

Dakota Grown

A local foods conference

February 19 and 20

Gladstone Inn - Jamestown

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Register today... don't miss our keynote speaker and these informative workshops

Ken Meter

Crossroads Resource Center

Ken Meter, executive director of Crossroads Resource Center in Minneapolis, had a previous life as an independent journalist covering food and trade issues.

His pioneering work on food systems and the economics of food makes him one of the top food system analysts in the U.S.

His "Finding Food in Farm Country" studies galvanized local foods activity in 45 regions in 20 states, and in one Canadian province. An international leader in sustainability measurement, he directed the public process for the award-winning Minneapolis sustainability plan.

He also specializes in systems work, serving as an associate of Human Systems Dynamics Institute. You can learn more about his work at <http://www.crcworks.org/econ.html>



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WORKSHOPS INCLUDE:

Organic Pest Control - *Ron Smith*

Rural Grocers Initiative - *David Procter*

Square Foot Gardening - *Betsey Smith*

Marketing to Institutions - *Noreen Thomas*

Social Media & You - *Ms Marlo Miller, TrainND*

Volunteerism - Engaging your Community for the long term - *Denis Monplaisir, Medora Foundation*

Post Harvest Handling - *Sam Beattie, ISU Extension*

Permaculture - *Becky Schnabel*

GAP & Record Keeping - *Sam Beattie, ISU Extension*

Marketing in today's economy - *Annie Carlson*

The case for Farm to School - *Sue Balcom and panel*

Agri-tourism in North Dakota - *Sara Otte Coleman, ND Tourism*

\$25 registration fee (meals included)

Pre-register today to reserve your space at the conference.

The general public is encouraged to attend Friday evening's dinner with Ken Meter and the viewing of "Fresh - the movie" exclusive of the conference for \$25 per person.

Everyone is encouraged to attend this part of the event and to stay afterward for the discussion.

SPACE IS LIMITED - so don't delay.

