

Roles of the President

- × **Head of State** – chief diplomat; symbol of the United States
- × **Chief Executive** – administrator of the federal government
- × **Commander in Chief** – civilian commander of the U.S. armed forces
- × **Chief Legislator** – national agenda setter; proposes bills for consideration in Congress
- × **Political Party Leader** – head of the party who assists in members' elections or appointments to office
- × **Crisis Manager** – lead country through disasters, both natural and man-made
- × **Moral Persuader** – the White House as a bully pulpit (from President T. Roosevelt, meaning a platform from which to persuasively advocate an agenda. He used the word "bully" as an adjective to mean superior.)