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DOLE SELECTS 38 FOR ACADEMY NOMINATIONS

WASHINGTON -- Kansas Senator Bob Dole has selected 38 young Kansans as 1988 nominees to compete for appointments to the United States Air Force Academy, Merchant Marine Academy, Military Academy, and Naval Academy.

"These young men and women have demonstrated superior academic preparation and leadership qualities along with their strong desire to serve in our nation's armed forces. Kansas can be proud of this impressive group," said Dole.

In addition to the nominees named by Senator Dole, approximately 25 other highly qualified candidates from Kansas have received earlier nominations and appointments through other sources. To avoid unnecessary duplication, those individuals were not included on Senator Dole's list.

Using the competitive method of nomination, Senator Dole selects a slate of ten individuals for each vacancy he intends to fill. As the final step in the process, each academy then evaluates the candidates and offers an appointment.

The nomination process begins in the fall, usually during the senior year of high school. At that time, those interested should contact Senator Dole and each academy admissions office for application materials. The deadline for submitting the completed forms is early December.

The following are Senator Dole's academy nominees for 1988:

From Arkansas City:

Brian M. Givens, Rt. 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Givens, nominated to the Merchant Marine Academy.

From Atchison:

W. David Peltzer, 423 South 5th, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Peltzer, nominated to the Naval Academy.

From Augusta:

Elizabeth A. Sparkes, 1908 Prairie Lane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie J. Sparkes, nominated to the Merchant Marine Academy.

From Carbondale:

Jeffrey A. Blosser, Rt. 1, son the Mr. and Mrs. John A. Blosser, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

From Concordia:

Marc A. Wentz, 528 West 18th, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Wentz, nominated to the Military Academy at West Point.

From Derby:

Barth H.L. Boyer, 749 El Paso, son of Reverend and Mrs. Richard Boyer, nominated to the Naval Academy.

From Dodge City:

Walter G. Thomas, 1201 9th Avenue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Thomas, nominated to the Naval Academy.

Arthur L. Gepner, Jr., Rt. 3, son of Linda Lamb, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

From El Dorado:

Thomas J. Rethman, 1153 South Arthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne A. Rethman, nominated to the Military Academy at West Point.

From Hays:

Babak Marefat 201 East 11th Street, son of Reza Marefat, nominated to the Merchant Marine Academy.

Bret P. Van Poppel, 2919 Hillcrest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Van Poppel, nominated to the Military Academy at West Point.

From Haysville:

Rhonda K. Yantiss, 419 Mimosa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Yantiss, nominated to the Military Academy at West Point.

From Hillsboro:

Jonathan D. Braun, 614 South Lincoln, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Braun, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

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From Hutchinson:

John F. Goodpaster, III, 7300 Pony Acres, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Goodpaster, nominated to the Military Academy of West Point.

From Kansas City

David C. Moore, 2909 North 79th Terrace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie L. Moore, nominated to the Military Academy of West Point.

Nicole D. Pinkard, 5928 Haskell, daughter of Ovida T. Pinkard, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

From Kensington:

Darin J. Neufeld, Rt. 1, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Neufeld, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

From Lake Quivira:

Jon A. Montanaro, 475 Lakeshore East, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Montanaro, nominated to the Military Academy at West Point.

From Lakin:

Chance M. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Williams, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

From Leavenworth:

Jon D. Parry, 3108 Lakeview Circle, son of LTC and Mrs. John D. Parry, nominated to the Merchant Marine Academy.

From Liberal:

Jeffrey B. Werner, 1131 North Jordan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Werner, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

From Manhattan:

Karen S. Kiser, 1811 Erickson Street, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harvey Kiser, nominated to the Merchant Marine Academy.

From Olathe:

Melissa R. Malone, 2301 Persimmon Circle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David S. Malone, nominated to the Military Academy of West Point.

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From Osborne:

John A. Moberly, Rt. 2, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian R. Moberly, nominated to the Military Academy at West Point.

From Ottawa:

Jenny L. Heiniger, 1349 South Poplar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Heiniger, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

From Overland Park:

James M. Bengel, 9607 Carter Drive, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bengel, nominated to the Military Academy at West Point.

Albert V. Bryson, 7312 West 102nd Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel R. Bryson, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

Mark A. Hattrup, 9816 West 101st Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hattrup, nominated to the Air Force Academy.

From Paola:

Bradley S. Walker, Rt. 1, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry E. Walker, nominated to the Merchant Marine Academy.

From Prairie Village:

Skip C.J. Pribyl, 5404 West 80th Street, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rick R. Pribyl, nominated to the Naval Academy.

From St. Francis:

Wade M. Porter, Hwy 36, son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy L. Porter, nominated to the Naval Academy.

From Stillwell:

Christopher A. Thompson, 15901 Riggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Thompson, nominated to the Merchant Marine Academy.

From Topeka:

John L. Howland, 2329 Ashworth Place, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Howland, nominated to the Naval Academy.

From Wichita:

John E. Coultrap, III, 2307 South Cypress, son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Coultrap, II, nominated to the Merchant Marine Academy.

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Alexis F. Dillard, 314 North Clifton, son of Felice Lavigne-Dillard, nominated to the Naval Academy.

Armen H. Kurdian, 145 North Crestway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Haig Kurdian, nominated to the Naval Academy.

Dung Tan Pham, 7802 Pagent, son of Dr. and Mrs. Cuong C. Pham, nominated to the Naval Academy.

Charles B. Talbott, 2747 Rivera, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Talbott, nominated to the Naval Academy.