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WASHINGTON, D.C., March 10 -- U.S. Senator Bob Dole (R-Kans.) will be in Ft. Myers, Florida, Monday evening and Tuesday to take part in field hearings and an inspection trip by the Senate's Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs.

The trip includes: field inspection of several Ft. Myers' neighborhoods; tour of rent supplement housing apartments and an informal hearing for residents in the apartment project, and a public hearing at which representatives of the Florida school lunch program, Florida commodity distribution program, county commissioners, community action leaders and others will testify.

Other members of the committee who will also participate in the trip are: Senators George McGovern (D-S.D.), Allen J. Ellender (D-La.), Jacob K. Javits (R-N.Y.), Walter Mondale (D-Minn.) and Marlow W. Cook (R-Ky.).

The purpose of the committee, started last year, is to study food, health and other related human needs and to recommend legislation to help assure that every U.S. resident has adequate food, medical assistance and other related necessities of life, Dole said.