



Texas Department of Agriculture
Texas Prescribed Burning Board
Burn/Do Not Burn Checklist

PBB-603

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For use by Certified Prescribed Burn Managers conducting burns during a county burn ban. (This form does not need to be returned to TDA but is for your use only.)

IMPORTANT: NO PRESCRIBED BURN SHALL TAKE PLACE DURING A GOVERNOR'S EMERGENCY DECLARATION.

The following questions require a YES response in order to conduct a prescribed burn during a county burn ban.	
1. Is a Texas Certified Prescribed Burn Manager on site for the proposed burn?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
2. Is a Texas Prescribed Burning Board-approved written prescribed burn plan established for the proposed burn?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
3. Are safety requirements met for the proposed burn?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4. Are planned burn personnel and equipment on site?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
5. Have the following entities in the county where the burn is to take place been notified:	
County judge	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
County commissioners court	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Local volunteer fire department(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
County sheriff's office	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Texas Forest Service regional fire coordinator	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6. Have all necessary fire suppression units been briefed on the burn plan?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
7. Has the Texas Certified Prescribed Burn Manager determined risks are acceptable?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
8. Has the Texas Certified Prescribed Burn Manager obtained a current weather forecast?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
9. Is current weather within the burn plan parameters?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
10. Is fire behavior projected to be within the burn plan parameters?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
11. Are projected fire effects acceptable?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
12. Does smoke management adhere to TCEQ guidelines?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Any "NO" responses create a DO NOT BURN situation

¹ BURN MANAGER SIGNATURE	
Burn Unit	Date of fire / / month day year
Printed Name	Signature