Equipment for Lending & Rental

John Deere 1590 No-Till Drill
$150 per day (no-acre min/max) - $75 deposit - $25 administration fee
25% off for Renters in the MAEAP program
*Best for planting small grains into un-tilled ground, can also be used for soybeans, mainly used for planting cover crops*

General specs:
- Standard hitch, requires at least 100 HP for proper use
- Needs front wheel assist or duals for traction
- Need ½ -3/4 ton pickup truck to haul
- 15 ft. wide (4.6 m), 7.5 inch spacing
- Front gang can be locked for planting 15 in soybeans
- Single disk, for all field conditions
- Small seed box equipped

Truax Utility 86 No-Till Drill
$150 per day (no acre min/max) - $75 deposit - $25 administration fee
25% off for Renters in the MAEAP program
*Best for planting orchard/vineyard rows, conservation cover*

General specs:
- 3-point hitch, requires at least 60 HP for proper use
- 4 ft. wide, plants six (6) 8 inch rows
- Oversized seed tubes
- Disc openers w/ depth bands & press wheels
- Grass drill with three seed boxes
  - Fluffy seed box w/ auger & picker wheels, row dividers
  - Small seed box w/ row dividers
  - Cool season/grain box

Soil Test Probes
No cost – $50 refundable deposit when equipment is returned on time and in good condition

General specs:
- Standard soil sample probe
- Easily gather soil plugs for soil testing

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Wheel Scales
No cost – $75 refundable deposit when equipment is returned on time and in good condition

General specs:
- 20,000lbs capacity/scale
- 5 scales available (for tandem axel manure spreaders)
- Determine accurate manure application rates in a few easy steps
  1. Weigh empty spreader
  2. Weigh full spreader
  3. Measure the size of the manure application area

Irrigation Uniformity Equipment
No cost – $50 refundable deposit when equipment is returned on time and in good condition

General specs:
- Catch Cans for determining irrigation output to the soil
- Accurately determine how much water is reaching the soil, how uniform applications are across the field, and circumvent the need for a flow meter

Japanese Knotweed Injector
No cost – $50 refundable deposit when equipment is returned on time and in good condition

General specs:
- Japanese Knotweed is on the eradication list for Van Buren County
- Landowners with Japanese Knotweed on their property should not mow, cut, dig, burn, or move any part of the plant
- Best treatment method is with the Injector during the fall season
- Specifics on treatment method should be discussed with the Invasive Species Coordinator

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