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REF JK518 .R34 2009

Guide to the presidency REF JK516 .C57 2008

State of the union: Presidential rhetoric from Woodrow Wilson to George W. Bush REF J81.4 .S73 2007

American first ladies REF E176.2 .A4 2006

Encyclopedia of presidential campaigns, slogans, issues, and platforms REF E176.1 .R6 2004

Encyclopedia of public administration and public policy
REF JK9 .E526 2003

The disputed presidential election of 2000: A history and reference guide REF JK526 2003

Encyclopedia of the Clinton presidency
REF E885 .L48 2002

Presidents from Reagan through Clinton, 1981-2001: Debating the issues in pro and con primary documents
REF E176.1 .P922 2002

Facts about the presidents: A compilation of biographical and historical information REF E176.1 .K3 2001

First ladies of the United States: A biographical dictionary REF E176.2 .W369 2001

Presidential vetoes, 1989-2000 REF KF42.2 2001

Speeches of the American presidents
REF J81.4 .S64 2001

Presidential scandals REF E176.1 .S353 2000

Encyclopedia of the American presidency
REF JK511 .E53 1994

Inaugural addresses of the presidents of the United States from George Washington 1789 to George Bush 1989
REF J81 .C89 I5

Presidential Elections

America at the polls: A handbook of American presidential election statistics REF JK524 .M33 2005

Presidential elections, 1789-2004 REF JK524 .P6783 2005

Encyclopedia of American political parties and elections
REF JK2261 .S218 2006

Guide to U.S. elections REF JK1976 .C662 2005

CQ's politics in America REF JK1012 .C63 2002

Congressional Quarterly's guide to U.S. elections
REF JK1967 .C662 2001

A statistical history of the American electorate
REF JK1967 .R87 2001

U.S. primary elections, 1995-1996: President, congress, governors: A handbook of election statistics
REF JK2071 .C66 1997

National party conventions, 1831-1996
REF JK2255 .N377 1997

Presidential elections, 1789-1996 REF JK524 .P6783 1997

Historic documents on presidential elections, 1787-1988
REF JK1965 .H56 1991

State and national voting in Federal elections, 1910-1970
REF JK1965 .C59

The American political process; selected abstracts of periodical literature, 1954-1971 REF JK2261 .S73

Historical review of presidential candidates from 1788 to 1968; [including] third parties, 1832 to 1968
REF JK524 .C65 1969

America votes (v.7 – v.25) REF JK1967 .A8

How to research the presidency

Encyclopedia of public administration and public policy
REF JK9 .E526 2003

U.S. government on the Web: Getting the information you need REF ZA 5075 .H47 2003

Using government information sources: Electronic and print
REF Z1223.Z7 S4 2001

A historical guide to the U.S. government
REF JK9 .H57 1998

How to research the presidency
REF JK516 .M365 1996

Individual Presidents

Abraham Lincoln companion REF E457.15 .A153 2008

The Truman years REF E747.U34 2006

Encyclopedia of the Clinton presidency REF E885.L48 2002

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Selected Titles:

Mandate: The president and the people (DVD) 342.06 .M36

Decisions that shook the world (DVD) 973.9 .D43

The war room (DVD) 324.973 .W37

Classic presidential campaigns (Volume 2) 1828; 1840; 1856; 1896. (VHS) 324.973 .C53

Modern presidential campaigns

Documents the major candidates, crucial issues, and events of every presidential campaign in the U.S. from 1920 - 1990. (VHS) 324.973 .M63

- v. 1. The modern era begins (1924-44)
- v. 2. From train to television (1948-60)
- v. 3. Turbulence, populism & power politics (1964-76)
- v. 4. Packaging the candidates: images & sound bites (1980-92)
- v. 5. The beginning of a new century (1996-2000)

Selected Recommended Web Sites

Public Papers of the Presidents (1991+)

<http://www.gpoaccess.gov/pubpapers/index.html>

American presidency

<http://www.americanpresident.org/>

The Presidents of the United States

<http://www.whitehouse.gov/history/presidents/>

American Experience: The Presidents (PBS)

<http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/presidents/>

Presidential Elections

Election 2008: Candidates & Information

<http://www.congress.org/congressorg/e4/>

Commission on Presidential Debates

<http://www.debates.org/>

Elections 2004

University of Michigan Documents Center

<http://www.lib.umich.edu/govdocs/elec2004.html>

Political Parties

<http://www.lib.umich.edu/govdocs/psusp.html#party>

White House '08 (presidential elections)

<http://www3.niu.edu/newsplace/whitehouse.html>

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- America: History & Life
- Academic Search Premier
- ProQuest Research Library

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