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Mr. Edward Valentine

Mr. Bob Waldman

Northern California Finances

8-9-62

cc: RM
K. Steas

During the course of the State Central Committee meetings in Sacramento last weekend, I had several sessions with the Northern California United Republican Finance group.

As you know, it is their intention to set up a URF to cover all of the Northern Counties. At the present time they have an agreement from about 10 Counties, but expect to be able to expand this successfully to cover the bulk of the rest.

Their plan is to raise \$1 million and they have allocated this to the candidates, as follows:

Nixon	\$440,000
Christophar	170,000
Coakley	150,000
Bustard	75,000
Reagan	75,000

..balance to be used for lesser candidates, etc.

I think we come out very well on this percentage-wise, and hence neither Dolan nor I raised any objection to the allocation. It is, of course, highly unlikely they will raise the \$1 million, but it is agreed the percentages will apply to all funds raised.

There was considerable discussion over the commitments the candidates would make regarding their own fund-raising activities. It was agreed that any funds raised by a candidate's organization from a normal URF or Republican Party source would be credited to the candidate's quota within the county up to the amount that source would normally contribute to the Party. This means any funds raised from other sources do not go against the quota, nor do any funds raised from normal sources, but in greater amounts than normal.

They also felt that any funds raised and expended within a county on behalf of one single candidate should be credited against the quota. I strenuously objected to this, and although the wording was left in the final draft of their plan, it was agreed verbally this was not a practical clause and that no

attempt would be made to enforce it. If carried to its extreme, this would mean that any money used by local people for literature, materials, headquarters etc. would be deducted from their overall quota. This, of course, would create an impossible situation.

Dolan appears to be ready, willing and able to go to work for Nixon, and seemed quite charged with the idea and necessity of raising separate Nixon money outside of the URF quota. So maybe there is some hope.

Edward R. Valentine

3-1-62

Bob Haldeman

Expenses

Dear Ed:

I am resubmitting my California Club statements for the months of November and December, and am adding the January statement.

Personal expenses have been deducted, although there were very few.

I have also deducted the dues, per your instructions.

I trust you will now be able to approve these for reimbursement by the Treasurer.

California Club

November, 1961	\$111.14	
December, 1961	79.65	
January, 1962	<u>550.99</u>	\$741.78

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H. Kalmbach

2-23-62

Bob Haldeman

Please be sure that Ed Valentine receives carbons of any memoranda or other correspondence regarding the Finance Committee which you might send to Stans or anyone else. It is very important that Ed be kept current on all activities in the Nixon finance area.

[Faint handwritten notes or scribbles]

EDWARD R. VALENTINE
609 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE, ROOM 1201
LOS ANGELES 17, CALIFORNIA

February 7, 1962

File
Finance

Mr. Maurice Stans
Western Bancorporation
600 South Spring St.
Los Angeles 14, Calif.

Dear Maurice:

Please delete the name of Alfred Bloomingdale from the list of committee members favoring Nixon for Governor.

Mr. Bloomingdale is insistent that as President of Diners Club he must remain non-political. We know that he personally is in favor of Mr. Nixon and has and will contribute substantially to his campaign.

Please correct your records accordingly.

Sincerely,



Edward R. Valentine

ERV:th

cc: Mr. Richard M. Nixon, 315 W. 9th St., Los Angeles
Mr. Robert Haldeman
Mrs. Marion Opper

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CHARLES S. JONES
888 SOUTH FLOWER STREET
LOS ANGELES 17, CALIFORNIA

February 6, 1962

Dear Ed:

Thanks for your letter of February 2. I shall be happy to serve as one of the Vice-Chairmen of the Nixon for Governor Finance Committee for Southern California, as you suggest.

With all good wishes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'C. S. Jones', written in dark ink.

Edward R. Valentine, Esq.
609 South Grand Avenue, Room 1201
Los Angeles 17, California

Copy for Mr. H. R. Haldeman

December 22, 1961

Finance
Proc. Pay

To: Edward R. Valentine
From: Bob Haldeman
Re: Processing Payments

You asked that I confirm in writing procedure presently in effect for processing all payments by the Nixon for Governor Finance Committee. We are handling this as follows:

(a) Payroll

Present staff list and pay rates are in the Treasurer's hands and since these have all been authorized, he is issuing checks on the 15th and 30th of each month. Additions to the staff are confirmed to the Treasurer by memorandum from me with authorization as to rate and starting date.

(b) Normal Expenses

Current operating expenses including supplies, equipment rentals etc. are submitted to the Treasurer semi-monthly after I have O.K'd them.

Reimbursement for personal expenses by staff members are handled in the same manner.

(c) Haldeman's Expenses

My expenses will be itemized and submitted to you for approval prior to payment by the Treasurer.

(d) Extraordinary Expenses

All items outside of normal operating expenses covered by the temporary budget will be submitted to you for approval before payment by the Treasurer.

It is my understanding that as soon as the permanent Finance Chairman is appointed, all expenses currently being submitted to you for approval will instead be submitted to him.

cc: J. R. White

November 21, 1961

Mr. Edward R. Valentine
Room 1201
609 South Grand Avenue
Los Angeles 17, California

Dear Ed:

I am sending you herewith some correspondence regarding possible contributors and/or workers in the finance area.

The letter from Stanley Freeman in Beverly Hills is self-explanatory, and it would appear that he might be a very valuable addition to the Finance Committee working in the chemical and electronic fields.

I presume from the tenor of Howard King's letter that he is a professional fund raiser, and is interested in retaining his services on a fee basis, but perhaps you know more about him.

You may have already received a copy of the letter from James McEvoy in Michigan regarding Leonard Friedman, who has recently moved to Beverly Hills. You will note that Dick's reply to him on September 8 indicated that he would be contacted within the next couple of weeks. If that has not yet been done, I presume it should be at this time.

The cryptic note regarding Larry McQueen may be more helpful to you than it is to me. I have no idea who or where he is, but if you don't either, I am sure you can find out from Rose Woods.

Dr. Amyes apparently will be helpful in raising money from doctors, and should certainly be put to work.

I will continue to forward this type of material on to you unless you indicate otherwise, and will assume that you are taking it from here. In the case of the letters attached from Freeman and King, there has been no acknowledgment as yet, so this will need to be done.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

H. R. Haldeman

Valentine, Edward R.

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EDWARD R. VALENTINE
609 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE, ROOM 1201
LOS ANGELES 17, CALIFORNIA

file

October 18, 1961

Mr. John Robert White
Price, Waterhouse & Co.
530 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles 14, California

Dear Bob:

As acting Chairman of the Nixon for Governor Finance Committee, I hereby authorize you to set up a bank account for said committee in a bank of your choosing. I would suggest that only one signature be required and that the following be authorized to sign: John Robert White, Th. R. Knudsen or Edward R. Valentine; and that payments be authorized by Knudsen, Valentine or Finch.

As a starter, I am enclosing two checks in the sum of \$2500 each.

With my kindest personal regards,

Most sincerely,

Edward R. Valentine

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Th. R. Knudsen
Mr. Robert Finch

December 22, 1961

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cc: J. R. White

December 22, 1961

Memorandum

To: E. R. Valentine
From: Bob Haldeman
Re: Finance Committee Dinner

This is to confirm that I have reserved the evening of January 10th for a Finance Committee Dinner. We have Room #6 on the 3rd floor at the California Club.

Dick Nixon is planning to attend. It is my understanding that you will draw up the list of other guests.