Farm Robotics Challenge Preparation Instructions Self-Guided Tractor

Course Preparation Materials:

- 24" x 36" flat area
- 3 obstacles made from white Lego[®] pieces
- White butcher paper (if using the line reader capabilities)
- Wide permanent marker (if using the line reader capabilities)
- Flashlight (if using follow the follow the torch capabilities)

Course Preparation Instructions:

• Find a flat area (floor or table) to represent a farm field. Place 3 white Lego[®] obstacles onto the farm field. If using the line reader capabilities, place white butcher paper onto the farm field and draw a path for the robot to follow with a wide permanent marker.

Possible Design Options:

- Edison robot without modifications
- Edison robot with Legos added to simulate a fertilizer spreader attachment

Possible Challenge Solutions:

- Program a path through the farm field and use the obstacle detection commands.
- Program a path through the farm field using the line reader and obstacle detection commands.
- Program a path through the farm field using the follow a torch and obstacle detection commands.

Farm Robotics Challenge Preparation Instructions Moving Hay Bales

Course Preparation Materials:

- 24" x 36" flat area
- 4 hay bales made from Lego[®] pieces with sandpaper attached to the bottom with hot glue (the sandpaper allows the EdDigger bucket to pick up the Lego[®])
- Barn outline with a 6" opening made from Lego[®] pieces

Course Preparation Instructions:

• Find a flat area (floor or table) to represent a farm field. Create a barn outline with Legos[®]. Leave a 6" opening in the barn outline to allow the robot to enter the barn. Place 4 Lego[®] hay bales onto the farm field.

Possible Design Options:

• EdDigger

Possible Challenge Solutions:

• Using the EdDigger, program a path to pick up a hay bale in the farm field and carry it into the barn area.