

April 19, 1972

Space program

Sixth Grade Class
Dighton Grade School
Dighton, Kansas 67839

Dear Students:

Thank you for your recent letters regarding the Space Program.

For your information, I am enclosing some material on the costs and benefits of the space program. Funding for the space programs has been significantly reduced each year, and although, we must not simply discontinue our space efforts, our domestic problems have demanded that we devote our time and energy toward this end. There has certainly been and will continue to be less emphasis on space programs than during the 1960s.

Hope the enclosed information will be interesting to you, and if ever I may be of assistance please don't hesitate to call on me.

Sincerely yours,

BOB DOLE
United States Senate

BD/aw

Enclosures

Robert

Dear Sirs;

I'm half and half on the space program
because they say you can cure cancer. My grandpa
died of cancer so I hope you can cure it. And
and not for it in another way because you
could spend money on those children that are
starving so would you please help them
and cure cancer so it is your choice.

yours truly

Robert Johnson

Box 237

Highton, Kansas 67839

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Dear Congress

I agreed for mens to steel
go to the moon. Maybe women might
get to go to the moon one of these
year. Well we ~~we~~ don't need
to go to the moon. The poor
people need the ~~money~~ money
for some food and colther. Better
then we need the money to go
to the moon. The poor people
need the money. So please
give it to them.

DELORES WICKEN

6A Grade

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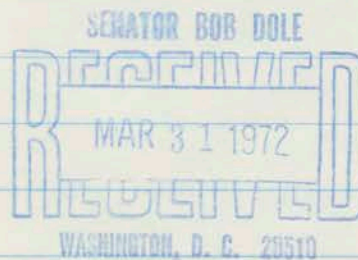
Dear Congress

I would like to have the space

Shelton

Thank you

Rickey Scott

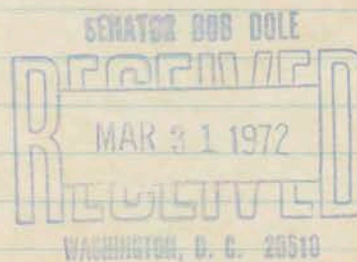


Max Brown
Dighton, Kansas
67839
March 23, 1972

Dear Sirs;

I wish you would keep up space travel. I want to become an astronaut someday I plan to work hard. I want to see in ~~person~~ person the moon. It sounds like it would really be fun. I think that ~~it~~ it would be fun to ride in the moon rover. The sight of the earth ~~from~~ from the moon would really be great. The money could be spent better but I like this anyway. Do you think maybe one of ~~these~~ these days they will sell tickets to the moon? I hope they do. I hope that people of the world or of the United States should be proud of our space program.

~~Your~~ Your, ^{friend}
Max Brown
6A
Dighton, Grade
age 11
write back soon.



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Grade 6A

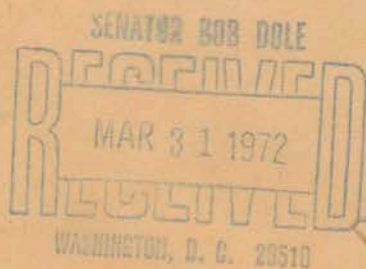
Dear Congressman,

I do not want to continue space travel because there are thousands of people starving and we could use the millions of dollars used for space travel for the people that are starving. All the astronauts do is bring dumb rocks back anyway.

Truly yours,

Delinda
Selfridge

P.O. Box 206



Dear Sirs

I think we should go on ~~by~~ but I think
we should wait a little longer because
we need the money for schools people factories
and for food until were settled enough.

Yours friend,
Mark Owen

PLEASE

GO

ON

SO WE

CAN

SEE NEW

WORLDS

