

Daily Agenda

Building regional resilience through regenerative agriculture

September 26th, 27th and 28th, Statesville Civic Center, Statesville, North Carolina

Tues. 26th, invite only

Time	Subject	Speakers
8:00 a.m 6:00 p.m.	Set up	Speakers, Sponsors & Vendors
6:00-9:00 p.m.	Welcome Reception	Sponsors, Speakers, VIPs

Wed. 27th

Time	Subject	Speakers
8:30 a.m5:00 p.m.	Registration	
8:30 a.m 8:45 a.m.	Welcoming Remarks	Setting the stage for the conference
8:45 a.m9:45 a.m.	Regenerative Farming: This Shit is important	Ray Archuleta, Soil Scientist
9:45 a.m 10:45 a.m.	The Path to Regenerative Farming	Adam Chappel, Farmer
11:00 a.m11:15 a.m.	Break	

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11:15 a.m12:15 p.m.	Supporting a Regenerative Transition Along the Supply Chain	 Jessica Hulse Dillon, Director, Soil & amp; Climate Alliance (Moderator) Jill Streit or Tyler Streit, Flat Acre Farms Farmers Direct or Shephard's Grain Russell Hedrick, Co-Owner, Soil Regen
12:15 p.m1:15 p.m.	Break, Networking, and Lunch	
1:15 p.m2:15 p.m.	Farming Evolved, Agriculture through a different lens	Seth Watkins, Farmer
2:15 p.m3:00 p.m.	Agriculture Practices and Improving Nutrient Density	Russell Hedrick, Farmer
3:00 p.m3:15 p.m.	Break	
3:15 p.m4:15 p.m.	Food is Medicine: Highlighting the cost of chronic health, misleading marketing tactics & industrial agriculture practices.	 Jimmy Emmons, Sr VP of Climate Smart Programs, 15 min intro Katie Kaney, DrPH, MBA, FACHE (moderator) Erin Martin, President – Fresh Rx Oklahoma Director Dr. Nora Dennis, board-certified physician
4:15 pm to 5:00 pm	Harnessing Data to Transform Food Systems	Metabolic
6:30 p.m 9:00 p.m.* For conference attendees who included dinner in their tickets as well as the general public who purchased tickets	Dinner on W. Broad St. Public Dinner	At Mitchell Community College on Broad Street to Kelly Street in downtown Statesville

Thurs. 28th

Time	Subject	Speakers
8:30 am to 5:00 pm	Registration	
8:30 am to 8:45 am	Welcoming Remarks: Recap the day before & stage set up	
8:45 a.m9:30 a.m.	Talk and Interview	Talk by Greg Bohlen, CEO Union Grove Farm
		Zack Wyatt, President of Carolina Farm Trust, interviews Greg Bohlen
9:30 a.m10:30 a.m.	Presentation: Agriculture Production Systems Modeling Nature	Blake Vince, Farmer
10:15 a.m10:30 a.m.	Break	
10:30 a.m11:30 a.m.	Sourcing and funding organic and regenerative agriculture throughout the world	Richard Lackey, Chairman & CEO World Food Bank
11:30 a.m12:30 p.m.	Break, Networking, and Lunch	
12:30 p.m1:30 p.m.	Urban Farming Panel	 Mariah Henry, Director of Urban Agriculture, Carolina Farm Trust Bernard Singleton, Farmer Leslie VandenHerick, Conservation District Manager, Mecklenburg Soil and Water
1:30 p.m2:00 p.m.	Leopold Conservation Award presentation	
2:00 p.m2:15 p.m.	Break	

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2:13 p.m3:15 p.m.	How The Walton Family Foundation is changing food systems Interview	Emily English, Walton Family Foundation Zack Wyatt interviews Emily English
3:15 p.m4:15 p.m.	The growth of Hickory Nut Gap Interview	Jamie Ager, CEO at Hickory Nut Gap Zack Wyatt interviews Jamie Ager
4:15 p.m5:00 pm	Break	
7:00 p.m10:00 p.m.* For conference attendees who included dinner in their tickets as well as the general public who purchased tickets	Urban Soul on the Farm Dinner: Farm-to-table dinner while experiencing different culinary artistic styles through the lens of local chefs	Dinner will be at Vanhoy Family Campground, Harmony, NC