

# POLICY



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Soil Conservation – Stubble Burning	October 27, 2020	462/2020

## Purpose:

To establish a policy in accordance with the Soil Conservation Act and Kneehill County Bylaws to control the burning of large areas of stubble and to ensure the conservation and protection of County soils.

## Policy Procedure:

1. Stubble burning will be governed by the Soil Conservation Act and Kneehill County Bylaw 1713 and all applicable Forest and Prairie Protection Acts and all other County Bylaws.
2. Permits for burning stubble are not to be issued without the approval of the Soil Conservation Officer.
3. Approval may only be given in extreme circumstances when the burn area may exceed ten (10) acres, where approval is given, the burn must comply with all recommendations and procedures as outlined by the Soil Conservation Officer and Fire Guardian.

This policy replaces Policy #1-15b

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