

News from Senator

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DOLE ANNOUNCES \$2.8 MILLION GRANT FOR GARDEN CITY AIRPORT;
"GREAT NEWS FOR GARDEN CITY AND WESTERN KANSAS"

WASHINGTON - SENATOR BOB DOLE TODAY ANNOUNCED THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION HAVE APPROVED A GRANT OF \$2,811,870 FOR IMPROVEMENTS AT THE GARDEN CITY MUNICIPAL AIRPORT. SPECIFICALLY, THE DISCRETIONARY FUNDS WILL BE USED TO EXTEND AND RECONSTRUCT RUNWAYS, TO CONSTRUCT A TAXIWAY, TO RECONSTRUCT AN APRON, AND TO INSTALL RUNWAY, TAXIWAY AND APRON LIGHTING.

"I'M VERY PLEASED THAT SECRETARY SKINNER HAS APPROVED THE FULL FUNDING WE WERE SEEKING FROM THE FAA FOR IMPROVEMENTS AT THE GARDEN CITY AIRPORT," DOLE SAID. "THIS IS GREAT NEWS FOR GARDEN CITY AND WESTERN KANSAS. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND COMMERCE DEPEND ON RELIABLE AIR TRANSPORTATION, AND THESE AIRPORT IMPROVEMENTS SHOULD BE A BENEFIT TO THE ENTIRE REGION."

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