

## **528A – Prescribed Grazing**

Prescribed Grazing Plan is in place and the objectives were met based on the following items:

- (i) Conservation Management Unit of field numbers, dates grazed per field, AU's per field;
- (ii) Percent utilization of key species (cannot exceed 50% of the current year's growth unless higher utilization is accounted for by more intensive grazing rotations and increased rest periods);
- (iii) Percent utilization of key woody species (cannot exceed 50% of annual leaf and twig growth);
- (iv) Livestock forage requirements, wildlife use, significant pest damage is balanced with forage availability;
- (v) Grazing period on native rangeland;
- (vi) Percent utilization of key species on dormant season grazing on native rangeland (cannot exceed 65% of current year's growth);
- (vii) Stocking rates, dates/duration of use, method of manure management on winter feeding areas; and
- (viii) Documentation that riparian areas and uplands monitoring site(s) are in place, and plan is being followed.