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Photo provided by Commissioner Charles "Kilowatt" Thomson

Controlled Burn at Lake Naconiche

A controlled burn, organized by Lake Naconiche Manager Bill Plunkett, was conducted on the dam and spillway area at Lake Naconiche on Thursday, January 31 for the purpose of dam maintenance and in preparation for spring.

Mark Kerr, with the Texas Forest Service, coordinated the resources for the burn. It was a cooperative effort between the Texas Forest Service, Nacogdoches Fire Department, the NRCS and Nacogdoches County.

According to Al Schmidt, of the NRCS and Mr. Plunkett, the burn was for the good. It will allow the vegetation to green up better in the spring and possibly take care of any potential fire hazards due to the tall grass that was present.

According to Plunkett this will be an annual event in cooperation with the Texas Forrest Service.

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