



**New Hampshire Farm and Forest Exposition**

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**Press Release**

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**NH FARMERS MARKET ASSOCIATION TO OFFER VENDOR WORKSHOP AT NH FARM & FOREST EXPO**

CONCORD, NH — The New Hampshire Farmers Market Association, in partnership with NH Made, will offer six workshops designed to help local farmers and other vendors improve business opportunities from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, February 6 at the NH Farm and Forest Exposition at Manchester’s Radisson Hotel/Center of NH.

The day’s schedule includes:

- 9 a.m. NHFMA Winter Meeting
- 9:30 a.m. NH Made Opportunities: Ann Vennard, NH Made
- 10 a.m. WIC FMNP Annual Report: Laurie Desmarais and Elizabeth Biron, NHDHHS
- 11 a.m. The Homestead License: Roy Ann Bossidy, NHDHHS
- 1 p.m. Risk Management for Vendors at Farmers Markets: Mike Sciabarrasi, UNHCE
- 2 p.m. Insurance for Farmers Markets and Vendors: Dick White, Clyde B. Foss Agency
- 3 p.m. Food Safety for Food Entrepreneurs: Alice Mullen, UNHCE

While education sessions at the Expo are free, admission to the Expo Exhibit Hall is \$7 for adults and children 15 and under is free.

The New Hampshire Farm & Forest Exposition provides information and education on all aspects of agriculture and forestry. Each year, the Expo brings the state’s farming and forestry communities together to share ideas and views on industry needs, while providing a fun and interesting venue for the public to learn about these industries and their impact on life in New Hampshire.

The New Hampshire Farm & Forest Exposition is presented by the University of New Hampshire Cooperative Extension, the NH Division of Forests & Lands and the NH Department of Agriculture, Markets & Food.

For further information on exhibits and educational sessions offered during the Expo, please visit the Expo website at [www.nhfarmandforestexpo.org](http://www.nhfarmandforestexpo.org) or call (603)271-3788.

