

## FABRIC MULCH LAYING MACHINE

The Douglas SWCD has a "Fabric Mulch Machine" for weed control. This machine lays down a 6' wide strip of fabric mulch to promote tree growth by retarding weed competition in the tree rows and provide moisture retention. With this tree fabric, post-planting maintenance is virtually eliminated! We have had great success with this machine and each year more and more landowners are seeing the benefits and are requesting this as part of their tree planting project.



**Fabric Mulch being installed**



**A completed shelterbelt with fabric mulch and trees**