



NEWS from U.S. Senator Bob Dole

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DOLE TO TOUR STORM DAMAGE

Kansas City, Kansas -- Senator Bob Dole announced plans to tour the storm damaged area of central Kansas this afternoon. He expects to arrive in Clay Center at about 2:30 p.m. Saturday afternoon and plans to personally view the situation there and in as much of the surrounding area as travel conditions will permit.

Dole flew to Kansas Friday afternoon after being briefed by representatives of the Federal Disaster Assistance Administration and the disaster relief branches of the Small Business Administration, the Farmers Home Administration, the Food and Nutrition Service and the Corps of Engineers. The federal officials outlined to Dole the various programs of disaster relief that can be made available to areas of Kansas designated under the disaster proclamation.

It was also on Friday afternoon that Dole was informed by the White House that President Nixon had signed the disaster proclamation for the State of Kansas, which had been received in Washington earlier that same day.