

TALKING POINTS PREPARED FOR SECRETARY DOLE  
NEWT GINGRICH DINNER  
ATLANTA, GEORGIA  
AUGUST 11, 1986

- DELIGHTED TO BE BACK IN ATLANTA TO HELP HONOR AN OUTSTANDING CONGRESSMAN, NEWT GINGRICH.
- THIRD ANNIVERSARY
- BD & BED
- WASHINGTON POST
- TESTIFYING
- SOMETIMES I THINK BOB'S A LITTLE JEALOUS OF ME.
- WHILE DOLES MAY OCCASIONALLY DISAGREE, ONE SUBJECT WHERE MOST DEFINITELY AGREE, IS OUR MUTUAL RESPECT FOR NEWT GINGRICH.
- HAVE THE HIGHEST REGARD FOR NEWT -- AN ENERGETIC CONGRESSMAN WHO SERVES YOUR DISTRICT WELL, AND A GENUINE LEADER IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
- AN OUTSTANDING REPUBLICAN -- HAS DONE A GREAT DEAL IN MAKING OUR PARTY THE PARTY OF IDEAS.

- FOUNDER OF THE CONSERVATIVE OPPORTUNITY SOCIETY -- NEWT HAS HELPED BREATHE NEW LIFE INTO CONGRESS AND LEAD HIS COLLEAGUES TO OPEN THEIR EYES AND HEARTS TO THE GREAT POTENTIAL OF AMERICA.
- NEWT GINGRICH NOT A BYSTANDER -- HE MAKES THINGS HAPPEN. HE IS A VISIONARY AND AN EXPERIMENTER IN THE GREAT TRADITION OF THOMAS JEFFERSON AND JAMES MADISON. AS A HISTORIAN, HE HAS DRAWN WISELY FROM THE LESSONS OF THE PAST TO HELP SHAPE AMERICA'S FUTURE.
- SERVES ON THE HOUSE PUBLIC WORKS AND TRANSPORTATION AVIATION AND SURFACE TRANSPORTATION SUBCOMMITTEES. HAVE THE PLEASURE OF WORKING CLOSELY WITH HIM ON A GREAT MANY TRANSPORTATION ISSUES.

- STRONG SUPPORTER OF HARTSFIELD AIRPORT IN THE AVIATION SUBCOMMITTEE --DEPARTURES UP 55 PERCENT SINCE DEREGULATION; SEATS UP 46 PERCENT. HARTSFIELD NOW SERVED BY 25 CARRIERS, UP FROM 12 IN 1978.
- NEWT DEEPLY CONCERNED ABOUT AIR SAFETY AND NOISE AT THE AIRPORT -- WE HAVE HAD A LONG TERM COMMITMENT TO IMPROVING THE NOISE SITUATION AT HARTSFIELD - PROVIDED ATLANTA A TOTAL OF \$96.8 MILLION IN AIRPORT GRANTS FOR NOISE RELATED PROGRAMS SINCE 1976.

NOTE: CONGRESSMAN GINGRICH HAD BEEN LEANING TO VOTE IN FAVOR OF REHIRING THE FIRED AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLERS, BUT CHANGED HIS MIND AFTER VISITING THE ATLANTA ATC. CONTROLLERS THERE WERE STRONGLY OPPOSED TO REHIRING THE STRIKERS.



- ALSO DEEPLY INTERESTED IN COMPLETING MARTA (METROPOLITAN ATLANTA RAPID TRANSIT AUTHORITY)
- TRANSPORTATION: \$800 BILLION INDUSTRY - VITAL TO OUR ECONOMY.
- \$28 BILLION (CUT BY 5) -- 100,000 EMPLOYEES - RESPONSIBLE FOR EVERYTHING THAT MOVES.
- FOOTNOTE IN HISTORY: COAST GUARD -- DRUG INTERDICTION
- LIMITED TIME TO SERVE: SAFETY
- ALSO WANT TO LEAVE LEGACY OF BETTER GOVERNMENT
- LEADER IN PRIVITIZATION (MARGARET THATCHER)
- 1. RR'S
  2. NATIONAL AIRPORT -- GINGRICH CO-SPONSOR OF AIRPORT TRANSFER BILL -- VERY SUPPORTIVE
  3. COMMERCIAL SPACE

- HIGHWAY REAUTHORIZATION WITH CONTINUED FUNDING FOR INFRASTRUCTURE REPAIR.
- COMPREHENSIVE OIL SPILL LIABILITY LEGISLATION
- TO ACHIEVE PERMANENT SOLUTIONS TO PROBLEMS THAT HAVE PLAGUED US FOR DECADES, TO PUT OUR STAMP ON HISTORY, WE MUST RETAIN OUR REPUBLICAN MAJORITY IN THE U.S. SENATE AND ELECT MORE REPUBLICANS TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
- RECENTLY, FROM THE SENATE GALLERY, I HEARD ONE SENATOR SAY: "GENTLEMEN, LET ME TAX YOUR MEMORIES." TED KENNEDY LEAPT TO HIS FEET AND SAID, "WHY HAVEN'T I THOUGHT OF THAT BEFORE?" IF WE FAIL TO RETAIN THE SENATE, TED KENNEDY BECOMES CHAIRMAN OF THE LABOR AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE. HERE IN GEORGIA, YOU CAN HELP OUR PARTY RETAIN CONTROL OF THE SENATE BY REELECTING



MACK MATTINGLY, AN OUTSTANDING SENATOR WHO HAS THE TRUST AND RESPECT OF HIS SENATE COLLEAGUES AND CONSTITUENTS ALIKE.

-- AND I URGE YOU TO PULL OUT ALL THE STOPS FOR NEWT GINGRICH. LEADERS LIKE NEWT DON'T LOOK BACK -- THEY LOOK AHEAD. AND I AM PERSONALLY LOOKING FORWARD TO CONTINUING TO WORK WITH NEWT IN CONGRESS FOR MANY YEARS TO COME.

-- RECENTLY, A WASHINGTON CAB DRIVER WAS TAKING SOME TOURISTS PAST THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES BUILDING, WHERE WORDS CARVED OVER THE DOOR READ, "WHAT IS PAST IS PROLOGUE." THE LITTLE GIRL IN THE FAMILY ASKED HER FATHER WHAT IT MEANT. BEFORE HE COULD REPLY, THE CABBIE SAID, "HONEY, THAT MEANS YOU AIN'T SEEN NOTHIN' YET!"

-- SLOGAN SHOULD BE: "NEWT, YOU AIN'T SEEN NOTHIN' YET."

-- YOU'VE GIVEN OF YOUR RESOURCES...

-- YOU HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PUT YOUR STAMP ON HISTORY! PULL OUT ALL THE STOPS. NEWT GINGRICH DESERVES IT. HISTORY DEMANDS IT. YOUR CHILDREN WILL REWARD IT.

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