

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 9, 1969

Honorable Walter Reuther
President
International Union
United Auto Workers, AFL-CIO
8000 East Jefferson Avenue
Detroit, Michigan 48214

Dear Walter:

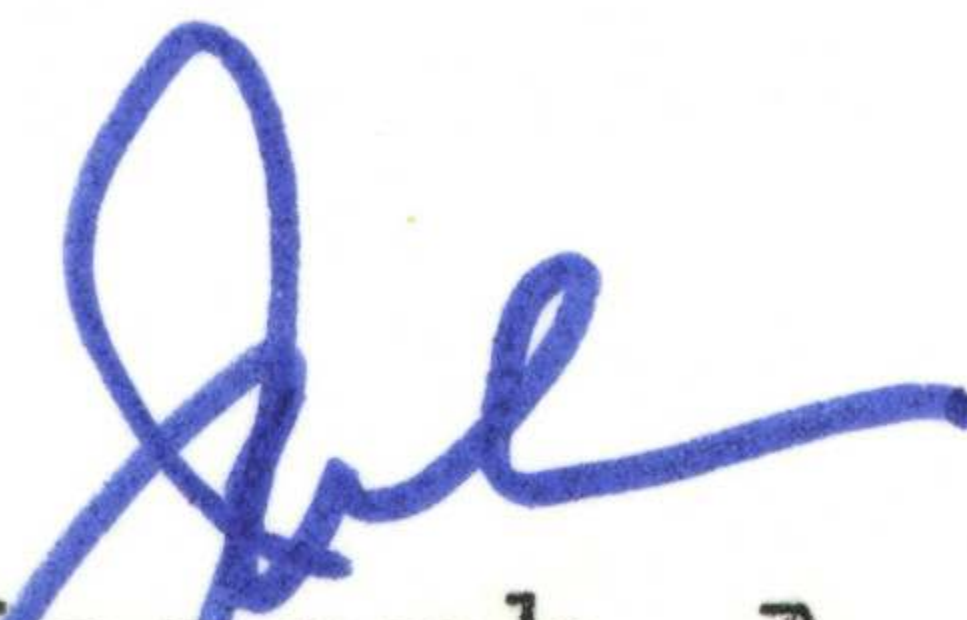
As the term of this Presidency draws to a close, I want to express my personal appreciation for all of the assistance you have rendered to the country during the last few years.

While there are many serious problems confronting this country at home and abroad today, I believe that substantial progress has been made in the last few years to confront those problems and to provide the legislative framework which will permit a concentrated effort to overcome them. Without your help, this progress would not have been possible, and I am extremely grateful for all the assistance you have given the President and me and my staff.

The opportunity to have worked with you and others like you during the last few years has been priceless and I hope that we will be able to continue working together in the years ahead.

With deep appreciation and best wishes,

Sincerely,



Joseph A. Califano, Jr.
Special Assistant to the President

*Many, many thanks for
all your help. You are a
great American.*

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The President

requests the pleasure of the company of

Mr. Reuther

at dinner

on Monday, May 12, 1969

at eight o'clock



DINNER

*Bernkasteler
Doktor
1967
Suprême of Crab Andalouse*

*Louis Martini
Cabernet Sauvignon
1957
Roast Prime Rib of Beef
Belgian Carrots
Green Beans Amandine*

*Taittinger
Blanc de Blancs
1961
Asparagus Vinaigrette
Bel Paese Cheese
Lemon Mousse*

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Monday, May 12, 1969

*Please send response to
The Social Secretary
The White House
at your earliest convenience*

*In recognition of the
Members of the Executive Committee
of the Urban Coalition*