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## FT. RILEY HOUSING

## ARMY AWARDS CONTRACT FOR DOLE-BACKED HOUSING PROJECT AT FT. RILEY

WASHINGTON - Senator Bob Dole announced today that a serious housing shortage at Ft. Riley will soon be eased, thanks to a contract awarded by the Army. The Army awarded \$13,157,989 to Hunt Building Corporation, of El Paso, Texas to complete the design and construction of up to 185 family housing units at the Ellis Heights project on post at Ft. Riley, Kansas. This will complete the second phase of a project Senator Dole sponsored in fiscal 1991.

"I am pleased to see the Army moving quickly to complete phase 2 of this important family housing project. Adequate housing is a critical need at Ft. Riley, and this construction will help ease the shortage and provide the safe and secure housing our military families deserve. Rebuilding Ellis Heights has been a high priority for the base commanders at Ft. Riley, and that's why I first sponsored additional funds during in the fiscal 1991 defense bill, " said Dole.

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