

**NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE
CONSERVATION PRACTICE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE**

**COVER CROP
(Acre)
CODE 340**

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE

Control growth of the cover crop to reduce competition from volunteer plants and shading.

Control weeds in cover crops by mowing or by using other pest management techniques.

Residue shall not be burned.

Partial removal of residue by means of haying or grazing shall be limited to the amount needed

to meet the desired objectives.

Adjust the equipment tire spacing to avoid running on the ridges to maintain height and shape.

The owner, operator, contractor, or other persons shall conduct all work and operations in accordance with proper safety codes for the type of equipment and operations being performed with due regard to the safety of all persons and property.