



It Takes A Village

Strategies to Support Your
Food Service Partners

Who We Are

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Agenda



Introductions



Intro to
F2SPC



Support Panel
Discussion



How it All
Applies to You



Closing
Questions and
Remarks

What is Farm to School?

Teach :: Education

PreK-12 education in agriculture, food, health and nutrition, and more.

Grow :: School gardens

Kids growing food on school grounds.

Eat :: Procurement

Local foods are purchased, promoted and served in schools.



Milestones to Date



- K-12 curriculum integration
- Educational gardens, greenhouses, downtown Farm developed in Livingston
- 40% local food procurement
- Countywide expansion

Panel with Michele and Carole!

How it all applies to you...

It Takes a Village! Matrix - F2SPC Examples

| Partner Type | Financial | In-Kind Goods and Services | F2SPC Examples |
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| Government | USDA, state, OPI grants | Grant-writing support Land use Time and expertise Political advocacy | Health Dept, Local FoodCorps partnership MT Fish, Wildlife & Parks; OPI |
| Schools | Inter Agency Agreements, Fee-for-Service Contracts, General Funds, ESSR III | Food donations Land use Time and Expertise Classroom time and space Facilities use Utilities | Teachers, Students Foodservice Staff Universities After-school /Enrichment programs School Board & Administrators |
| Food Producers | Forward-contracts, Event sponsorship, Discounted pricing | Food and products Advertising trades Rancher/Farmer classroom visits and Farm field trips | Felton Angus Ranch |

Questions/ Comments

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