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DON FAMBROUGH JOINS DOLE TEAM
FORMER KU COACH TO BE FIELD REPRESENTATIVE

WASHINGTON -- Former head KU football coach Don Fambrough today accepted the position of Field Representative for Senator Bob Dole.

The 60-year-old Lawrence resident will travel the state for Dole to meet with individuals and groups, hold public forums and help convey Kansas concerns back to Washington. He will work closely with Senator Dole's four Kansas offices -- Topeka, Kansas City, Parsons and Wichita.

Fambrough is on the payroll as of today and is expected to be on the road next week. The salary is \$24,000 per year.

"In looking for a Field Representative, I was searching for someone with high visibility who was respected, popular and dedicated," Dole said. "Don Fambrough is that person. He represents the essence of Kansas -- warm, friendly and caring."

"I am delighted to be working for Senator Dole," Fambrough said. "He is one of our truly great leaders, so it's an honor to be picked for this job. I will do all I can to help him and help Kansas. It is especially gratifying to be back on the trail and out with the people. For the past couple of decades I have covered every corner of the state as a football coach and I now look forward to doing the same as Senator Dole's assistant. Kansas is my home and I am thrilled to have this opportunity."

Don Fambrough was born in Texas but has Kansas running through his veins. He is a 1947 graduate of the University of Kansas, where he won honors as a tenacious lineman. In fact, Don is a member of the all-time KU football team. He was the Jayhawks' head coach twice: 1971-1974, and 1979-1982.

Don's wife Del heads the English Department at Lawrence High School, where she has been an outstanding teacher for 20 years.

There will be a press availability with Don Fambrough today in the Senator's Topeka office, 444 South East Quincy, Suite 392. The time of the press availability is 2:00 p.m. Kansas time.