

Marin Food Policy Council
 March 17, 2020 ~ 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

IN PERSON: [HHS campus](#), Room 110, 3240 Kerner Blvd., San Rafael, CA 94901

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Chair: Liana Orlandi

Recorder: Bonnie Nielsen

Facilitator: Julia Van Soelen Kim

Snacks: No snacks provided as a precaution

Timekeeper: Julia Van Soelen Kim

Clean-up: Julia Van Soelen Kim

| Time | Topic | Presenter/Facilitator |
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| 3:00 p.m. – 3:10 p.m. | Introductions & Announcements | Liana Orlandi |
| 3:10 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. | Council Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update on policy platform, breakout groups, and focus areas for the year Update on membership with CFFN & CAFPC | Julia Van Soelen Kim |
| 3:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. | Policy Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CFFN bill list and voting results Updates and next steps on legislative asks Update on meeting with Mike McGuire CalAIM project: Request endorsement for public comment & discuss opportunities for engagement CalFresh policy updates | Steve Schwartz Cathryn Couch Marchon Tatmon |
| 3:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. | Mapping our Network <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Share survey results and discussion | Wendy Tobiasson |
| 4:00 p.m. - 4:55 p.m. | Roundtable Discussion: Impact of Corona Virus on Emergency Food Programs, Food Insecurity, and Older Adults in Marin Invited speakers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Adriana Rabkin, Marin VOAD (Volunteer Organizations Active in Disaster) Coordinator - Linda Jackson, Aging Action Initiative - Cathryn Couch, CERES Community Project - <i>Everyone welcome & encouraged to share!</i> | Julia Van Soelen Kim |
| 5:00 p.m. | Closing | Liana Orlandi |

Please continue conversations outside!

Meetings are held on the 3rd Tuesday of every month from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

2020 Dates: Jan 21 • Feb 18 • March 17 • April 21 • May 19 • June 16 • July 21 • Aug 18 • Sept 15 • Oct 20 • Nov 17 • No Meeting in Dec

2019 Themes:

- Climate Change and the Food System
- The Local Food Supply Chain
- Older Adults

2020 Themes: TBD

| JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEP | OCT | NOV | DEC |
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| Synthesis & Planning | | | | | | | | | | | No Meeting |
| <i>Older Adults Thread Throughout</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <i>Policy Thread Throughout</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |

For more information:

Web: ucanr.edu/MFPC

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To be added to our e-list or recommend an agenda item for consideration, contact:

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Mission: The Marin Food Policy Council (MFPC) was founded to address issues connected to food production, access, distribution, and nutritional health, affecting the county's 248,794 residents. The Council serves a unique purpose that is not duplicated by any other body in Marin, bringing together the local food system stakeholders in a roundtable format that allows for information exchange, resource identification, and prioritization of needs. It examines the health, sustainability, and quality of life of Marin residents through the lens of community food security, and develops targeted policies and practical solutions based on a systems approach to solving food access issues. The Council works to provide a cooperative framework for action that addresses food policy issues and assists residents in increasing understanding of their food system. Food policy development is a systemic approach to the cultivation of a sustainable and equitable food system. It fosters policies that shorten the distance from farm to table while benefiting the land, economy, and well-being of all residents.