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## DOLE ANNOUNCES \$800,000 GRANT FOR LIBERAL, KANSAS

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Senator Bob Dole(R-Kansas) today announced that the city of Liberal, Kansas has been awarded an \$800,000 grant by the U.S. Commerce Department. The award will be used to upgrade the city's waste water disposal system.

"This award should provide Liberal with a viable disposal system well into the future," said Senator Dole. "Maintaining and enhancing the infrastructure in Liberal and in cities throughout Kansas is a key to economic growth."

The grant will provide funding for construction of a pipeline to carry storm and waste water from Liberal to the Cimarron river valley for disposal. The pipeline will be approximately 9 miles long and require construction of a sewage lift station and a force main.

The award was made by the Economic Development Administration of the U.S. Department of Commerce. The city will be responsible for providing matching funds to cover roughly half the cost of the project.