

BOB DOLE

1st DISTRICT, KANSAS

109 CANNON HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING

AREA CODE 202

225-2715

COMMITTEES:

AGRICULTURE

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

DISTRICT OFFICE:

101 FEDERAL BUILDING

GREAT BEND, KANSAS 67530

AREA CODE 318

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

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REMARKS OF
THE HONORABLE BOB DOLE
LUNCHEON FOR SERVICE ACADEMY CANDIDATES
Saturday, Nov. 25
Ramada Inn
Hays, Kans.

"A NOTE ON MY DESK BEFORE I LEFT WASHINGTON CAUTIONED ME TO MAKE REMARKS TODAY, NOT A SPEECH. THE TEMPTATION IS GREAT, I ASSURE YOU.

IT IS GOOD TO BE IN THE COMPANY OF YOUNG MEN -- YOUNG MEN WHO ARE DOING SOMETHING BESIDES LOOTING AND BURNING. . . YOUNG MEN WHO ARE NOT PUFFING ON POT . . . WHO ARE NOT EXPLORING THE DISASTROUS DEPTHS OF LSD . . . OR LOOKING FOR WAYS TO AVOID SERVING THEIR COUNTRY.

IT IS GOOD TO BE IN THE COMPANY OF YOUNG MEN WHO CARE -- ABOUT THEIR FUTURES AND FORTUNES; ABOUT THEIR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS; ABOUT THEIR CHURCHES AND COMMUNITIES AND THEIR COUNTRY.

I SAY THIS BECAUSE, QUITE HONESTLY, YOU WOULD NOT BE SEATED HERE TODAY AS ACADEMY NOMINEES IF YOU DIDN'T CARE, IF YOU HADN'T CONTRIBUTED.

NOT ALL OF YOU WILL BE SELECTED TO ATTEND ONE OF THIS COUNTRY'S FOUR GREAT SERVICE ACADEMIES. I KNOW THAT; YOU KNOW IT. BUT ALL OF YOU HAVE OVERWHELMING OPPORTUNITIES -- TO LEAD, TO MOVE AHEAD, TO SUCCEED. NOT IN A YEAR, OR 10 OR 20 YEARS. NOW.

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Congressman Dole

Representatives of the State Department of Social Welfare, Kansas Veterans Commission, Social Security, Small Business and Veterans Administrations will be present to discuss current programs. Emphasis will be on social security, veterans pensions, job opportunities and medical insurance.

Following a panel discussion, there will be a question and answer period during which time it is hoped that many of the administrative procedures can be clarified and the problems most frequently encountered thoroughly discussed.

Invitations are being mailed to senior citizens in Saline, Ottawa, Cloud, Republic, Jewell, Mitchell, Lincoln and Ellsworth counties and undoubtedly, many will be overlooked.

If you know of persons who might be interested, please invite them on my behalf to attend the conference.

Let me repeat the conference will be held in the Salina high school auditorium at 1:30 p.m., Saturday, December 9. I hope to see y there.

End.