



## County of Lethbridge Policy Handbook

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**APPROVED BY:** Municipal Committee              **SUBJECT:** Seed Drill, Straw  
Shredder & Straw Incorporator  
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The purpose of this policy is to control the distribution and usage of the seed drills, straw shredder and straw incorporator owned by the County of Lethbridge.

1. The drills, straw shredder and straw incorporator are to be used only on land located within the County of Lethbridge boundaries.
2. The program will be advertised annually.
3. A list of applicants will be kept in chronological order and distribution will be on a first come, first serve basis, as near as practical.
4. County personnel will arrange for movement between farms.
5. The onus is on the user to service, clean and maintain the drill(s), straw shredder and straw incorporator before they are returned to the County and passed on to the next applicant.
6. The applicant will provide a suitable tractor and a competent operator.
7. Co-operators will be assessed a per acre user fee or a maximum per day charge as per the County of Lethbridge Schedule of Fees By-Law.
8. The program will be evaluated each year and necessary policy changes will be implemented at that time.