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SLATTERY WOULD RAISE KANSANS' FEDERAL TAXES BY \$497 MILLION
OVER NEXT TWO YEARS, SAYS DOLE

MANHATTAN, KANSAS -- In a joint appearance with Republican Congressional candidate Morris Kay, Senate Finance Committee Chairman Bob Dole said today that Kay's opponent supports an increase in federal taxes for Kansans to the tune of \$497 million over the next two years.

"Contrary to what his opponent would have you believe, Morris Kay is the candidate who has the working Kansan in mind," said Senator Dole. "The facts are clear: Jim Slattery is only a Congressional candidate, and already he is in favor of raising your federal taxes. Morris will vote to keep all three years of the individual tax cuts in place -- money in your pocket instead of in the federal till."

According to a Joint Committee on Taxation study, President Reagan's program to cut federal income taxes by 25 percent over three years works in favor of the average American worker. 36.6 percent of the tax cut goes to those earning between \$20,000 and \$30,000 per year, 53.7 percent to those earning between \$20,000 and \$50,000 per year, and 70 percent to Americans who earn less than \$50,000 per year.

"The three-year individual income tax cut is not a program for the rich," said Senator Dole. "It was intended to let the working American keep a little more of the money he earns, and that is exactly what it will continue to do if Morris Kay has his way."