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Universal Plow

The Universal Plow is a snowplow and wing apparatus that attaches to a Case 721D front-end loader. Maintaining and removing snow buildup from highway center islands, crossovers, intersection sight corners, and areas prone to drifting can be cumbersome when using plow trucks alone. It is thought that using a loader in these situations may be beneficial. Since the operator sits up higher than a truck mounted with a snowplow there is almost a full 360 degree view resulting in fewer blind spots. District 6 operators will evaluate the effectiveness of this attachment to perform cleanup duties more safely and efficiently.

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Upcoming Events

63rd Annual Concrete Conference Brooklyn Center December 5, 2013

60th Annual Asphalt Conference St. Louis Park December 11, 2013

TERRA Pavement Conference Brooklyn Center February 5, 2014

> 13th Annual Road Salt Symposium Chaska February 6, 2014

Minnesota's Transportation
Conference
Bloomington
March 4-6, 2014

Happy Thanksgiving



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