

it be possible for the people within a Natural Resources District to, at a primary, general, or special election to increase their levy beyond 4 1/2 cents? And does that power still exist with your amendment?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator, with the amendment, that power clearly does not exist. The problem, as I saw it, was that you had two different provisions with, if you adopt 1114 you have two different provisions that apply to NRD election...

SENATOR COORDSEN: Okay.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...proceedings, and so you, you have to at least, I think most people would say you ought to chose one or the other and be clear about it.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Alright.

SENATOR BEUTLER: So,...

SENATOR COORDSEN: Okay.

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...I'm not, I'm not even saying I agree with that entirely, I'm just trying to put it in order so that at least we're all following the same...

SENATOR COORDSEN: Well, yeah, that...

SENATOR BEUTLER: ...drummer for the moment.

SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Senator Beutler. And if it doesn't turn out quite as we envision it in the amendment, why we still have Select File to make further adjustments. So with that I support the amendment.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Senator Coordsen. Senator Beutler, there are no further lights on, would you care to close? Closing's waived. The question is the adoption of the Beutler amendment. All in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of Senator Beutler's amendment.