

Northwest Food Security Partnership

Working Group Meeting

October 16, 2018

2:30 pm to 4:00 pm

Terrace, BC

Location directions:

4741 Park Ave, Suite 103, Terrace

Back end of the Service BC building, parking is parallel to the back end of the BC Liquor Store. Entre through the outside entrance door with Community Living sign. Denise's studio is the 4th door on the right.

Call-in details:

You must RSVP to call-in as only 5 callers can be accommodated unless we switch to a different system. 250-847-1399.

Agenda

02:30:00	Welcome, one minute introductions - name, where you live, are you currently working on a food security project and briefly describe it. Appointment of Chair, Note takers.
02:45:00	Community of Practice call debrief
03:00:00	Report from Admin Subcommittee - Update on Workplan resulting from 2018 Forum - we heard in our early meetings the need to be fluid and opportunistic, to carry out projects as capacity allows. a) Map of Food Assets b) FNHA/ Indigenous Food Sovereignty c) Terms of Reference/Subgroups - Food Policy Council? d) Fundraising, Job descriptions and staffing e) NWBC Food Security Strategy - start with Community Needs Assessment, get familiar with other strategies - update from NHA? Grassroots piecemeal vs collaborative f) Outreach - Displays at farmers markets (not ready), another forum (outcomes?), partnerships with sponsors/reciprocity Open discussion.
03:20:00	Report from Outreach Subcommittee a) Local Government - Presentation outcomes, Elections, toolkits, OCP scans b) Training and Education - Food Skills for Families c) Fun Squad: MASH, Zombie Apocalypse Scavenger Hunt, Benefit Concert, more ideas - theatre troupe, floating festival... d) Website and Social Media/Food Waste is a hot topic e) 2019 Forum - April 5,6 in Terrace in partnership with Wellness Expo Potential topics: Food Waste Prevention and Recovery, Cumulative Impacts of Resource Development on our Food System, Preparing for Wildfires and Droughts, Climate Change and Agriculture Research, Project showcases, Pitch for the Purse - Funders Panel. f) Open discussion.
03:40:00	Economic Development and Pilot projects a) Root cellar pilot project status b) Good Apple pilot project - IMAGINE grant

	c) Potato Headwaters...dried and frozen products d) Equipment Rentals - vacuum sealer e) Need a subcommittee
03:55:00	Regular meeting schedule and participation options. Meeting adjourned.