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Video from the performance of Hamilton at the White House, March 14, 2016 (25-37969-F (segment 1))

Finding Aid Type
FOIA

Extent

48 video clips

Record Type
Videos

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Scope and Content Note

The materials in FOIA 25-37969-F (segment 1) are a selective, not necessarily all-inclusive, body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

FOIA 25-37969-F (segment 1) requested video from the performance of the Broadway musical Hamilton at the White House on March 14, 2016.

This FOIA primarily contains footage of the performance of musical selections from Hamilton in the East Room. There is also footage of Lin-Manuel Miranda performing a freestyle rap in the Rose Garden with President Obama.

System of Arrangement

The materials in FOIA 25-37969-F (segment 1) are a systematic body of documents responsive to the topic of the FOIA. Researchers should consult an archivist about related materials.

Documents responsive to this FOIA were found in these collection areas – White House Communications Agency.

White House Communications Agency records are processed at the folder/videotape level. While this method maintains folder/videotape integrity, it frequently results in the incidental processing of videotapes that are not wholly responsive to the subject area

Container List

The following is a list of documents, folders, and electronic search results lists (SRLs) that were processed in response to FOIA 25-37969-F (segment 1):

Audiovisual Records

Communications Agency, White House (WHCA)

Edited Projects

Tape 4754 First Lady Michelle Obama welcomes the Broadway cast of HAMILTON, 1 clip, 1 Release in Full. (This clip is duplicative of the videos from Tape 7384. This clip can be made available upon request.)

Tape 4755 President Obama and The First Lady host the Broadway cast of HAMILTON, 1 clip, 1 Release in Full. (This clip is duplicative of the videos from Tape 7385. This clip can be made available upon request.)

White House Television

Tape 7095 Hamilton/Lin Manuel Miranda PBS Documentary Taping, 1 clip, 1 Withheld in Part.

Tape 7096 First Lady Michelle Obama welcomes the Broadway cast of HAMILTON, 2 clips, 2 Release in Full. (These clips are duplicative of the videos from Tape 7384. These clips can be made available upon request.)

Tape 7097 Students ask questions to cast of Broadway musical Hamilton, 1 clip, 1 Release in Full. (This clip is duplicative of the videos from Tape 7384. This clip can be made available upon request.)

Tape 7098 President Obama and The First Lady host the Broadway cast of HAMILTON, 3 clips, 3 Release in Full. (These clips are duplicative of the videos from Tape 7385. These clips can be made available upon request.)

Master Control

Tape 7384 First Lady Michelle Obama welcomes the Broadway cast of HAMILTON, 2 clips, 2 Release in Full.

Tape 7385 President Obama and The First Lady host the Broadway cast of HAMILTON, 3 clips, 3 Release in Full.

Obama Administration Material

Tape 2748 031816_WWW_V26_E9, 24 clips, 24 Release in Full.

Tape 2654 031416_Hamilton, 10 clips, 10 Release in Full.

Videographer Footage of Hamilton Performance OAM Tape 2748

Student Workshop

Miranda Obama Interview

Miranda Freestyle Rap

Hamilton Performance