

LIST OF GRASSLAND FUNCTIONS AND VALUES

- Provides Wildlife Habitat
- Supports Rural Communities
- Provides a Clean Water Source for Communities
- Enhances Recharge /Groundwater Areas
- Enhances Water Quality
- Provides Open Space
- Supports the Ability of Grasslands to Sequester Carbon
- Improves the Quality of Life
- Supports the Infrastructure/Taxes in Rural Communities
- Enhances Clean Air
- Provides Recreational Opportunities
- Builds Organic Matter in Soils
- Supports Landscapes that are Aesthetically Pleasing
- Sustains the Biodiversity of Plants and Animals
- Protects the soil from wind and water erosion;
- Provides forage for grazing and browsing animals, both domestic and wild.