



Howell County Soil and Water Conservation District

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NO-TILL DRILL RENTAL AGREEMENT FY 2007

Rental # _____

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

The undersigned agrees to the following:

1. Cost for No-Till Drill will be \$8 per acre. However, there is a required deposit and minimum cost of \$50 to rent the drill. If the drill is not used for whatever reason the \$50 will be credited to your name. Interest will be accumulated at 1.5% interest after 30 days.
2. The No-Till Drill/Seeder will be used only on fields capable of being mowed for hay. Caution should be used to stay clear from all stumps and brush material.
3. Renter will be briefed on the operation of No-Till Drill/Seeder and settings by the district staff, Board of Supervisors and /or any other Employee/Volunteer that is in the office at the time of rental.
4. Renter will state names and age of any person (s) other than the renter who will be operating the No-Till Drill/Seeder while in his/her custody: _____.
5. Renter will pay for any repairs to the NO-Till Drill/Seeder if damaged beyond normal wear and tear while in his/her custody. If damages do occur, and major repairs are necessary, **PLEASE CALL THE OFFICE FOR ASSISTANCE**. If renter makes any repairs without contacting the office, he/she will be responsible for all repair costs.
6. Due to the variation in seed and ground conditions, the operator is responsible for the final settings as to amounts of seed and depth of seed placement. The district is not responsible for failed seedings due to weather, improper drill settings or faulty seed. Final settings must be under field conditions and are the sole responsibility of the operator.
7. Pay for lost, bent, or broken hitch pins and adapters.
8. Renter at no time will sub-lease the No-Till Drill/Seeder to any person(s). When seed application is completed, the renter will promptly return the No-Till Drill/Seeder.
9. No-Till Drill/Seeders are classed as an item of agriculture equipment and are slow moving vehicles. They are not to be pulled at highway speeds as tires are rated at only 30 MPH maximum speed. Renters will be responsible for any damage to tires or to machine if towing speeds are exceeded. The renter will hold harmless district employees, board of supervisors, technician and clerk/manager for damage or injury resulting from the use of the No-Till Drill/Seeder equipment.
10. The No-Till Drill will be picked up and brought back during office hours, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

By signing this agreement, the Howell County Soil and Water Conservation District will NOT be liable for any accidents resulting from the transportation and/or use of the No-Till Drill/Seeder Equipment. The renter agrees to have a liability insurance policy which is current and adequate to cover any damage or injury incurred through the transport or use of the No-Till Drill/Seeder Equipment.

I have received and read a copy of the **No-Till Drill Operation Guidelines**.

Signature _____ Date _____

<u>For Office Use Only</u>	
Pick Up Date _____	Return Date _____
Drill _____	Acreage Reading _____ / _____
Receipt # _____	Date Paid _____
Date Bill Sent _____	