

#### 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: P-690325  
Date: 3/21/1969  
Event: Remarks by President Nixon Following Inspection of Oil Damage at Santa Barbara Beach with statements by Senator Lagomarsino

#### PHOTOGRAPHIC COLLECTIONS

- **White House Photo Office Collection**

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

- Roll Number: WHPO-0565 - WHPO-0567

Date: 3/21/1969

Event: President Nixon's s trip to inspect the oil slick on California coast left by a ocean tanker oil spill

Participants: Richard Nixon, Pat Nixon, Ronald Ziegler

## Additional Resources

### PUBLIC PAPERS OF THE PRESIDENCY

- **American Presidency Project**

<https://www.presidency.ucsb.edu/>

- President's News Conference, February 6, 1969
- Statement on Coastal Oil Pollution at Santa Barbara, California, February 11, 1969
- Remarks Following Inspection of Oil Damage at Santa Barbara Beach, March 21, 1969
- Special Message to the Congress Urging Legislation To Avoid Further Pollution in the Santa Barbara Channel, July 11, 1970
- Special Message to the Congress on the Administration's Legislative Program, September 11, 1970
- Special Message to the Congress on Energy Policy, April 18, 1973