

## RENTAL SPRAYER INSTRUCTIONS

### **BEFORE SPRAYING:**

1. Check gas (unleaded) and oil (30 wt).
2. Check for visible signs of leaks.
3. Follow safety regulations and measure proper mix found on chemical container to be applied.
4. **Do not mix at a well site.**
5. Fill tank ½ full of clean water.
6. If equipped with broadcast make sure valve to broadcast is closed in case ratchet valve was left on. After start up, open valve to check flow of liquid material.
7. Start engine and check for leaks before adding chemical.
8. If minor leaks occur, try tightening fittings or clamps.
9. If major leak or problem, call the Lewis and Clark County Weed District at 447-1640.

### **MIXING:**

1. If no leaks are found, you are ready to mix.
2. Chemical mixes vary depending on herbicide used. **Always mix according to label.**
3. When you have poured the chemical into tank, triple rinse measuring cup and pour into tank.
4. After chemical is added, fill tank with water. Any chemical containers that are emptied can also be triple rinsed at this time and put into the tank.
5. When finished, you must **triple rinse** the tank. Spray rinse water on area already sprayed or in areas that will be sprayed.

### **CALIBRATION AND SPRAYING**

1. The broadcast rate is variable – refer to chart.
2. If the motor stops, check oil. Some motors have a low oil level safety switch. Add oil and try restarting.
3. If motor runs but there's little or no solution coming out the nozzles, shut off motor, turn off main valve and clean the solution filter.
4. Always wear **Person Protection Safety Equipment** as specified on label.
5. If you have a problem or leak you cannot correct, call the Lewis and Clark County Weed District at 447-1640.