

Marin Food Policy Council

Meeting Agenda

3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

January 15, 2019

****NOTE LOCATION CHANGE****

SF-Marín Food Bank

2550 Kerner Blvd., San Rafael, CA 94901

Co-chairs: Alexandra Danino & Lori Davis

Recorder: Bonnie Nielsen

Facilitator: Julia Van Soelen Kim

Snacks: Bonnie Nielsen

Timekeeper: Lauren Klein

Clean-up: Julia Van Soelen Kim

Time	Topic	Presenter/Facilitator
3:05 p.m.	Introductions & Announcements (<2 min each)	Alexandra Danino & Lori Davis
3:15 p.m. – 3:25 p.m.	New member presentations <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Felicia Chavez, others	Alexandra Danino
3:25 p.m.	Council Business <ul style="list-style-type: none">• End of year reflection and evaluation - 2018eval	Julia Van Soelen Kim
4:25 p.m.	CA Food Policy Council Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Letter of Support for Marin County Board of Supervisors to cover charitable feeding operations' state-mandated Environmental Health registration fees	Steve Schwartz Meg Davidson
4:30 p.m.	Tour of the SF-Marín Food Bank	Alexandra Danino
4:55 p.m.	Closing <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Closing Reading by Richard Levins, PhD	Alexandra Danino & Lori Davis

Please continue conversations outside!

2019 Meeting Dates:

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

January 15 • February 19 • March 19 • April 16 • May 21 • June 18 • July 16 •

August 20 • September 17 • October 15 • November 19 ****Note: this is the week of Thanksgiving**

Marin Food Policy Council is focusing on the following themes:**2018 Topics**

- Older Adults Healthy Eating and Active Living (HEAL)
 - Farm to School
 - Urban agriculture
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For more information:

Web: <http://ucanr.edu/sites/MarinFoodPolicyCouncil/>

Membership application: ucanr.edu/MFPCapplication

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.