

Warren Commission

Staff: 83
Duration: 10 months
* Budget: \$4,418,423

The Warren Commission did not possess an independent investigative staff. For investigative purposes, they relied on the following Federal intelligence agencies.

FBI: Provided 150 full-time agents who in turn conducted 25,000 interviews and submitted 2,300 reports totalling 25,400 pages. They also provided secretarial and clerical assistance.

CIA: Provided 12 full-time and part-time professionals. They also provided secretarial and clerical assistance.

Secret Service: Provided over 60 full-time professionals who conducted 1,550 interviews and submitted 800 reports totalling 4,600 pages. They also provided secretarial and clerical assistance.

Justice Department: Provided certain professional support.

IRS: Estimates that they provided 6 staff-years of support.

* Budget expressed as 1976 dollars per Library of Congress Congressional Research Service, January 27, 1977.

Converting the assistance from the Federal agencies into a full-time staff would have given the Warren Commission a staff of 400 at a cost of over \$10,000,000 for only 10 months to investigate the one assassination.

The Select Committee will have an average staff of 95 for two years at a total cost of slightly over \$5,000,000 to investigate two assassinations.