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REAGAN SPEECH THE RIGHT MESSAGE AT THE RIGHT TIME

WASHINGTON -- Finance Committee Chairman Senator Bob Dole (R-Kan.) today called the President's economic speech "the right message at the right time."

"It is important for the American people to realize that starting this week Congress will take the first major steps toward implementing the President's economic recovery package," Dole said.

"Most Americans believe that spending and taxation in this country has gotten out of hand. We have an historic opportunity to reverse what has become a regressive trend. It is important that the President is willing to commit his full weight and prestige behind responsible members of Congress, in both houses and in both parties, to cast hard votes to get this country working again. The power of the President is important in helping all of us overcome the pressure of special interests and to act for the common national good.

"I hope that every American takes the advice of the President and carefully monitors the votes of their elected representatives over the next several weeks."

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