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SENATE PASSES DOLE AMENDMENT PROVIDING \$500,000
TO BOOST KANSAS CITY, KANSAS SOCIAL SERVICES TO HELP THE NEEDY

WASHINGTON -- The U.S. Senate today approved an amendment by Senate Republican Leader Bob Dole (R-Kansas) that would provide \$500,000 to the city of Kansas City, Kansas to expand its social services to the needy.

The federal funds, requested by the city, will help provide professional staff services necessary to expand drug rehabilitation, day care, job training and placement, housing assistance and counseling, and education services, including bilingual education, for the area's neediest citizens.

"By expanding and improving these critical services, our neediest neighbors will get the assistance they need to help them get on their feet and into the mainstream," Dole said. "I've been working closely with Mayor Steineger who's provided real leadership in helping KCK improve its delivery of social services. I'm pleased the Senate has approved this worthwhile investment in people."

Dole's amendment was approved as the Senate completed action on the FY92 Veterans Administration, Housing and Urban Development Appropriations bill. The measure now goes to a House/Senate conference committee.

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