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## DOLE ANNOUNCES PUBLIC HOUSING GRANT FOR SENECA

WASHINGTON - Kansas Senator Bob Dole announced today the Housing Authority of Seneca, Kansas, will receive a \$225,000 federal grant for improvements to low-income public housing facilities in Seneca. The grant was awarded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

"Upgrading living conditions at public housing facilities in Kansas is a wise investment, " said Dole. "It is important that HUD provide assistance where it's needed, and that often means small and medium communities, not just the big East and West Coast urban centers."

The grant was awarded under the Housing Department's Comprehensive Improvement Assistance Program (CIAP). CIAP was established to finance the necessary repair and improvement of low-income public housing facilities constructed under authorization of the U.S. Housing Act.