

Bob Dole



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DOLE PROPOSAL FOR WILSON LAKE WATER STUDY APPROVED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON - The U.S. Senate today approved Kansas Senator Bob Dole's request to grant \$160,000 for a Wilson Lake water reallocation study. The project was included in the Energy and Water Appropriations Bill expected to be approved by the Senate today. The measure will now go to a joint House/Senate conference committee to work out differences with legislation passed by the House.

"Hays and Russell have long searched for affordable and appropriate water sources. This important study, upon final approval of funding, may be a first significant step in demonstrating that Lake Wilson is a viable immediate or long-term option," said Dole.

The funding will allow the Army Corps of Engineers to include a reconnaissance study in its FY 1995 budget to determine the water yields the Lake Wilson reservoir can sustain.

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