California Food Policy Council Northern California Regional Meeting May 14-15th, 2015, Crescent City, CA

Learn more, bond with colleagues, enjoy the region's beauty and advance the food movement!

Tentative Agenda

Our objectives: Enhance collaboration and share best practices Develop a shared narrative for the Northern Region Identify ways to move our food work forward

Thursday, May 14th

- 9:00 Registration and coffee
- 9:15 Welcome and introductions/Ice breaker activity
- 10:45 **Breakout Session 1** (Possible topics: Access to Land, Farm to School Procurement, Ballot Initiatives: GMOs and SSBs)
- 12:00 Gather information and feedback from Breakout Sessions
- 12:15 Lunch and physical activity break
- 1:30 **Breakout Session 2** (Possible topics: Fisheries, Nutrition Education in Schools and Community, Advocating for Policy)
- 2:45 BREAK/Gather information and feedback from Breakout Sessions
- 3:15 **Breakout Session 3** (Possible topics: Farmworkers, Collective Marketing/Food Hubs, Community Organizing)
- 4:30 Reconvene to gather information and feedback from Session 3/Begin to cluster and synthesize information
- 5:00 BREAK

An Evening of Native Food Sovereignty Conversations

- 6:00 Mingle and enjoy local and traditional foods
- 6:30 We Can't Eat Gold film screening
- 7:20 Panel discussion: Members of the Tolowa and Yurok Tribes will discuss the issues discussed in the film and relate them to local Native food sovereignty work and challenges

Audience questions

Friday, May 15th

- 8:30 Coffee and light breakfast
- 8:45 Analysis and Synthesis: What have we learned, where can we go next as a larger CA/OR region?
- 9:45 BREAK/transition to transportation

10:00 GET OUTSIDE! (Box lunch from Vita Cucina)
Tour options will (likely) include:
Dairy from Farm to Cheese
Community and School Gardens
Fisheries: Wild and Managed
Del Norte from the Redwoods to the Beach (play tourist!)

- 2:00 Return from tours
- 2:15 Snack, check-in from tours, last thoughts with Oregon partners
- 3:00 BREAK
- 3:15 NorCal Regional Convening What have we learned?What is the narrative we can share about our region?What can we move forward based on this meeting?
- 5:15 BREAK
- 6:00 Dinner and continued wrap-up with Northern Region CAFPC