



United States Department of Agriculture
 Natural Resources Conservation Service

CSP Job Sheet G-10

GRAZING MANAGEMENT ENHANCEMENT

July 2005

NEBRASKA

Name: _____

Grazing deferment to improve prescribed burning effectiveness

Payment = \$3.00 for each acre deferred from grazing to promote a fuel load capable of providing a prescribed burn which meets the desired effect.

The implementation of a grazing system which promotes a fuel load desirable for carrying out effective prescribed burns. One or more seasons of grazing deferment may be required to build effective fuel loads to carry out an effective prescribed burn. Don't use this in conjunction with H-5 in the same year. There must be at least 800-1000 lbs/ac of herbaceous fuel load to carry fire.

Documentation Required: Use the following table for documentation and attach a plan map showing the location of deferred management units. An example is provided to assist you.

Management Units	Target Plant Species for Prescribed Burn	Rest or Deferment Period	Acres Treated	Year
Field 9	E. Red Cedar	5/1-9/30	200	2005

Example

Management Units	Target Plant Species for Prescribed Burn	Rest or Deferment Period	Acres Treated	Year

Operation: Livestock grazing should be reduced or restricted to treatment areas prior to prescribed burn through reduced season of use, reduced stocking rates, or complete rest to provide enough fine fuel load to ensure effective prescribed burning.

Maintenance: Multiple prescribed burning treatments may be required to achieve objectives. Subsequent pasture deferment and prescribed fire may be repeated if needed.

Documentation: Signed certification that pastures have been deferred prior to prescribed burn and grazing records reflecting level of deferment prior to prescribed grazing treatment.

Certification:

I certify that I have deferred grazing from management unit(s) as explained in the narrative in the field(s) listed in the table above.

Name: _____ Date: _____