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Patch Burning: Integrating Fire and Grazing to Promote Heterogeneity

Enclosed is a copy of *Patch Burning: Integrating Fire and Grazing to Promote Heterogeneity*. This publication was developed by Department of Natural Resource Ecology and Management, Oklahoma Cooperative Extension Service at Oklahoma State University. It includes information regarding the historical occurrence of fire and grazing as well as potential methods to mimic those conditions using modern management techniques. There is also valuable data on soil nutrients, livestock condition, and wildlife populations provided in this document. This publication can be very useful as a supplement to the Prescribed Burning (338) Standard and the Early Successional Habitat Development/Management (647) Standard when implementing management to benefit wildlife habitat.

Enclosure: [Patch Burning: Integrating Fire and Grazing to Promote Heterogeneity – E-998](#)

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