



GRAZING MANAGEMENT (CSP Enhancements)

April 2005

Enhancement Activity Task Sheet

WV-CSPEGM-TS

Clients Name:

Worksheet 4- Protect Riparian Areas By Permanent Excluding Of Livestock

Payment = \$50.00/acre of protected area/year/ to permanently excluded riparian areas from grazing or access by livestock. Prevent domestic livestock from having access to riparian areas with use of permanent fence. The fence must be adequate to prevent access by all domestic livestock and not be a safety hazard. The fence must be checked and repaired after large storm events where water levels or debris reached the fence and prior to releasing livestock to adjacent fields. Controlled and stable access point for stream crossings of livestock watering are allowed to interrupt the riparian area. Riparian areas include streambanks, shorelines, wetlands and sink. Measurement of a riparian area start at top of streambank; at the water line for ponds, open water wetlands or lakes; at the bottom of a sink or at opening of a sinkhole; and at the outside edge of the hydric soil boundary for saturated wetland. .

	Excluded Area	Fence Type	Example	
			Inspection Dates	Repairs Made(narrative)
Turner Creek	2 ac	3-Strand High Tensile Electric Fence	4/15/05	Checked electrical circuit removed fallen branch, Checked fence tension, walked length of fence

Protected Riparian Area Certification

I certify that I have protected the designated riparian area(s) from access by domestic livestock with the use of permanent fence and have maintained the fence.

Clients Signature: _____ Date: _____