

Conservation Men Seek Law Change

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BUFFALO—Soil conservation district supervisors from all parts of Wyoming were prepared Thursday to continue their quest for a change in state law which would place five men from their ranks on the Wyoming State Soil Conservation committee and retain the present membership in an ex-officio capacity.

They made sure that this matter would be carried to the Wyoming state legislature for a second time when they reapproved resolutions passed at their 1951 state convention and passed a half dozen new resolutions at a final session of the 1952 convention Wednesday.

Lawmakers at the 33rd session of the Wyoming state legislature next month can expect to be asked for a law which will require mining companies to refill and reseed bentonite and strip mining pits.

In a strong resolution which was passed easily delegates termed bentonite pits and other forms of strip mining "a hazard to livestock and to cover vegetation which could be used for grazing." Members of the Buffalo Belle Soil Conservation district from Moorecroft drafted and submitted this proposal.

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