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KANSAS MUSEUMS AWARDED \$80,701 IN FEDERAL GRANTS

WASHINGTON -- Kansas Senators Bob Dole and Nancy Kassebaum today announced that five museums in Kansas have been awarded a total of \$80,701 from the Institute of Museum Services (IMS).

SALINA ARTS CENTER Salina	\$ 5,000
SPENCER MUSEUM OF ART Lawrence	50,000
WATKINS COMMUNITY MUSEUM Lawrence	7,900
FORT HAYS STATE MUSEUMS Hays	12,130
INDIAN CENTER MUSEUM Wichita	5,671

The one-year grants are made on a competitive basis with a maximum award of \$50,000. A total of 1245 GOS applications were received for the 1984 grant cycle.

The Institute of Museum Services, an independent agency within the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities, was established by Act of Congress in 1976 to assist museums in their educational role, and to assist museums in modernizing their methods and facilities so that they may be better able to preserve our cultural, historic, and scientific heritage.

The policies and programs of IMS are determined by the National Museum Services Board, a 15-member Presidentially-appointed body. C. Douglas Dillon, former chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, is the current Chairman.