

Feed Iowa First Wishlist



Farming is hard work and often that work can be made easier and more efficient with the right tools. Feed Iowa First is an all-volunteer organization. It takes hundreds of volunteers who invest thousands of hours each season to make our mission of combatting food insecurity possible. Possessing the right tools enables our volunteers to be more efficient possibly cutting volunteers hours for some tasks in half. In many cases, it also makes volunteer work more enjoyable and less back-breaking. Please contact us at feediowafirst@feediowa1st.com or 319-775-0149 if you or your organization would like to make a generous in-kind donation from our wish list. Of course, we gladly accept used gardening equipment.

[BCS Tiller Model 749 PS Walk-Behind Tractor](#) (\$4,575.00).

This walk-behind tractor design offers a wide variety of attachments.

- a. [Bumper Weight Kit Attachment](#) (\$113.00)
- b. [Root Digger Attachment](#) (\$120.00)
- c. [Power Potato Digger Attachment](#) (\$2,775)
- d. [Utility Trailer Attachment](#) (\$1,300.00)
- e. [Hillier / Furrower Attachment](#) (\$99.00)



[Soil Mixer](#) (\$209.00). Soil Mixers are used to combine specialized germination soil mix with water (like a cement mixer). The wet soil mix is then formed into seed blocks.



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[Rotary Cultivator](#) (\$30.00). This garden tool is used to turn the soil before planting and to remove weeds, to loosen and aerate the soil as the plants grow.



[Flame Weeder with Tank](#) (\$285.00). A Flame Weeder is one of the most effective methods for killing weeds early and is nearly 100% effective at killing weeds.



[Digital Scale](#) (\$96.00). Seeds are counted by grams and not by the individual seed.



[Heavy Duty Gardening Gloves for Men and Women](#) (3-Pack/\$9.00). These gloves keep volunteer hands safe from cuts, scratches and dirt.



[Pruning Shears](#) (\$16.00). This garden tool is used to remove large weeds, harvesting produce and for onion & garlic trimming.



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Landscape Fabric (Contact Us). Landscape fabric is a material used to control weeds by inhibiting exposure to sunlight. The fabric is normally placed around desirable plants, covering areas where other growth is unwanted.



[Garden Hose](#) (\$40.00). We never have enough garden hose.



Drip Irrigation Supplies (Contact Us). Drip irrigation is a type of micro-irrigation system that saves water by allowing water to drip slowly to the roots of plants, either from above the soil or buried below the surface.



[Tool Chest](#) (\$210.00). It takes a large arsenal of tools and gadgets to keep our plants growing, our tractors tilling and our vehicles moving. Tools aren't cheap and a tool chest would help us keep those items organized and secure.

