

Bill No.: SF0069 **Effective:** Immediately

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Enrolled Act No.: SEA No. 0032

Chapter No.: 60

Prime Sponsor: Select Natural Resource Funding Committee

Catch Title: 2018 large project funding.

Subject: Large conservation projects approved for funding from the Wyoming Wildlife and Natural Resource Trust.

Summary/Major Elements:

- The Wyoming Legislature has established an account for funding natural resource conservation projects. The Legislature must approve each project that exceeds \$200,000.
- This year's legislation includes projects to support conservation easements, shrubland ecotype preservation, removal of invasive conifers, and channel reconstruction and irrigation diversion.
- The 2018 projects are:
 - Condict Conservation Easement
 - Bates Hole Juniper
 - Stockade Beaver Mule Deer Habitat II
 - Bousman Conservation Easement
 - Green Mountain Aspen II
 - South Pass Aspen II
 - Prospect Land and Cattle Conservation Easement
 - West Pass Creek
- This act also establishes that the State of Wyoming is a third-party beneficiary on all conservation easements, and each funding recipient must certify that no kickbacks or gratuities were received or made.

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