

Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

COMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT AND GOVERNMENT REFORM

2157 RAYBURN HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING

WASHINGTON, DC 20515-6143

MAJORITY (202) 225-5074
MINORITY (202) 225-5051

<https://oversight.house.gov>

June 4, 2025

Transmitted Electronically

Ms. Anita Dunn

Former Senior Advisor to the President for Communications

Dear Ms. Dunn:

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform is investigating the role of former senior White House officials in possibly usurping authority from former President Joe Biden and the ramifications of a White House staff intent on hiding his rapidly worsening mental and physical faculties. The Committee has been investigating this issue for nearly a year.¹ The Committee seeks to understand who made key decisions and exercised the powers of the executive branch during the previous administration, possibly without former President Biden's consent. The Committee requests your testimony to evaluate your eye-witness account of former President Biden's decline.

You served as former President Biden's "most senior communications adviser."² Former President Biden confided in you extensively over the past decade.³ The Committee seeks to understand your observations of former President Biden's mental acuity and health as one of his closest advisors. If White House staff carried out a strategy lasting months or even years to hide the chief executive's condition—or to perform his duties—Congress may need to consider a legislative response.

The Committee believes you have information critical to this investigation and requests your appearance for a transcribed interview on July 10, 2025. By June 11, 2025, please 1) confirm you will attend the transcribed interview scheduled on July 10, 2025, voluntarily, 2) provide an alternative date for the interview to occur within one week of July 10, 2025, or 3) notify the Committee that you will require a subpoena to compel your attendance for a deposition on July 10, 2025. June 11, 2025, is not a deadline to inform the Committee you require additional time to weigh your response. To ask any related follow-up questions, please contact the Committee Majority staff at (202) 225-5074.

¹ Letter from James Comer, Chairman, H. Comm. on Oversight and Accountability, to Edward Siskel, Assistant to the President and White House Counsel, The White House (July 10, 2024).

² Katie Rogers & Glenn Thrush, *Anita Dunn and Bob Bauer: The Couple at the Center of Biden's Inner Circle*, THE NY TIMES (Feb. 15, 2023).

³ *Id.*

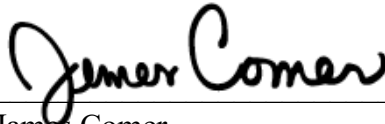
Ms. Anita Dunn

June 4, 2025

Page 2 of 2

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform is the principal oversight committee of the U.S. House of Representatives and has broad authority to investigate “any matter” at “any time” under House Rule X. Thank you for your attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "James Comer". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping "J" and "C".

James Comer

Chairman

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

cc: The Honorable Stephen F. Lynch
Committee on Oversight and Government Reform