You Are Invited!

WHO: Farmers, community members, and folks interested in access to locally produced foods and how they can benefit Indiana County.

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<u>WHAT:</u> Discussions on local foods and community livability, group work sessions, and networking that will result in a Community Action Plan. You are welcome to attend both days, or any part of either day, free of charge. We hope to:

- Build collaborative relationships that support increased community access to local, sustainable food.
- Expand community outlets for local producers and their potential for positive impact on Indiana County.
- Help aspiring and current entrepreneurs in developing sustainable agricultural or food-related enterprises.
- Improve walkability and connectivity from surrounding neighborhoods to downtown Indiana.
- Increase the recognition of downtown Indiana as an asset for the community.

<u>WHY:</u> Your knowledge of the local area, agriculture and food/health related interests, and community development is needed to help inform relevant action and make this event a success.

BACKGROUND: This workshop resulted from efforts of the Indiana County Sustainable Economic Development Task Force to support local economic development in multiple, sustainable ways. Leaders with this project secured a technical assistance grant to help us expand access to locally grown food.

<u>RSVP</u>: Please RSVP using this link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LFLPIndianaPA Questions? Call Kay Snyder at 724-422-0526.

October 9 & 10, 2018

Community meeting Tuesday, October 9 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM Refreshments provided Action planning sessions Wednesday, October 10 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM Lunch provided

Location Aging Services 1055 Oak Street Indiana, PA 15701









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