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- 1** **Watonwan County Soil and Water Conservation District supervisor appointments.** Allows the Watonwan County Board to appoint supervisors to the county's soil and water conservation district. All five of the Watonwan County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) supervisors resigned prior to the October 1 deadline for filing with the Campaign Finance and Public Disclosure Board. Under current law, a vacancy occurring more than 56 days before the next state primary is filled by appointment of the district board. In this case, all board seats are vacant and there is no one to make the appointments. This act allows the Watonwan County Board to make the appointments and allows the appointees to hold office until those elected at the fall 2008 election take office.