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DOLE ANNOUNCES WALNUT CREEK TO RECEIVE GRANT FOR WATER QUALITY PROJECT

WASHINGTON - Kansas Senator Bob Dole (R-Ks) announced today that the U.S. Department of Agriculture has approved a grant of \$360,000 to assist in improving water quality in Walnut Creek, located in Jefferson and Atchison Counties. The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS), a division of the USDA, will provide this cost-share funding to assist the state of Kansas in solving problems caused by agricultural non-point source pollution of ground and surface water.

ASCS state and county offices will administer the "Walnut Creek Water Quality Special Project" with assistance from USDA's Cooperative Extension Service and the Soil Conservation Service.

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