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Office of the Presidential Diary: Presidential Diarist

Ellen McCathran was a National Archives employee detailed to the White House who had chief responsibility for creating the President's Daily Diary, based on documents provided by various White House units. The President's Daily Diary is a day-by-day record of Ronald Reagan's eight years as President. It chronicles such activities as meetings, briefings, press conferences, telephone calls, photo sessions, meals, travel, and recreation.

McCathran began as Presidential Diarist in the 1970s, during the Ford Administration. For most of the Reagan Administration, she used the name Ellen McCathran Jones (or Ellen M. Jones).

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Locations [of RR (January 1981-February 1982)]

[Unfolded Material - Note - CM to Ellen (01/12/1984)]

[Presidential] Schedules

[Staff Requests for Diary Information, 1981-1982]

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Unarranged Presidential Advance Trip Schedules

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Unarranged Presidential Advance trip Schedules

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[Staff Requests for Diary Information] November 1981 - May 1984

[Staff Requests for Diary Information] August 1984 - January 1986

[Staff Requests for Diary Information] January 1986 - December 1987

[Staff Requests for Diary Information] February 1987

[Staff Requests for Diary Information August 1987 - January 1989]

Foreign Travel / Visitors Report . . .

Vacation Travel Report / RR
WH Counsel's Requests for Info / Michael K. Deaver
WH Counsel's Requests for Info / Iran-Contra / Oliver North
Special-Interests / Meetings / Events / Groups
Movies [Screened for Ronald Reagan 1981-1989]
Memos for the Record / re: Diary Project
Memos / Diary File
NSC File - Proposals & Reports
[McCathran EOP Phone Directories, 1985-1987]

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Congressional Directory 1981 (2 copies)
Congressional Directory 1983
Congressional Directory 1984
Congressional Staff Directory 1980
Congressional Staff Directory 1982
Congressional Staff Directory 1985
Who's Who in America 1980-1981 Volume I, A-K
Who's Who in America 1980-1981 Volume II, L-Z
The United States Government Manual 1983-1984
The United States Government Manual 1985-1986
Chiefs of State and Cabinet Members of Foreign Governments July 1988-August 1988
Chiefs of State and Cabinet Members of Foreign Governments September 1988-October 1988

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Washington Area telephone books [1985, 1986, 1987-1988]

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Marine Helicopter Manifests September 1981-November 1988