

## MANAGEMENT SYSTEM TEMPLATE

### A. BENCHMARK SYSTEM WORKSHEET

1.	STATE	Oklahoma
2.	FIELD OFFICE	Taloga - Dewey County
3.	MLRA	78C
4.	COMMON RESOURCE AREA (CRA)	078C.40.009
5.	RESOURCE INTERPRETATIONS	
5.1	SOIL	Soil Legends, Technical/Non-Technical Soils Interpretations
5.2	WATER	Water Quantity and Quality Interpretations
5.3	AIR	
5.4	PLANT	Rangeland Interpretations
5.5	ANIMAL	Threatened and Endangered Species List; Wildlife Interpretations
5.6	HUMAN	
6.	HYDROLOGIC UNIT	11090201-040, 050
7.	SYSTEM TEMPLATE LABEL	FIDZA
8.	SYSTEM NAME	Taloga Flats
9.	PLANNING PHASE	Benchmark
10.	PLANNING LEVEL	N/A
11.	NRCS LANDUSE	Grazed Range
12.	EXISTING CONSERVATION PRACTICES	
		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Trough or Tank (614)</li> <li>2. Well (642)</li> <li>3.</li> <li>4.</li> <li>5.</li> </ol>
13.	SYSTEM NARRATIVE	
		<p>A very small percentage of rangeland lies within the Taloga Flats. On this small acreage of rangeland, the forage production is very high. The soils are level and well drained. The major ecological site in this area is Loamy Prairie which supports Big bluestem, Indiangrass, Switchgrass and Sideoats grama. The rangeland fields are primarily used as holding areas, loafing areas and working areas. The main concern is heavy grazing on these areas.</p>
14.	RESOURCE CONCERNS	MAGNITUDE/EFFECTS
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Plants - Condition - Health/Vigor</li> <li>2. Animals - Mngmt - Pop/Res. Balance</li> <li>3.</li> <li>4.</li> <li>5.</li> <li>6.</li> <li>7.</li> <li>8.</li> <li>9.</li> <li>10.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Poor forage production</li> <li>2. Inadequate stocking rates</li> <li>3.</li> <li>4.</li> <li>5.</li> <li>6.</li> <li>7.</li> <li>8.</li> <li>9.</li> <li>10.</li> </ol>

**Conservation Management Systems**

**Certification of Quality Criteria**

RESOURCE CONSIDERATION/PROBLEM	Term Effects		Meets Quality Criteria			
	Short	Long	Benchmark		Planned	
			Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>PLANTS</b>						
Suitability			✓			
Adapted to site			✓			
Intended use						
<b>Condition</b>						
Productivity			✓			
Health and vigor		✓		✓		
<b>Management</b>						
Establishment			✓			
Growth			✓			
Harvest			✓			
Nutrient management			✓			
Pests			✓			
Threatened and endangered species			✓			
<b>ANIMALS</b>						
Habitat						
Food			✓			
Cover/Shelter			✓			
Water			✓			
<b>Management</b>						
Population and Resource Balance		✓		✓		
Animal Health			✓			

References:  
 NPPH Pages 75-78  
 FOTG Section III - Quality Criteria  
 GM -450 Part 401 Paragraph 401.03