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Cc: Frank Bailey; Todd Palin; Nizich; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: RE: Anchorage office

Governor, the figures are state expenditures only. The Inaugural Committee reimbursed us for additional expenses relating to the inaugural balls that the state would not have paid for -- the total reimbursement was \$4,007.20.

I do not have the records for other money spent by the Inaugural Committee or money spent by the Palin family.

Linda

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
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Linda: Do these figures account for the Inaugural Committee and Palin family paying for travels?

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I'll have a copy printed for you in the office tomorrow.

9-07-07

Very preliminary information relating to prior administrations comparisons... we are still working through documents to sort out the travel information, including the public safety billings for flight charges. The preliminary travel costs reflected here are for per diem reimbursements and commercial transportation expenditures only.

Governor Palin days out of Juneau since taking office through 9/4/2007 are 173.

The commercial transportation, lodging and per diem paid in conjunction with this travel is \$28,446.46 **NOTE: does not yet include public safety charges for any King Air Travel.

Governor Murkowski's comparable timeframe comparison:

Days out of Juneau from taking office through 8/24/2003 was 124.

The commercial transportation, lodging and per diem paid in conjunction with this travel was \$18,553.32 **NOTE: no public safety charges yet included.. Governor Murkowski only had two trips with commercial airfare costs within this timeframe. There will be considerably more costs when the flight logs and billings are calculated.

Prior administrations annual travel by calendar year without the public safety billing information:

Gov. Murkowski

Additional	2003 travel	70 days out of Juneau	\$17,571.16 cost
2004		178 days out of Juneau	\$29,213.13 cost
2005		202 days out of Juneau	\$44,607.74 cost
2006		193 days out of Juneau	\$52,065.79

Additionally, Governor's Office maintained an apartment in Anchorage for Governor Murkowski from May 2005 through November 2006 at a rental rate of \$900.00 per month.

Gov. Knowles (Days out of Juneau estimates only based on reported per diem – travel documents have been destroyed. Travel information from annual travel reports.)

1999	80 days out of Juneau	\$57,392 WITH King Air billing
2000	152 days out of Juneau	\$89,578 WITH King Air billing
2001	163 days out of Juneau	\$55,490 WITHOUT King Air
2002	148 days out of Juneau	\$28,876 WITHOUT King Air

Additional items:

First Gentleman's travel costs from 12/06 through 6/3/2007 totals \$7,344

Governor has declined First Family per diem reimbursements to date of \$1,982

Mrs. Murkowski's travel costs:

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2002	\$1,860
2003	\$29,608
2004	\$13,607
2005	\$43,659
2006	\$35,675

Additional cost savings to Governor's Office budget:

Reduction in security detail	\$25,000 savings
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Additional savings due to use of King Air over West Wind still to be determined

Additional cost savings to Governor's House budget:

Chef to seasonal position	\$40,079 savings
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House expenses 5/07 – 8/07 2006)	\$ 4,229 (food, etc. purchases as compared to same period in 2006)
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Good evening Governor,

I've attached very PRELIMINARY information regarding our current costs as compared to prior administrations as requested in prior emails. We are still working through travel documents and will need to go through flight logs and public safety billings to obtain complete information.

I hope to provide the full scenario by mid-week. We will also provide more detailed travel scenarios specific to Anchorage travel and costs that I believe will provide a more accurate comparison between the administrations.

I apologize again for the delay Governor, but we still have a

significant amount of documents to work through.

If you think of any additional area of comparison, please let me know.

Thank you,

Linda

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How close are we to having the numbers showing #of days former Gov(s) spent out of Juneau compared to my travels/housing expenses? The public deserves clarity on this as the misperception is I'm "living and working" in the Valley. If, as Security and administrators tell me, Murk and Knowles also worked out of the Anchorage office and spent many, many days out of Juneau - then the fair comparison needs to be made and presented. The other missing point in the coverage of this issue is that the Anchorage office is the workplace.

When I requested this info a couple of weeks ago I wasn't sure who was heading it up - please let me know as soon as possible who is and what

the progress is. Thanks

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