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GMP OFFERS LIBERAL “RENT-TO-OWN” PROGRAM FOR CAPITAL-TOOL CABLE PULLING, BLOWING EQUIPMENT

September 2008; Trevose, PA – General Machine Products Company, Inc. (GMP), Trevose, Pa., is pleased to announce a liberal “Rent-To-Own” program for its key cable pulling and blowing systems. The Rent-To-Own program allows 100% of the customer’s accrued rental payments to be applied to the equipment’s purchase price – with neither interest nor lengthy rental-terms required. The Rent-To-Own program also helps companies better determine how the equipment fits into their daily operational needs without their being committed to a complicated or restrictive loan or lease contract.

“This is a very user-friendly program,” says Ted Clemens, GMP, "especially for those companies that might not have funds immediately available for a capital-tool purchase. GMP’s Rent-To-Own program allows them to purchase critical high-end equipment with interest-free payments that are spread over time.”

The new Rent-To-Own program applies to the following GMP Cable Blowers, Cable Pullers and Pushers:

- The “Duct Rod Pusher” does the work of two men, allowing you to finish difficult duct work in half the time. For use with our 3/8 in. (9 mm) & 1/2 in. (12 mm) duct rodders.
- The “Breeze” Micro Fiber Cable Blowing Machine, designed to meet the growing need for micro fiber cable installation (FTTx)
- The "Tornado" Fiber Optic Cable Blowing Machine, designed to move fiber optic cable into pre-installed innerduct or direct-buried duct

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- The “Sidewinder” Trailer Mounted Fiber Optic Puller, a self-contained, low-profile puller that employs a 32" diameter single capstan to provide a controlled force to the pulling rope or tape
- The Hydraulically Limited Cable Puller, which offers self-contained pulling power, speedy set up and high production in an affordable package for cable placing crews.

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ABOUT GENERAL MACHINE PRODUCTS COMPANY

Preparing to celebrate 75 years of manufacturing and engineering excellence, General Machine Products Company, Inc., (GMP) is a global provider of a wide range of products for the telecommunications, power utility and cable television industries, and the contractors who serve them. Product applications include the placement of fiber optic, copper conductor, and coaxial cable both aurally and underground.

GMP aerial cable lashing machines, Adams® continuous duty winches and fiber optic cable pullers are accepted as the industry standard. The complete line of GMP's 1,100+ products also includes cable reels and aerial blocks, cable cutters, unique RJ plug pressing tools, fiber optic cable blowing equipment, and other specially-designed tools for the data, telecommunications, and power utility markets.

Our facilities include a 100,000-square-foot manufacturing plant in Trevoese, PA, in suburban Philadelphia, and in Rutland, England (its CBS Products, Ltd. unit). Both facilities are equipped with a full complement of technologically advanced machine tools manned by a well-trained team of craftspeople.

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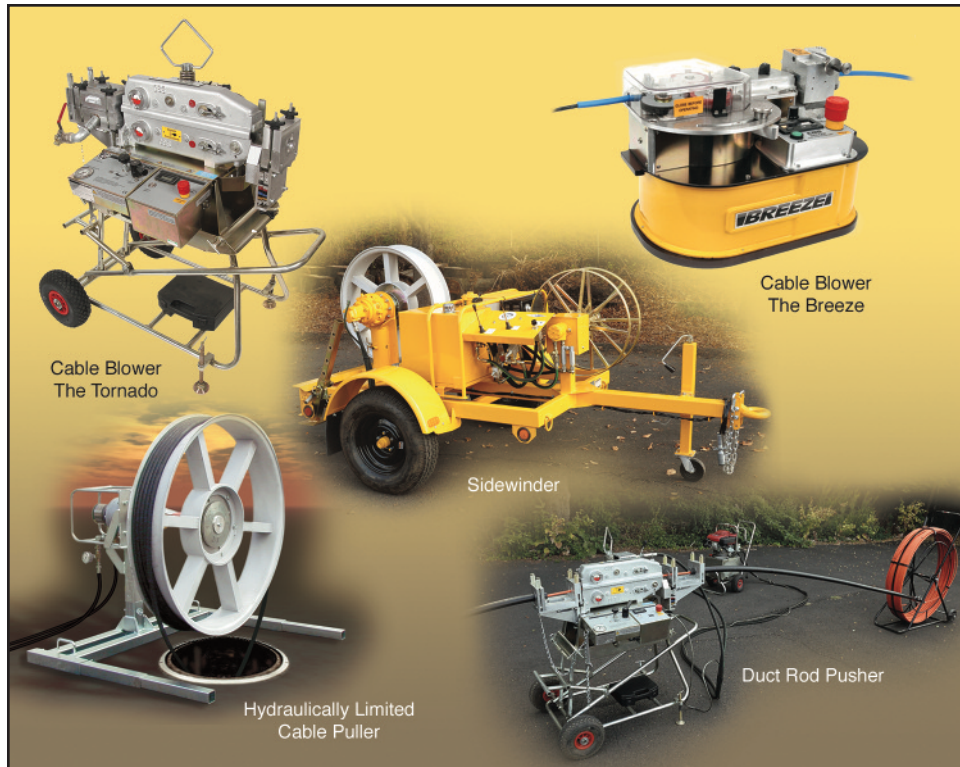


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GMP's new Rent-To-Own program applies to a range of state-of-the-art cable blowers, pullers and pushers.