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RADIO TAPE FOR SOUTH DAKOTA PRIMARY THE PRESIDENT HAS SENT

THIS IS PRESIDENT FORD, URGING YOU TO PARTICIPATE
IN YOUR POLITICAL PARTY'S PRIMARY ON JUNE 1.

THE SOUTH DAKOTA PRIMARY IS AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY
FOR YOU AND YOUR NEIGHBORS TO ELECT DELEGATES WHO WILL SUPPORT
THE CANDIDATES OF YOUR CHOICE. AS YOU KNOW,
THE PRIMARY IS THE FIRST STEP IN OUR DEMOCRATIC PROCESS
TO ELECT THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. JUNE 1 IS
AN IMPORTANT DAY FOR YOU AS SOUTH DAKOTANS AND AS AMERICANS.
YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THE PRIMARY IS ESSENTIAL FOR OUR
DEMOCRATIC PROCESS TO WORK. PLEASE PARTICIPATE
IN THE PRIMARY OF YOUR CHOICE. THANK YOU.