

**Bob Dole**



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## **A GOOD WEEK FOR WICHITA**

### **DOLE ANNOUNCES WICHITA PROJECTS INCLUDED IN FINAL BUDGET DEAL**

WASHINGTON - Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole announced that four provisions benefiting the Wichita community are included in the budget package signed by President Clinton on Friday, April 26.

"In my view, each of these projects enhances the quality of life in the Wichita community," Dole said. "It's been a long road, and I'm very pleased that we can finally move forward with these initiatives."

#### **\$1.5 Million -- Center Industries Corporation**

Funding will expand the Cerebral Palsy Research Foundation's unique industrial training program for the severely handicapped.

#### **\$235,000 -- Cheney Reservoir Water Treatment Project**

Funding to continue remediation of Cheney Reservoir, to ensure the quality and longevity of the water supply for the Cheney/Wichita region.

#### **U.S. Highway 54 Modernization Project**

Language resolving the dispute between the Veterans Administration and the Department of Transportation, regarding the land fronting the Wichita VA Medical and Regional Office Center. The transfer will allow the completion of the modernization of U.S. Highway 54.

#### **29th and Mead**

Language directing the Environmental Protection Agency to remove the 29th and Mead site from the Superfund list. The voluntary agreement between the city and the state will address the site's clean-up needs.

"This is an excellent example of how our state and local governments can work with local industries and the federal government to clean up Superfund sites," Dole said.

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