

2026-27

EQUIPMENT & SERVICES CATALOG

Rates effective July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027



South Carolina
Forestry Commission

EQUIPMENT & SERVICES

Equipment

Free rental equipment*

- 3 Heavy-duty planters**
- 3 Super sod scalpers with subsoiler**
- 1 Pull-behind, no-till seed drill (Newberry office)**

Three-point hitch (50 hp or >)
Each on its own mobile trailer
First-come, first-served basis
Rent limited to **FIVE** business days

* This equipment is being provided through a U.S. Forest Service infrastructure grant and is free for the public to rent during the duration of the grant.



Fee-based rental equipment

Tree planters

\$5/acre

\$25 minimum



Drum choppers

\$20/acre

\$100 minimum



Transportation Fee

\$3.50 per mile

from SCFC headquarters
in Columbia to and from
the site.

\$50 minimum

Temporary bridges

\$50/week

\$200 deposit required

The bridges are located at the SCFC offices in Walterboro and Columbia. SCFC personnel will load the bridges onto contractors' trailers, but they must be secured and transported by the contractor.



In order to rent the bridges, the contractor must obtain:

- workmen's compensation insurance coverage for its own employees;
- public liability insurance with limits of \$1 million for the injury to or death of one person, and \$2 million for the injury to or death of more than one person;
- property damage insurance with limits of \$1 million arising out of a single accident and \$2 million for damage to the property of third persons;
- an insurance certificate verifying coverage and identifying SCFC as an additional insured entity is required.

To request more information or to reserve a set of bridges, please contact SCFC Environmental Programs Coordinator Holly Welch at (803) 667-0815 or hwelch@scfc.gov

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Prescribed burning

\$30/acre

for understory burning

(firebreak plowing not included)

\$40/acre

**for understory burning in mountainous
terrain and site preparation burning**

(firebreak plowing not included)

\$750 minimum for all

prescribed burning services

Prescribed burning standby

\$125* for first hour

\$50 for each additional hour

(landowner is responsible for fire and must follow an SCFC-
approved burning plan)

\$125 minimum

* Includes mileage charge for each unit per day.



Firebreak plowing/waterbar construction

Medium Tractor

\$165* for first hour, per tractor

\$130/each extra hour, per tractor

\$165 minimum

Large Tractor

\$185* for first hour, per tractor

\$145/each extra hour, per tractor

\$185 minimum

* Includes mileage charge for each unit per day.



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Insect & disease lab

SCFC forest health specialists examine forest insect/disease pests or tissue samples at no charge. They will identify pests and prescribe appropriate control measures.

No charge

Extracting mired forestry equipment

(Limited to equipment performing forestry services)

Medium Tractor

\$200* for first hour,
per tractor

\$160 for each extra
hour, per tractor

\$200 minimum

Large Tractor

\$250* for first hour,
per tractor

\$175 for each extra
hour, per tractor

\$250 minimum

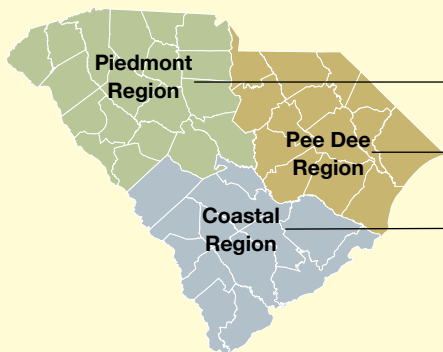


* Includes mileage charge for each unit per day.

Requests will be handled during normal S.C. Forestry Commission business hours 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday, and requests received after 2 p.m. may be handled no sooner than the following business day.

Call us today!

To rent or procure any equipment and/or services listed in this catalog, call the South Carolina Forestry Commission office in your region.



Piedmont Region
(803) 276-0205

Pee Dee Region
(843) 662-5571

Coastal Region
(843) 538-3708

Headquarters
(803) 896-8800

DISCLAIMER

All equipment is strictly for forestry use. A \$200 deposit is required, refundable upon satisfactory return of equipment in good condition. The South Carolina Forestry Commission may prohibit use of equipment due to unpaid bills or high damage potential.