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**Gravely® Introduces the Pro-Turn® MACH ONE Tunnel Deck   
Commercial Lawn Mower**

**LOUISVILLE, KY. –** Gravely®, AriensCo’s commercial lawn mower brand, introduced the Pro-Turn® MACH ONE, a commercial lawn mower with a unique tunnel deck design, today at the GIE+Expo trade show in Louisville, Kentucky. Built on the trusted and proven Gravely Pro-Turn 200 chassis, the Pro-Turn MACH ONE swaps the traditional XFactor II® mower deck for Gravely’s HVO, or high-volume output tunnel deck while utilizing the same trademarked Gravely commercial innovation, engineering and power of its other commercial models.

Inspiration behind the Pro-Turn MACH ONE came from landscapers’ needs for more efficient cutting solutions in thick and challenging grass breeds. With unique design characteristics, the aerodynamics of a tunnel deck direct grass clippings away from the mower blades, reducing the potential for the blades to become bogged down from material clumping around the blades.

To help ensure the Pro-Turn MACH ONE tunnel deck offers the highest cut quality without the need to double cut, the mower deck features a four-inch buffer area from the leading edge of the deck to the front of the blades. This gives uncut grass blades greater recovery time to be lifted by the vacuum of the mower deck after they’re pushed down by the leading deck edge. With a design that lifts grass more effectively, landscapers aren’t forced to sacrifice mowing speed for cut quality. Additionally, a 1.5-inch blade overlap helps ensure fewer stragglers and reduces changes of streaking and mowhawking through all cutting heights from 1.5 through 5.5 inches.

When looking at the Pro-Turn MACH ONE from the front or the rear, landscapers will notice a distinct difference in the deck depth from the left to the right sides. At the trimming edge, the Pro-Turn MACH ONE measures 5.5 inches deep and gradually increases to 7.75 inches at the discharge end to process high volumes of cut grass. As grass is cut and material volume increases from one cutting chamber to the next, the deck geometry provides more space for that material to be processed, helping prevent the blades from bogging and ensuring even grass dispersion through the HVO deck’s oversized discharge opening.

Though the high-volume output deck features numerous differences than a traditional commercial mower deck, it preserves the Gravely innovations that have helped build a brand reputation for durability, reliability and quality. Formed from 7-gauge steel, the Gravely HVO deck comes standard with maintenance-free, cold forged aluminum commercial spindles and Gravely constant belt tension, or CBT. Cooler-operating spindles help extend the lifecycle and efficiency while CBT gives the PTO and mower belts a consistent amount of tension throughout the life of the belt, even as the belt wears – preserving cut quality from start to finish.

The Gravely Pro-Turn MACH ONE comes with a 31-horsepower Kawasaki FX engine, a set of Hydro-Gear ZT-5400 transaxles, a 60-inch mower deck and will be available exclusively at independently owned and operated Gravely dealerships in early 2020. For more information, visit www.gravely.com.

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**About AriensCo:**

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