

Producer Self-Certification Guidance Sheet

Prescribed Grazing (528)

The following guidance is provided to assist producers with self-certifying practice completion.

- The Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) planner or Technical Service Provider (TSP) shall design the practice according to standards and specifications and shall use Form KS-ECS-528B, Grazing Management Plan. The Form KS-ECS-528B shall not recommend Animal Units (AU) in excess of what is identified as a part of a balanced grazing system identified on Form KS-ECS-528A, Livestock Forage Balance Data Form.
- Form KS-ECS-528B shall be reviewed with and concurred by the producer. Producer shall sign under “Producer’s Statement.”
- Form KS-ECS-528B and Producer Self-Certification Guidance Sheet shall be provided to the producer.
- Once practice is completed, the producer shall complete the Applied AU’s per month block.
- Producer shall sign and date under the statement “This practice has been applied as designed.”
- Form KS-ECS-528B shall be returned to the NRCS field office. No additional supporting documentation shall be required from the producer.