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## NEWS from U.S. Senator Bob Dole

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## GRANTS WILL EXTEND MANPOWER PROJECTS IN KANSAS

WASHINGTON, D.C.--Senators Bob Dole and James Pearson today announced that Manpower projects in three Kansas communities have been extended with grants totalling nearly \$285,000 from the U.S. Department of Labor.

Dole said that the bulk of the funds went to Neighborhood Youth Corps projects which gives jobs to disadvantaged school-age young persons to help them stay in school or, if they are drop-outs, to prepare for unsubsidized employments. Also extended was one Operation Mainstream project which gives jobs to older workers who have suffered chronic u unemployment.

NYC in-school projects in the state are now funded through the end of the school year, NYC out-of-school till July 20 and Operation Mainstream through August.

Following are the local grants:

Kansas City Economic Opportunity Foundation \$60,182 for 40 NYC out-of-school enrollees \$48,120 for 21 Operation Mainstream enrollees Unified School District #500 \$40,240 for 181 NYC in-school enrollees Ottawa East Central Kansas Community Action Program, Inc. \$40,780 for 76 NYC in-school enrollees and 13 NYC out-of-school enrollees Wichita Unified School District #259 \$95,560 for 351 NYC in-school enrollees

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