

Appendix: Sources for Presidential Proposals

Documented here are the sources used in preparing the list of 184 presidential proposals presented and weighted in Table 2.1. Any reader wishing to see the exact basis for these inclusions and weightings may go back to the sources using this information.

For each presidential term, the sources are listed alphabetically by author. For each source, the proposals that ended up being included in Table 2.1, if they received any relevant discussion at all in a particular source, are listed under the source in this appendix in the order of their appearance in Table 2.1. The page numbers at which such discussion occurred are provided. This page documentation might seem to invite page counts as an indicator of White House interest or emphasis regarding the various proposals, yet any such use of the page data would be unwise. Relevant discussions on the pages range from elaborate to scanty, and page counts cannot reach the content of the discussions. Leaving aside certain trivial or cursory mentions in the texts (scattered references to the Clinton budget, for example, in the coverage of 1993-94), the page information here is intended to be a complete canvass. Absent mistakes of omission (no doubt there are some), it is a guide to all the relevant discussions, in all the sources, of the proposals listed in Table 2.1.

How about also-rans? That is, presidential proposals that received some discussion in the sources but did not make the cut for Table 2.1? Those that received discussion in at least two sources are listed here in a different way, for each presidential term, at the bottom of all the rest of each term's information. They are listed alphabetically by proposal, rather than by source, in each case documenting the sources in which relevant discussion took place along with page numbers. Why didn't these proposals make the cut? There were a number of reasons. Too few of the term's sources took an interest, or the discussions were cursory, or the president was reported to be not really very interested, or the White House was taking defensive action somehow on a proposal that originated on Capitol Hill, or an announced White House aim never did emanate in a concrete proposal. Also-rans that came especially close to the cut included child care under Bush in 1989-90, and

anti-Communist loyalty legislation under Eisenhower in 1953-54. I had trouble sorting Nixon's energy proposals in 1973-74 into yeses and no.

Through 2002, all except two of the proposals included in Table 2.1 are discussed in at least two sources. Those two, both items from 1985-86, are a balanced-budget amendment and an agriculture plan discussed only by Reagan himself in his memoirs. Congressional Quarterly Weekly enters the picture for 2005-06.

Truman – 1949-50

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omnibus housing 166, 172, minimum wage 166, 175, social security 166, 175, CVA 175, rent control 166, 172, executive reorganization 167, trade 166.

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--anti-inflation controls: Gosnell 439, Neustadt 19

--basing point: Gosnell 445, D.B. Truman 27-28

--Clayton Act: Ferrell 288, McCoy 181-82, Neustadt 29, D.B. Truman 40

--National Science Foundation: Gosnell 445, Neustadt 29, D.B. Truman 31

--small business help: Gosnell 445, Neustadt 32-33

--St. Lawrence Seaway: Gosnell 443-44, 445, Zornow 117

Eisenhower – 1953-54

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Not included:

--18-year-old vote: Ambrose 158, Eisenhower 295, 303

--Communism/disloyalty: Ambrose 157, Eisenhower 287, 303

--Hells Canyon: Pach & Richardson 57, Pusey 220, Reichard 176-77

--highways: Ambrose 159, Eisenhower 303

--unemployment insurance: Eisenhower 303, Pusey 228, Zornow 46

Eisenhower – 1957-58

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119, 128, housing, 99, 106, 128, HUD, 106-07, 122, manpower retraining, 108, agriculture 110-14, 122, social security 107, 128, trade 107-08, 141, tax credit 136, drugs 108, civil rights, 122, 186-87.

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--juvenile delinquency: Giglio 107, 119, Matusow 107, 110

--tax reform: Dallek 379, Giglio 122, Irish 43, O'Brien 580-81

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Johnson – 1965-66

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493, agriculture 493, HUD 493, rent supplements 500, 559, 561, immigration 492-93, DOT 559, model cities 559, open housing 559, DC home rule 500, 559, 561.

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heart, cancer, stroke 667, Appalachia 563, 667, Taft-Hartley 563, 668, 686, HUD 653, 667, water quality 663, immigration 558, 561, 562, 660-61, DOT 688-89, model cities 686, 690-92, open housing 686, 697-99.

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--4-year House terms: Dallek 300, Evans & Novak 557-58, 572, Woods 686

--clean air 1965: Bornet 141, Dallek 65, 229-30, Unger 377, Steinberg 698

--clean air 1966: Evans & Novak 559, Woods 663

--excise tax cut: Dallek 194, Steinberg 698, 706

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--voting rights: Ambrose 370, Evans & Novak 129-31, Small 166

Nixon – 1973-74

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Alaska pipeline 252, 263, daylight savings 262, 263, natural gas deregulation 252, speed limits 262, 263.

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--deepwater ports: Ambrose 187, Nixon 984

--environmental standards (relaxation of): Ambrose 221, 266, Matusow 252, 262

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