

Proxmire

Likes Nixon

Travel Idea

Washington

Senator William Proxmire (Dem-Wis.) said yesterday that President Nixon should "mothball Air Force One and travel commercial airlines on all his trips to San Clemente or Key Biscayne."

In a statement, Proxmire credited Mr. Nixon with giving the nation a good example in saving fuel by his commercial flight to the West Coast on Wednesday and said the trip proved that communications is no problem.

"Why shouldn't this President and future presidents travel this economic way, energy shortage or no energy shortage?" Proxmire said. "What this country needs is a President who lives as much like tax paying citizens as possible."

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