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**FOUR KANSAS AIRPORTS TO RECEIVE FUNDING FOR IMPROVEMENTS:  
TOPEKA, SALINA, DODGE CITY AND PHILLIPSBURG**

WASHINGTON - Kansas Senator Bob Dole announced today that four Kansas airports will receive grants totaling \$1,046,871 for airport improvement projects. The funding, of which two-thirds is discretionary, is from the Airport Improvement Program and awarded by the U.S. Department of Transportation.

"These Kansas airports are significant transportation hubs for many Kansas travelers throughout the state, so I'm pleased that the Transportation Department continues to support projects to upgrade these airports' facilities. Dependable transportation service is a vital part of our economic development," said Dole.

The airports slated to receive the grants include:

**FORBES FIELD, TOPEKA**

\$391,500 to purchase snow removal equipment and install runway surface condition sensors.

**DODGE CITY REGIONAL AIRPORT, DODGE CITY**

\$289,902 to reconstruct a taxiway and apron, improve the terminal building and install taxiway signs.

**PHILLIPSBURG MUNICIPAL AIRPORT, PHILLIPSBURG**

\$195,522 to reconstruct an existing apron and overlay a taxiway.

**SALINA MUNICIPAL AIRPORT, SALINA**

\$169,947 to install taxiway signs.

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