



**Animal Enhancement Activity – ANM54 – Prescribed burning for upland birds and other wildlife**

**State Criteria (same as NATIONAL CRITERIA)**

An [NE-CPA-14](#) Wildlife Development/Management Plan and a detailed plan map may be used to document items including the target wildlife species (specifically, those dependent upon grasslands with limited plant litter and that adequate bare ground – i.e. mountain plover).

**Additional Criteria for Nebraska**

Avoid conducting prescribed burning during the primary nesting/fawning season of May 1 through July 15.

Total area should be divided into three burn units and each burned once over a three year period.

**Documentation Requirements (SEE NATIONAL ENHANCEMENT ACTIVITY JOBSHEET)**

**Additional State Documentation Requirements**

Complete the Table below:

To be completed by NRCS and Producer during planning			To be completed by Producer during certification			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Tract	Field	Total Acres	Acres Applied	Burned Area Percent of Total	Sensitive Areas Avoided	Date Completed
<i>EX. T1001</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>160 Acres</i>	<i>60 Acres</i>	<i>38% of 160 Acres</i>	<i>20' buffer next to pond</i>	<i>4/15/2015</i>

EX= EXAMPLE, COLUMNS 1-3 NRCS COMPLETES, COLUMNS 4-7 PRODUCER COMPLETES

**I certify that the enhancement criteria have been met and the required documentation provided to NRCS for review.**

1. A copy of the wildlife habitat management plan or similar document that identifies required elements.
2. Attach a prescribed burning plan which includes documentation of applied conditions for the burn.
3. Map showing where burning treatments were applied (highlighted, outlined, etc.).
4. Documentation of management treatments applied. – (COMPLETE TABLE ABOVE)
5. Representative digital images of the area where prescribed burning was applied.

**Certified by:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_