



“Promoting Locally-Produced Food”

April 16 - 17, 2009

**Valley River Inn
Eugene, Oregon**

*Room rate: \$100 + tax • Reserve by March 23
541.743.1000 or 800.543.8266*

Thursday, April 16

9:00 am **Registration**

10:30 **Introduction & Welcome:**

- Karl Morgenstern, President of Oregon Association of RC&D Councils

10:45 **Farm to School Program**

- Corey Schreiber, Farm to School Coordinator, Oregon Dept of Ag
- Joan Ottinger, Farm to School Coordinator, Oregon Dept of Ed
- Megan Kemple, Farm to School Program Coordinator, Willamette Farm & Food Coalition

Noon Lunch

12:30 pm **Getting Locally Produced Food to Local Markets**

- **Food Hub:** Deborah Kane, Vice President, Food & Farms, EcoTrust
- **Building Infrastructure for Local Food Distribution:** Kelly Hoell, Good Company & Karl Morgenstern, Eugene Water & Electric Board

2:00 Break

2:15 **Setting up local foods in your area**

- Debra Sohm Lawson, Local Food Connection

4:00 **RC&D Success Stories** related to local food

Friday, April 17

8:00 am - Noon **OARCD Business Meeting**



Registration is \$25 through Cascade Pacific RC&D. To register for the event:

1) Use our secure online registration system at www.cascadepacific.org

or

2) Contact Debbra at Cascade Pacific RC&D: 541.967-5925 x4 or debbra@cascadepacific.org



OARCD Business Meeting

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8:00 am - Noon **OARCD Business Meeting**

1. Introduction and Welcome
2. Approve January 12, 2009 Minutes ~ All
3. Treasurer's Report
4. National & Regional Updates
 - Leadership Conference
 - RC&D Program Budget and Farm Bill
 - Circle of Diamonds
5. 2009-2010 Workplan & Coop Agreement with NRCS ~ All
6. OARCD Annual Meeting Planning
7. National Association & Pac Rim Regional Association Meeting Update (June 14-18, 2009)
9. Council Updates Round Robin:
 - Each council shares 2-3 high points with projects or organizational milestones. What is working; chance to network, share ideas about projects, ask advice, etc.
10. Adjourn Meeting at NOON