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LEADER: WASHINGTONIAN ATTACK ON FIRST DOG MILLIE
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WASHINGTON -- CALLING IT AN "ARF"FRONT TO DOGS EVERYWHERE,
"LEADER," FIRST K-9 ASSISTANT TO SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER BOB
DOLE (R-KS.) SAID TODAY THAT WASHINGTONIAN MAGAZINE WAS "BARKING
UP THE WRONG FIRE HYDRANT" WHEN IT PICKED FIRST DOG "MILLIE" AS
WASHINGTON'S UGLIEST DOG IN ITS CURRENT "BEST & WORST" LIST.

"I TALKED WITH MILLIE ABOUT THIS TODAY," LEADER SAID, "AND ADVISED HER TO START USING THE WASHINGTONIAN TO PAPER TRAIN HER PUPPIES."

LEADER ANNOUNCED HE'S FORMING A NEW ORGANIZATION CALLED "P.A.W.S." -- WHICH STANDS FOR POOCHES AGAINST WASHINGTONIAN SMEARS.

"WHATEVER HAPPENED TO ALL THIS 'MAN'S BEST FRIEND' STUFF I'VE BEEN HEARING ALL THESE YEARS? IF THE EDITORS OF WASHINGTONIAN KEEP UP THESE DOGMATIC ATTACKS, THEY HAD BETTER WATCH THEIR STEP -- LITERALLY WATCH THEIR STEP, " LEADER SAID.

"AS FIRST DOG, MILLIE HAS SET A GREAT EXAMPLE FOR MILLIONS OF AMERICAN DOGS. SHE IS RAISING A FAMILY, DOESN'T STRAY FROM THE YARD, AND DOES HER BEST TO KEEP HER MASTER IN LINE. IT'S JUST NOT RIGHT FOR HER TO BE HOUNDED LIKE THIS."

"LET'S MAKE NO BONES ABOUT IT. DOGS EVERYWHERE ARE WHINING ABOUT THIS. LET IT BE KNOWN, WE WON'T SIT FOR IT."

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