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Bob Burton found a new way to turn old tractor tires into livestock feeders. He stretches them out straight on a metal framework, making them easier to keep clean and providing easy access for any size animal.

"STRAIGHT-LINE" DESIGN MAKES TIRE FEEDERS EASIER TO CLEAN, FILL Slick New Way To Make "Tractor Tire" Feedbunks

By Bill Gergen, Associate Editor

Ever since tractor manufacturers started putting rubber tires on tractors, farmers have been turning the worn-out tires into feed bunks. Most just lay the tires flat on the ground, or turn them inside out.

We recently came across Oklahoma farmer Bob Burton who's come up with a totally new way to use old tires as feeders. He cuts them and then lays them out in one long strip.

"I took the first one I made to a show near Wichita Falls, Texas, last summer and couldn't believe how much interest there was in them. I took orders for 60 feeders right at the show," says Burton.

To make a feedbunk, Burton first cuts off both beads with a jig saw and then cuts through the tire in one spot. Then he stretches it

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