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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 16, 1975

SIGNING CEREMONY FOR ENROLLED RESOLUTION H.J. RES. 492
URGENT SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR
SUMMER YOUTH EMPLOYMENT AND RECREATION

Monday, June 16, 1975
3:30 p.m. (10 minutes)
The Cabinet Room

From: Jim Cannon 

I. PURPOSE

- To sign the enrolled resolution and indicate that you will approve responsible legislation passed by the Congress.

II: BACKGROUND, SEQUENCE OF EVENTS, PARTICIPANTS
AND PRESS PLAN

A. Background: You have agreed to sign enrolled resolution H.J. Res. 492, which provides a total of \$473,350,000 to the Department of Labor and the Community Services Administration for summer youth employment and recreation programs.

B. Sequence of Events

You will enter the Cabinet Room and take your seat in your usual place. The participants will be behind you. You will make your remarks for the cameras and then sign the bill. You may wish to greet the participants before going back to your office.

C. Participants

Secretary Dunlop
Jim Hogue, Deputy Undersecretary of Labor
Bill Kolberg, Assistant Secretary for Manpower
Jim Cannon
Congressional and Public Interest Groups at
Tab A

D. Press Plan: Full press coverage: Statement
by the President to be issued by the press
office.

III. TALKING POINTS

Remarks at Tab B.

PARTICIPANTS

SENATORS

Harrison Williams
Jacob Javits
Gaylord Nelson
Robert Taft
John McClellan
Warren Magnuson
Edward Brooke

CONGRESSMEN

Albert Quie
Marvin Esch
Daniel Flood

Remarks

1. I am happy to sign this Supplemental Appropriation for summer youth employment and recreation which contains funding which I requested in March for critically needed summer jobs for youth.
2. Disadvantaged youth in our country are among the most severely hurt by the current economic situation. Many of them depend on summer jobs for the money they need to be able to go back to school in the fall, and for the working experience that helps prepare them for a productive life in this society.
3. This Resolution will finance about 840,000 jobs for disadvantaged youngsters this summer. It will also support youth recreation and transportation programs in the coming months.
4. The immediate needs of our youth must be among our primary concerns. Therefore, as I sign this Resolution, I am asking the Secretary of Labor as well as the State and local program sponsors to move at once to put these funds to work helping our young people.