

*Bob Dole*



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## **DOLE & KANSAS CHARITIES**

### **SUPPORT FOR KANSAS CHARITIES CONTINUES, SENATE REPORT SHOWS**

WASHINGTON -- Senator Bob Dole directed \$12,125 to Kansas charities in 1994, according to official U.S. Senate financial disclosure reports to be released Wednesday. Senator Dole has a longtime practice of directing fees offered for speeches, known as honoraria, to charitable organizations. Since 1981, Senator Dole has directed \$936,539.88 to worthwhile charities.

The Senate report shows that in 1994 Senator Dole directed \$26,625 to charitable organizations. The Kansas charities include the Lakemary Center in Paola, the YMCA in Kansas City, Kansas, Heartspring in Wichita, Kids Voting Kansas in Topeka, The Columbian Theater Foundation in Wamego, and the Trinity United Methodist Church in Russell. Among the contributions to the Lakemary Center was \$125 offered to Senator Dole for a February 1994 appearance on NBC's "Late Night with Conan O'Brien." Charities outside Kansas include an Iowa State University scholarship fund established in the name of a late Dole campaign worker, and the 10th Mountain Division Foundation in Denver.

"These charities are examples of dedicated people doing meaningful work," said Dole. "I am pleased that some of the speeches I make can help them continue to serve as positive influences in their communities."

From 1981-1990, Senator Dole donated 64% of his total honoraria to charity. Since 1990, all honoraria has been directed to charity.

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