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KANSAN APPOINTED TO SANTA FE TRAIL ADVISORY BOARD

Washington, D.C. -- Senator Bob Dole (R-Ks) announced today that the Department of Interior has appointed a Kansan to the Santa Fe National Historic Trail Advisory Council. William Y. Chalfant, Hutchinson, was appointed today by Interior Secretary Lujan. Chalfant will serve on the council as a representative of the Kansas Council of the Westerners.

"With this appointment, Kansas will have its interests well represented during the final planning and implementing of the National Park Service's plan for the Santa Fe Trail. By preserving our historical sites and trails in Kansas, we can encourage others to visit and learn about the state's history while also educating ourselves," Dole said.

The advisory council was formed to consult with the Secretary of Interior on issues involving the National Park Service's Draft Comprehensive Management and Use Plan for the Santa Fe Trail. Specific issues addressed will include the selection of rights of way, standards for the erection and maintenance of markers along the trail, and the administration of the trail.

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