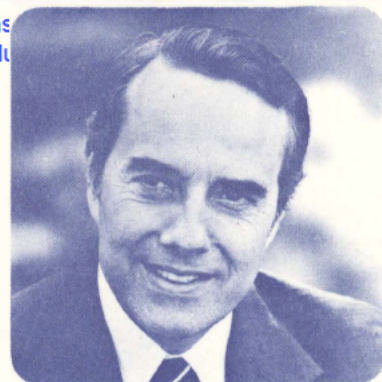


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## DOLE TO LEAD FIGHT FOR TAX CUTS IN COMING WEEKS ON SENATE FLOOR

WASHINGTON-- Senator Bob Dole (R.-Kansas), ranking Republican on the Senate Finance Committee and the Chairman of Gov. Ronald Reagan's Congressional Economic Advisory panel, is expected to lead a GOP effort to cut federal taxes.

In a series of private meetings in the Capitol last Wednesday and Thursday Dole, along with Senators James McClure of Idaho, William Armstrong of Colorado and Bill Roth of Delaware, formulated a strategy of attaching tax-cutting amendments to various pieces of legislation in coming weeks in order to put tax cuts to a vote.

"The Administration has been teasing the American public with hints of a possible tax cut. What we aim to do is to get them-- and our Senate colleagues-- on record. We literally want to see them put their money where their mouths are," said Dole.

Dole, who is the leading exponent of tax indexing in the Senate, a concept which garnered 43 votes in 1979 on the floor of the Senate, says he now believes indexing could pass in 1980.

"I believe the American public has had enough of the phony tax cuts of the 1970's, which in reality were an exercise in giving back part of the money that had been taken away by inflation," said Dole.

Dole is expected to unveil the Republican tax cut strategy at a press conference later in the week.