



GRAZING MANAGEMENT (CSP Enhancements)

April 2005

Enhancement Activity Task Sheet

WV-CSPEGM-TS

Clients Name: _____

Worksheet- 8 Manage to Utilize Alternative Perennial Forage To Extend Grazing Period

Payment = \$30.00/acre/year/of area planted to utilize perennial forage and for grazing. Warm season grasses (i.e. switchgrass, bluestem grasses, bermudagrass) will be used for mid-summer to mid-September grazing. Grazing of switchgrass and bluestem grasses can not be started until grass height reaches at least 18 inches and successive regrowth is 18 inches. Remove livestock when height of grazed stubble is 8 inches. Bermudagrass may be grazed at a height of 6-8 inches and livestock is removed when stubble height reaches 2 inches. Nutrients will be applied as need to maintain production goals. Provide adequate water for livestock.

Field Name Or Number	Acres in Warm Season Grasses	Type of Grass	Dates		Grass Stubble Height When Livestock Removed
			Started Grazing	Ended Grazing	
<i>Example</i> 10	5	Switchgrass and Big bluestem	6/25/05	7/12/2005	8-9 inches

Utilize Alternative Perennial Forages Certification

I certify that I have utilized warm season grasses as an alternative forage as documented.

Clients Signature: _____ Date: _____