

both the livelihood and health of our farmers and ranchers. These individuals must also contend with a variety of other risks: exposure to hazardous chemicals, crop and livestock diseases, and the operation and maintenance of complex, powerful farm machinery. Vigilance and caution remain critical in the performance of daily tasks.

Children and young people are particularly at risk for serious injury. They are more prone to accidents and are especially vulnerable to dangerous chemicals. Their energy, optimism, and love are irreplaceable resources. We must all be mindful of the need to provide them proper supervision and guidance.

Agricultural workers face many dangers, but their work is among the most rewarding in the world. As the Earth's population grows and the demand for food rises, we depend on our providers now more than ever. We must strive to maintain our high standards of safety, while developing new technologies that will meet the challenges of tomorrow. This week, we resolve anew to make safety and health precautions indispensable tools in strengthening America's great farming and ranching traditions.

Now, Therefore, I, William J. Clinton, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim the week of September 18–24, 1994, as “National Farm Safety and Health Week.” I call upon the agencies, organizations, and businesses that serve America's agricultural workers to strengthen their commitment to promoting farm safety and health programs. I further call upon all citizens of our great Nation to reflect on the importance of our agricultural heritage and to make the health and safety of our farmers, ranchers, and farm workers among our utmost national priorities.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this sixteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and ninety-four, and of the Independence of the

United States of America the two hundred and nineteenth.

William J. Clinton

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Digest of Other White House Announcements

The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

September 9¹

The President announced his intention to appoint John Roth to be a member of the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council.

September 10

In the late afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton hosted a reception honoring the PBS television series “Baseball” on the South Lawn. In the evening, they went to Camp David, MD.

September 11

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Aberdeen, MD. They returned to Camp David, MD, in the afternoon.

September 12

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton returned to the White House.

The President announced his intention to nominate Charles E. Redman to be Ambassador to Germany and Marc Grossman to be Ambassador to Turkey.

¹ This release was not received in time for inclusion in the appropriate issue.

September 13

In the evening, the President attended the Professional Golfers Association President's Cup Dinner at the White House.

The President declared a major disaster exists in the State of Alaska following severe storms and flooding which began on August 8.

The President declared a major disaster exists in the State of California and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by the continuing effects of the warm water currents known as El Nino on the 1994 Coho salmon fishing season, which runs May 1–October 31.

The President announced his intention to nominate the following individuals to be members of the National Museum Services Board:

- Kinshasha Holman Conwill, Chair;
- Townsend Wolfe;
- Robert G. Breunig;
- Nancy Marsiglia;
- Arthur Rosenblatt;
- Ayse Manyas Kenmore;
- Ruth Tamura.

The President announced his intention to nominate Clifford O'Hara, Albert Nahmad, and Vince Ryan to the Board of the Panama Canal Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint Frank Annunzio to serve as Chairman and John Pierce, Thomas K. Thomas, and Agnes Vaghi as members of the Board of Trustees of the Christopher Columbus Fellowship Foundation.

The President announced his intention to appoint Thomas A. Farrington, Kassie Freeman, and William "Sonny" Walker to the President's Board of Advisors on Historically Black Colleges and Universities.

September 14

The President announced his intention to nominate Bernard Rostker to be Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Manpower and Reserve Affairs.

The President announced his intention to appoint Jean L. Hennessey as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

September 15

The President announced his intention to appoint Betty Bolden as Chair of the Federal Service Impasses Panel.

September 16

In the afternoon, the President met with Caribbean leaders in the East Room.

The President announced his intention to nominate Susan Hayase as a member of the Civil Liberties Public Education Fund Board of Directors.

The President announced his intention to nominate Howard Terry Rasco, Christine Warnke, Mary Ellen R. Fise, and Steve M. Hays as members of the Board of Directors of the National Institute for Building Sciences.

The White House announced that the President requested that former President Jimmy Carter, chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee Sam Nunn, and former Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Colin Powell travel to Haiti to meet with the de facto regime.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted September 12

Marc Grossman, of Virginia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Turkey.

Gabriel Guerra-Mondragon, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Chile.