

BURN / DO NOT BURN Checklist
Any "NO" responses create a DO NOT BURN situation

1. Is the Burn Boss on site for the proposed burn? No Yes
2. Is a Texas Prescribed Burning Board-approved written prescribed burn plan established for the proposed plan? No Yes
3. Are safety requirements met for the proposed burn? No Yes
4. Are planned personnel and equipment on site? No Yes
5. Have all the entities in the county where the burn is to take place been notified?
 - a) County sheriff's office No Yes
 - b) Local fire department(s) No Yes
 - c) If you are burning during a county Burn Ban
 - o County judge
Yes No __ NA
 - o County commissioners court
Yes No __ NA
 - o Texas Forest Service regional fire coordinator
Yes No __ NA
 - o Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ)
Yes No __ NA
6. Is written authorization to burn during a burn ban attached to the burn plan or has the county judge signed the burn plan?
Yes No __NA
7. Have all necessary fire suppression units been briefed on the burn plan?
Yes No
8. Has the Burn Boss determined risks are acceptable? No Yes
9. Has the Burn Boss obtained a current weather forecast? No Yes
10. Is the current weather within the burn plan parameters? No Yes
11. Is fire behavior projected to be within the burn parameters? No Yes
12. Are projected fire effects acceptable? No Yes
13. Does smoke management adhere to TCEQ guidelines? No Yes

Burn Boss:

Date of fire:
