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2ND ANNUAL FOOD SUMMIT- BLUEPRINT FOR THE HARVEST

"A Working Conference to Build a Regional Food System" November 19 – 20, 2010

SUMMIT SCHEDULE*

Day I: Friday, November 19 (12:00PM – 5:00PM)		
Cost: \$30 per day includes lunch with keynote speaker, materials, and workshops		
11:00-4:00	Registration Opens (On-site)	
12:00-12:30	Conference Opening Program	
12:30-2:00	Opening Plenary: Economic Analysis: Influencing A Sustainable Regional Food	
	System	
Track I: Food System Development		
2:00-3:30	Panel Discussion: Designing Community Around The Growing of Food	
3:45-5:00	Next Steps: Designing Community Around the Growing of Food -	
	Small Group Action Planning	
Track II: Home		
2:00-3:00	Edible Landscaping	
3:00-4:00	Alternative Watering Systems	
4:00-5:00	Vermicomposting	
Track III: Business & Community		
2:00-4:00	Planning for a Successful Specialty Farm Business	
4:00-5:00	Records and Analysis: Keys to Success	

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Day II: Saturday, November 20 (8:00AM – 12:00PM)	
Cost: \$30 per day includes breakfast, materials, and workshops	
8:00	Registration Opens (On-Site)
8:00-8:30	Continental Breakfast
8:30	Conference Opening Program
Track I: Food System Development	
9:00-10:00	Communities Putting Prevention to Work, Youth Development + STEM Activities
10:00-11:00	Food Policy Councils, Urban/Rural Food Connection
11:00-12:00	Recycling/Composting/Sourcing & Using Local Grown Food in HyVee
Track II: Home-From Garden to Plate	
9:00-12:00	Plan & Grow Your Own Home Garden
	MCC Bistro Garden, Greenhouse, Patio Garden Tour (on-site)
	Alternative to Growing at Home & Cooking Fresh (Demo)
Track III: Business & Community	
9:00 – 10:00	Value Added Product Development
10:00 –11:00	Entrepreneurship & Capital Development/Financing – USDA & SBA
11:00 – 12:00	Marketing & Distribution
All Sessions: Conference Closing	
12:00	Wrap Up! Announcement-Upcoming Events Thank You & Safe Travels!

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