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Farming at Metro's Edge: Sustaining Agriculture in Frederick and Montgomery

A conference to be held in cooperation with farmers, consumers, citizen advocates, government agencies and other interested parties to realize the future of a healthy, truly local and sustainable agricultural industry.

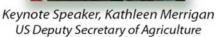
Friday, January 11, and Saturday, January 12, 2013 At The Universities of Shady Grove 9630 Gudelsky Drive, Rockville, MD 20850

- What does the future hold for farming and the health of our local food system in Maryland's Montgomery and Frederick Counties?
- As the growth pressures increase, will Montgomery's nationally recognized Agricultural Reserve and Frederick's productive farm belt continue to exist as a working landscape?
- For two days in January, consumers, farmers, experts, advocates, businesses and policy makers will come
 together for important, lively discussion aimed at a developing an collaborative and innovative "green
 print" for the future of food in the D.C. region.
- Don't miss your chance to make a real difference in our region's quality of life! Be part of the solution. Register Today!



For more information and to register for the conference, please visit

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