



United States Department of Agriculture
Natural Resources Conservation Service

CSP Job Sheet H-5

HABITAT MANAGEMENT ENHANCEMENT

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LOWER BIG BLUE AND LOWER LITTLE BLUE WATERSHEDS IN NEBRASKA

Name: _____

Defer grazing on pasture/rangeland during late summer, fall, and winter

Payment = \$10.00 / acre / year for deferring livestock grazing between July 15 and April 30 of the following year. Payment applies only to the deferred acres.

The intent of this enhancement is to provide adequate residual cover (previous year's growth) to serve as nesting cover for grassland birds for the following spring.

This enhancement requires that no grazing of livestock (or other forage removal) occur between July 15 and April 30 of the following year on a minimum of 5 contiguous acres up to a maximum of 25% of the available pastureland or rangeland acres.

Note: This enhancement cannot be used in conjunction with the "Deferred Grazing Enhancement" as noted under the Grazing Management Enhancements (G-10).

Documentation Required: Use the following table for documentation and attach a plan map showing the location of the deferred acres. An example is provided.

Tract & Field #s	Total Acres Pasture/Range	Total Acres Deferred
T486 - 1,3	175	35

Example

