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**SENATE APPROVES \$161 MILLION  
IN MILITARY CONSTRUCTION FUNDING FOR COLORADO**  
*Legislation includes \$44.79 million for Pueblo Depot project*

WASHINGTON, D.C. – The U.S. Senate has approved \$161 million worth of funding for military construction projects in Colorado, as part of the FY 2005 military construction appropriations bill, U.S. Senator Wayne Allard (R-Colorado) announced Monday.

“The Senate continues to assign a high priority to making sure our men and woman in uniform have the resources they need to train to and carry out their missions, and to providing upgrades in the quality of life for these individuals and their families,” said Senator Wayne Allard after voting for the bill. “I am particularly pleased the Senate agreed to appropriate funds for the Pueblo Depot project at a level that will keep this project on its accelerated time table.”

Funding for Colorado military installations in the bill included:

\* Fort Carson – \$12.4 million for arrival/departure air control group; \$14.1 million for a barracks complex in the hospital area; \$33 million for a digital multi-purpose training range; \$3.65 million for a multi-purpose machine gun range; \$3.2 million automated qualification training range (Army National Guard) .

\* Buckley Air Force Base – \$6.1 million for the chapel center; \$6.1 million for a child development center; \$2.1 million for addition and alterations to the aeromedical clinic; \$34 million for Army Aviation Support Facility (Army National Guard).

\* Pueblo Depot ammunition demilitarization facility – \$44.79 million.

\* Army Reserve, Aurora - \$1.75 million for military equipment parking facilities.

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