

WINDBREAK/SHELTERBELT RENOVATION (FEET) CODE 650

MONTANA CONSERVATION PRACTICE JOB SHEET

LANDOWNER	FIELD / MANAGEMENT UNIT	DATE
LEGAL DESCRIPTION	CONTRACT ITEM NUMBER	LENGTH (FEET)
		JOB CLASS

DEFINITION

Replacing, releasing, and/or removing selected trees and shrubs or rows within an existing windbreak or shelterbelt, adding rows to the windbreak or shelterbelt or removing selected tree and shrub branches.

SCOPE

This job sheet provides direction in restoring or enhancing the function of existing windbreaks or shelterbelts.

RENOVATION RECOMMENDATIONS

Evaluate the windbreak or shelterbelt condition. Identify renovation methods to consider.

Maintain the health and vigor of windbreak by controlling the competing vegetation, supplying supplemental water, protecting the plantings from fire and damage from livestock or wildlife, and applying nutrients when needed.

EVALUATE WINDBREAK/SHELTERBELT CONDITION

YES NO

IDENTIFY WINDBREAK/SHELTERBELT CONDITION CLASS

KEY 1: (Check all that apply)

Condition: A B C D E F G H I J

Comments on Condition(s):

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RENOVATION METHODS CONSIDERED

KEY 1 AND KEY 2: (Check all that apply)

Method: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18

Comments on Renovation Methods:

ACTION TO BE TAKEN

TIME OF THE YEAR ACTION TAKEN: (Check all that apply)

Spring Summer Fall Winter

RENOVATION LAYOUT—Job Sketch

Attached Plan Map YES NO

ADDITIONAL SPECIFICATIONS (ATTACHED)

612–Tree/Shrub Establishment	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
660–Tree/Shrub Pruning	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
380–Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
382–Fencing	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO

ADDITIONAL NOTES AND COMMENTS–Browse Protection, etc.

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

- Periodically inspect plant condition and take additional actions as necessary, e.g., additional watering, replace dead stock and protect from wildlife damage.
- Control competing vegetation.

APPROVALS:

NRCS Conservationist

JOB APPROVAL AUTHORITY

Date

Producer

Date

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Installation Certification:

Conservation Management Unit or Field Number: _____ Date of Application: _____

Number of Rows Treated: _____ Length of Rows Treated: _____ FEET Adequate _____

Method of Renovation Used: _____ Adequate _____

Woody Plant Materials Installed:

SPECIES	KIND OF STOCK ¹	SPACING ²	PLANTS/ACRE	ACRES	TOTAL	PLANTING DATE

¹ BAreroot, COntainer, Cutting

² Average Spacing Between Plants

Species Planted: _____ Adequate _____

Spacing and Amount Planted: _____ Adequate _____

Period of Planting: _____ Adequate _____

Method of Competition Control: _____

Amount of Competition Control: _____ Adequate _____

Method of Site Preparation: _____

Amount of Site Preparation: _____ Adequate _____

Method of Tree Protection: _____

Amount of Tree Protection: _____ Adequate _____

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:

I hereby certify that this practice has been installed in accordance with NRCS standards and specifications.

 NRCS Conservationist

 JOB APPROVAL AUTHORITY

 Date

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