NOFA-NJ

Bulk Orders - Vermont Compost Company & Seven Springs Farm Supply

Each year, NOFA NJ coordinates group orders of compost, potting soil, and farm supplies to reduce growers' input costs. As NOFA is able to administer, receive, distribute, and cover the initial purchase, Members are able to access price breaks at scale.

Participation is open only to active NOFA NJ Members. Minimum order for Vermont Compost is $250; NOFA NJ is pursuing the Full Truckload 20% discount and hopes to receive delivery in December 2026.

Availability is on a first-come, first-served basis until orders fill a truckload. Place your orders via the links below - direct questions to nofainfo@nofanj.org

Place Seven Springs Order

Sponsor the NOFA NJ Winter Conference!

Get your organization in front of 500 farmers, gardeners, eaters, service providers, and a variety of other food system stakeholders via Winter Conference Sponsorship!



NOFA NJ's Winter Conference Sponsors help us provide Scholarships for Students, Youth, and Community Members short on funds. Sponsors also help us fulfill our commitment to purchasing as much food and beverage from local producers as possible, putting dollars back into our community.

Check out the Sponsorship levels and opportunities and reach out with any questions to Devin@nofanj.org.

Become A Sponsor!

NOFA-NJ EVENTS

11/25 - NO Monthly Organic Open House

Heads up - with the Thanksgiving holiday keeping farmers and families busy, we're skipping the November Monthly Organic Open House and will resume this meeting on December 30!

12/01 - Winter Production Farm Tour at Chickadee Creek Farm

Join farmer Jess Niederer at Chickadee Creek Farm for a tour and discussion of their all-winter greens production. You will see their production space of about an acre of

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12/02 - Monthly Technical Assistance Open Hour

Join NOFA NJ's Technical Assistance Staff on the first Wednesday of each month at 9AM via Zoom for a deep dive into seasonally-appropriate topics. As always, you can email specific support requests ahead of time to TA@nofanj.org. Expect 50% of time to be dedicated to the monthly topic, and 50% of time to address community requests and technical discussion.

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12/09 - Farmers Process Monthly Open House

NOFA NJ's Farmers Process initiative is working to empower farmers with the education, technical support, infrastructure, and collaborative network needed to successfully engage in value-added processing, improving food safety practices while increasing farm profitability and viability.

The second Wednesday of each month, join us via Zoom (or in-person at our commercial kitchen in Milford!) to learn more about our kitchen and current projects and learn about value-added processing with NOFA NJ Staff and expert collaborators.

Email farmersprocess@nofanj.org if you plan to join the Open House in-person so we can arrange to be on-site; please also email ahead with any specific questions you would like answered to give our team time to prepare proper guidance.

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COMMUNITY NEWS/EVENTS

11/24 - OATS Webinar: Advising Farmers Through Organic Transition

can help farmers think through their budget and cash flow going into and coming out of transition, so the farm is in a strong financial position once it's certified. In this episode, we'll learn from an organic ag lender and an organic farmer and advisor who have helped row-crop farmers around the Midwest plan successful transitions.



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12/10 - NJFDC 5th NJ State of the Food System Summit

The 5th NJ State of the Food System Summit will bring together leaders from across New Jersey to identify the infrastructure, investments, policies, and partnerships needed to build a stronger, more resilient food system.



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Don't miss the summit's after party — stay for the Winter Makers' Market & Networking Mixer! Vendors wanted; contact Melanie at fluffyfacefarms@gmail.com to participate.

CATA Receives National Recognition!

CATA's Food Justice Program has been awarded the U.S. Food Sovereignty Alliance (USFSA) Food Sovereignty Prize!

The USFSA created the Food Sovereignty Prize as an explicit alternative to the corporate-led World Food Prize. While the World Food Prize honors technological fixes and corporate agribusiness models that treat food as a commodity, our award honors grassroots power. It challenges top-down models by insisting that solutions must come from local communities, small farmers, and land stewards who build genuine self-determination.

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The Farmworker Support Committee

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Certified Organic Carrots for Sale

Cabbage Throw Farm is seeking buyers for Certified Organic carrots at $2/lb. They are insanely sweet, glowing orange and are just perfect — preferably sold

Winter Housing Sublet Available 2 Bedroom Apartment in Pipersville, PA

$1,800 / month, utilities included December - March Email John Crooke for more details at tinicumcsa@gmail.com

Master Beekeeper Training Scholarships

The Bee Conservancy is offering six (6) scholarships to eCornell's Master Beekeeping Certificate program for the 2027 academic year. These scholarships will be awarded to established beekeepers with a minimum of three (3) years of beekeeping experience whose work with bees advances environmental stewardship, community resilience, and/or food justice.

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Reed's Organic Farm	Field Crew Member
Carversville Farm Foundation	Seasonal Livestock Farmer
Carversville Farm Foundation	Seasonal Vegetable Farmer
Maranatha Farm	Perennial Production Steward
Rolling Harvest Food Rescue	Executive Director

GRANTS & FUNDING

Grants & Funding updates will now be restricted to the monthly Members-Only email - become a Member today to receive this and many other benefits!

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Whole Earth Center
For more than 50 years, Whole Earth has provided Princeton with an unmatched selection of quality organic produce, prepared and packaged foods, environmental friendly household products and cruelty-free natural health and beauty.

A full service grocery and deli, Whole Earth helps to shape local response to regional and national environmental issues. From establishing local pesticide-free lawn care initiatives, canal cleanups, and recycling programs, to raising awareness about critical issues related to food labeling guidelines and organic standards, Whole Earth is environmentalism in action.

Whole Earth supports a wide variety of organizations and initiatives focused on the health of our customers, our communities and our planet. By providing education and funding, we help to foster sustainable organic farming, grow the organic marketplace, and support efforts that positively impact the food industry and empower consumers to make healthy, informed choices.

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