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### Upcoming Events:

Mark your calendars!  
The Spring Maintenance Expo will be held in St. Cloud again in 2003. On April 22nd and 23rd the St. Cloud Civic Center will be bustling with vendors, equipment, and displays. Attend the training sessions to keep abreast of changes in maintenance activities and regulations. Learn about new techniques and trends in the field of erosion control, trench safety, equipment operation, and more! More information will be sent out soon!

See you there!

Happy Holidays!

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## Brown Mower

This is a combination mower/weed sprayer that nearly eliminates over-spray and wind caused drifting of chemical herbicides. The mower was used in 30 mile per hour winds which would have prohibited the use of standard spray type applicators. As the brush and weeds are cut a direct downward spray is used to treat unwanted vegetation. This eliminates the need for the two passes normally associated with cut and spray operations and also allows for a reduced amount of chemicals.

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