

**GRAND PRAIRIE FRIENDS OF ILLINOIS
PRESCRIBED BURNING PLAN**

SITE NAME: _____ ACREAGE: _____

LOCATION: SECTION _____ TOWNSHIP _____ RANGE _____ COUNTY: _____

TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGE: _____ 7.5' 15'

DATE: _____ ANTICIPATED MONTH OF BURN: _____

1. PURPOSE OF BURN:

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| a. <input type="checkbox"/> FOREST MANAGEMENT | d. <input type="checkbox"/> WETLAND MANAGEMENT |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> PRAIRIE MANAGEMENT | e. <input type="checkbox"/> NATURAL COMMUNITY RESTORATION |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> SAVANNA MANAGEMENT | f. <input type="checkbox"/> SITE PREPARATION |

OBJECTIVE OF THE BURN: _____

2..DESCRIPTION OF THE BURN UNIT:

- a. NUMBER OF ACRES TO BE BURNED: _____
- b. DESCRIBE THE FUELS ON THE BURN UNIT: _____
- c. LIST SITE CHARACTERISTICS, SUCH AS SOIL TEXTURE, TOPOGRAPHY, AND ASPECT: _____
- _____
- d. IMPORTANT BIOLOGICAL FACTORS (e.g.. PLANT PHENOLOGY, WILDLIFE SEASONAL ACTIVITY):

3. RANGE OF DESIRED PRE-IGNITION WEATHER FACTORS:

- a. AIR TEMPERATURE: _____ b. RELATIVE HUMIDITY: _____
- c. WIND DIRECTION: _____ d. WIND SPEED: _____

4. PRE-BURN FACTORS:

a. SIZE OF CREW NEEDED: _____ b. EQUIPMENT NEEDED: _____

c. METHOD OF FIREBREAK CONSTRUCTION: _____

d.. IGNITION PATTERN-FIRING TECHNIQUE: _____

e. SMOKE SENSITIVE AREAS: _____

f. SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS: _____

g. PERMITS NEEDED, CONTACTS TO BE MADE: _____

h. EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS: _____

5. ATTACH TO THIS FORM THE APPROPRIATE U.S.G.S. TOPO MAP OR AN AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH DELINEATING THE AREA TO BE BURNED. NOTE ON THE MAP OR PHOTO NATURAL BARRIERS, LOCATION OF CONTROL LINES, ETC. NOTE ALSO ANY ENDANGERED, THREATENED, OR RARE PLANTS OR ANIMALS AND ANY OTHER OBSERVATIONS RELEVANT TO THE NATURAL COMMUNITY.

THIS PLAN PREPARED AND SUBMITTED BY: _____ FIREBOSS

THIS PLAN APPROVED BY: _____ GPF STEWARDSHIP CHAIR

DO NOT IGNITE THE FIRE ON THE DAY OF THE BURN IF WEATHER CONDITIONS OR OTHER FACTORS MAKE THE BURN UNSAFE OR DIFFICULT TO CONTAIN.