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MGCSA Affiliates Help Drive for the 'U' Program

<u>Company</u>	<u>Commitment</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>Time Frame</u>
Hydrologic	Irrigation Materials	\$2,000	
Gill Miller Inc.	Design Services	\$3,500	
E-Z-Go Golf Cars	Workhorse	\$5,000	1 Season
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Bonestroo & Assoc.	Design, Construction, Services	OPEN	
Twin City Seed	Bentgrass Seed	\$400	
Simplot Partners	Fertilizer Products	\$5,000	
North Star Turf	Two Mowing Units	\$33,819	On-Going
	Top Dresser	\$7,495	On-Going
MTI Distributing, Inc.	Three Mowing Units	\$48,423	On-Going

"The Drive for the 'U' program is very simple and has only one goal, to assist the University of Minnesota Turfgrass Working Group in any way that we can," said E. Paul Eckholm, MGCSA President.

The University of Minnesota needs your assistance with materials, equipment or time in creating a useful research facility. Some of our vendors already allow the 'U' to use equipment for a season and then turn around and resell it as a demo at a later date. Others may be able to help by donating your time, or materials your company sells to help fulfill the needs of the research area.

As of the middle of April, eight MGCSA companies have committed valuable equipment to help the "Drive for the 'U'" program.

More equipment and products are needed. The list includes: Golf carts, sprayer, standard push rotary mower, aerifier, sod cutter, truckster, Toro triplex reel, 1 hp electric motor, 3-wheeler, set of 12 cups/flag poles, walk behind sickle mower, walk-behind trash vacuum, and 160' X 140' USGA Spec Green.

If you want to help, call Paul Eckholm at 952/440-4655 or e-mail epeckholm@msn.com.

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