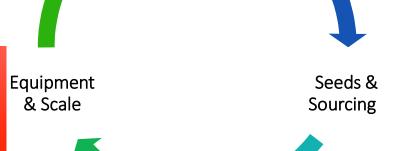
## **April Joy Farm Cover Cropping Process**

- How will I evaluate the success of my cover cropping strategy?
- What changes do I need to make?
- Evaluation & Goals & Relationships
- What do I most want to change?
- What relationships do I need to think about
- Could I solve more than one problem with my cover crop strategy?

- Do I have the necessary machinery, equipment and tools to sow, manage, and terminate my cover crops?
- Do I have an adequate irrigation strategy?



Schedules & Timing

- What are the right plants for the job?
- Can I feasibly source them?
- Do I need to seed any nurse crops to ensure my cover crop is successful established?
- How will my cover crops work with my current production schedule?
- Am I committed to the idea that my cover crops are just as valuable as my market crops?
- Have I included appropriate buffers to accommodate weather, delayed or accelerated harvests and other variables?

