

SWCD and CCE *Soil Health Equipment* *Loan Program (Soil HELP) 2021*

Program Goal: assist farmers in conserving and improving soil health long-term by offering conservation oriented agricultural equipment.

Requirements:

- **Reserve** the equipment online or over the phone
- Agreement and Injury Risk Waiver must be filled out and signed
- Provide proof of insurance
- An incidental deposit of \$500 (refunded when equipment is returned clean and not damaged)
- Adequate **transportation** to pick up and drop off the equipment
- Equipment must be thoroughly cleaned of debris (mulch, seeds, mud, compost etc.) before being returned



SWCD Equipment currently available for loan:

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| +Truax FLEX II No-Till Drill | +New Holland 145 Box Spreader |
| +Unverferth Zonebuilder 132 (2-shank) | + Millcreek 406 Rowmulcher |
| +Unverferth Zonebuilder 132 (4-shank) | +ABI Manual Manure Spreaders (2x) |

Producer feedback is important for us to learn what other conservation-based equipment is in demand so that we can grow the program to serve more growers.

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