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Housing

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A large collection of letters, notes, telegrams, news release & other items. **Examples are:** letters and notes (Jan.-Apr. 1959) from constituent Ed Stephen (National Travelers Life Co.), Wilson, Captain Carlton R. Adams (Deputy Asst. to the Secretary, Office of the Secretary of Defense) & Floyd S. Bryant (Asst. Secretary of Defense) re/ responses to the inquiry from Mr. Stephen concerning the military housing project in the Yokohama City Park; telegrams (5/59) from Sam Berger, George Holstein & Bob Wilson & Housing and Home Finance Agency *NEWS* re/ Housing Bill S.57 which Wilson could not support in its present form; telegrams (5/59) from J.R. Shattuck (Builder) & Bob Wilson re/ support for S57 with "amendments to eliminate public housing and reduce urban renewal;" telegrams (5/59) from Courtland Baughman (Coronado Bd. of Realtors) & Wilson re/ "Will support Herlong substitute:" letters (Apr.-June 1959) from constituent Mrs. Irene Weddle, Wilson, Cmd. R.D. Chamberlain (Congressional Liaison Div., Office of the Secretary of the Navy), RAdm. J. L. Chew (Dir. of Shore Establishments, CNO) & Capt. P. Corradi (Deputy Bureau Chief, Bureau of Yards and Docks) re/ response to Mrs. Weddle's inquiry as to the condition of temporary Navy housing in the Long Beach area – "maintenance funds have been insufficient to maintain this housing within standards desired by the Navy;" a telegram (6/22/59) from the Home Builders Assn to Wilson re/ their problems with the "Minimum Property Standards" the FHA proposes to make mandatory on July 1st; a letter (6/8/59) from constituent Dr. Milton H. Ivens & Wilson's reply (7/1/59) re/ the degrading Naval housing in National City – the doctor made analogies to the slums of Calcutta & Chicago; a large packet of letters & a news clipping (June-July 1959) re/ problems with change of landlords for Bayview Hills Housing and the needs of Navy families in San Diego; **other issues and topics in this folder are:** a large packet letters & Air Force records (3/57 to 1/59) re/ privately owned rental housing on Guam; letters (3/59) re/ information on Senate Housing Bill; letters & telegrams (June-July 1959) re/ President's veto of housing bill and support from San Diego Building Contractors Assn.; letter (10/2/59) from the Asst. Sec. of the Navy re/ report on military family housing projects in foreign countries – Bermuda – 180 units – est. cost per unit = \$23,000; letters (11/59) re/ PHA and low-rent housing in the Dist. of Columbia; letters (11/59) re/ details on rental vacancy survey of the San Diego area; letters (5/59-1/60) re/ tight money hurting home building industry; letters (11/59-1/60) re/ constituent & builder concerns about VA & HHFA loans; letters (2/60) re/ Calipatria low rent housing & defining constituency between James Utt and Bob Wilson for Mission Valley and National City; letters (Mar.-Apr. 1960) re/ "City of San Diego's action with respect to the Aztec Housing situation;" letters (3/60) re/ Wesley Palms project in Pacific Beach, mortgage transfer from PHA to FBNA, Marine family difficulties in renting in San Diego & City of Alameda Resolution 6052 concerning housing units for Naval Air Station personnel; a copy of "How Savings and Loan In California Is Meeting The Need For More Housing (4/60); letters (6/60) re/ Wilson's assistance to builders & local builders urge passage of housing bill.