

# NO-TILL DRILL SERVICES AVAILABLE

The Rolling Hills Resource Conservation & Development Council, make available "No-Till" drills in a nine county area in NW Georgia.

To schedule No-Till drills call the No-Till drill custodian in your area.  
**Rental Rates - \$14.00 per acre or \$140.00 for rental less than 10 acres**



The Rolling Hills Resource Conservation and Development Council (RC&D) was established in 1962 to assist the public in caring for and protecting the regions national resources. The RC&D serves a nine- county area in NW Georgia, namely Bartow, Carroll, Coweta, Douglas, Floyd, Haralson, Heard, Paulding, and Polk counties. Through a cooperative program with the Coosa River and West Georgia Soil and Water Conservation Districts the RC&D owns and maintains and leases no-till planters (drills) in the nine-county region.

### No-Till Drill Advantages

No-till planting saves time, energy (fuel), minimizing soil erosion, improves soil fertility and enhances water quality. Planting by conventional means requires four to five trips across a field with a fuel expenditure of up to 5 gallons per acre. No-till planting requires only one trip across the field with a fuel expenditure of ½ gallon per acre. It is estimated that soil erosions can be reduced up to 95% using no-till planting.

### Equipment Operating Procedures and Guidelines

No fertilizer will be applied with No-Till equipment.

No-Till drills and planters are available at a minimum charge to be operated by the landowner.

Acreage planted is determined by a meter on the equipment and charges will be made accordingly.

The landowner is responsible for having seed available at the planting site.

A rental agreement which includes a charge for operating and maintenance of equipment must be signed before work can begin.

All RC&D drills are an approximate eight (8') feet planting width. A minimum 50 horsepower tractor with a remote hydraulic system is required to operate the No-Till drill

Seeds will be planted at a rate desired by the landowner.

The Rolling Hills RC&D, S&WCD's and custodians are not responsible for germination of seed planted or stand loss.

The leasee is responsible for damage to equipment that is not deemed by the Council as regular wear and tear.

Contact your custodian for equipment available in your county

### Bartow / Polk County

Black Horse Trading Company  
 Ned Sarty  
 824 Taylorsville Macedonia Rd.  
 Taylorsville, GA 30178  
 770-607-2024

### Heard/ Carroll County

Georgia Deer Farm  
 Roger Herrod  
 850 North Hwy. 27  
 Roopville, Ga. 30170  
 770-854-9111

### Haralson County

Joe Sims  
 54 Harper Rd.  
 Bremen, Ga 30110  
 770-301-3718

### Floyd County

Carey Harris  
 3661 Blacks Bluff Rd.  
 Rome, Ga 30161  
 770-506-7638

### Douglas/Paulding/Cobb Counties

Elrod Garden Center  
 Sam Elrod  
 260 Merchants Drive  
 Dallas, GA 3017 (770)445-8577 or (770)445-4488

### Coweta County

David Stanford  
 298 Martin Rd.  
 Sharpsburg Ga. 30277  
 678-378-2026

### Coweta County

Bar W Feed and Seed  
 Alan Wacaser  
 6450 Hwy. 29  
 Grantville, Ga 30220.  
 770- 583-2488

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