

Educational Prescribed Fire



WHY DO WE DO THIS?



- Risk Management
- Public Awareness
- Environmental Education
- Training for partners



What do we do?

- Planning
- Preperation
- Notification
- Implementation
- Post Fire



Success



What are we Preventing



Questions?



Festival of the Cranes

November 18-25, 2014 at Bosque del Apache National Wildlife Refuge Socorro, New Mexico

Enhancing Wildlife Habitat

Experience a real fire on the refuge! Typically you only get to read about a fire - here you get a chance to see what happens up close. The New Mexico Fire District of the National Wildlife Refuge System uses fire as a tool to benefit our habitat, wildlife and ecosystem on an annual basis throughout the state. Parameters such as vegetation, time of year, weather, location, and public use are considerations for implementing a prescribed burn to meet objectives. Join the NM Fire District for a presentation on how fire has a place on our landscapes. After a safety briefing, the NM Fire District personnel will demonstrate the many tools and equipment used (drip torch, flare guns, terra-torch, etc.). Weather permitting, there will be a demonstration with live fire techniques on an actual fire.