**News from Senator** 

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DOLE, KASSEBAUM ANNOUNCE \$4,815,381 IN

FEDERAL FUNDS FOR KANSAS -- 6 CITIES RECEIVE FUNDS

FOR LOW-INCOME KANSANS, HOUSING, & CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

WASHINGTON -- Kansas Senators Bob Dole and Nancy Kassebaum announced today that their state has been awarded \$4,815,381 in federal funds to finance a variety of programs including low-income housing assistance and construction projects.

"These block grants will help continue some important programs in our state such as rental assistance for low- and moderate-income tenants and housing rehabilitation," the Senators said. "We have supported these grants from the beginning and we are pleased to play an ongoing role in their continued support on the federal level. The funding of the construction projects indicates they are competitive and have been endorsed on their merits. We are delighted to make this announcement."

On August 13, the Kansas Senators announced that the state had qualified for \$6,130,000 in federal funds made available through the JOBS bill which President Reagan signed into law in March. The two announced grants bring to \$10,945,381 the total amount of federal funds awarded to Kansas this week.

Lawrence\$ 980,540	Drainage, Sidewalk, & Waterline Improvements, Park Design Development, Neighborhood Facility, Housing Rehab., Removal of Architectural Barriers, Pine Tree Housing Project,
Wichita3,566,720	Low-income rental assistance Low-income housing program, Meridian Village Project, Street & Storm Sewer Improvements, Housing Rehab., Historic Preservation, Citizen Participation, Acquisition & Relocation
Emporia242,391	Section 8 Public Housing rental assistance
01athe25,730	Low Income housing program operations
\$ 4,815,381	TOTAL GRANT AMOUNT