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WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Senator Bob Dole announced this morning that the President had nominated William Fribley, of Kansas, to be the Federal Regional Co-Chairman of the Ozarks Regional Commission.

"The nomination of a Kansan for the job is welcome news," said Dole. Fribley knows the region well and there is no man better qualified to serve in the post," he added. "He has long experience in public service, including some 21 years as a Representative from Cherokee County in the Kansas State legislature."

Since November of 1969, Fribley has served as special assistant to the Federal Regional Co-Chairman. "His nomination is a well-deserved promotion. He will bring to the post an unquestioned leadership capacity and an unexcelled knowledge of development needs and potential in the region. I look forward to early Senate confirmation of the nomination."

Fribley has been nominated to succeed outgoing Ozarks Federal Co-Chairman E.L. "Bud" Stewart, who announced his resignation this summer.