



Did you know? More and more people are looking for and appreciating great local food! Improving access to local food through Farmers Markets, CSA's (Community Supported Agriculture) and Farm Stands is *essential* to this cause.

There is comfort in knowing where your food comes from. Now is the time to take an active roll in protecting the future of our food all the while supporting your local farms and farming!!

Through our Local Food Guide, support for local Farmers Markets, our web page and various other educational and fun activities, Northern Tier Buy Fresh Buy Local wants to continue to improve access to great local food, but we need your support in doing so. This

month we are kicking off our **2009-10** membership drive across the region. We are asking you to join or renew your membership in the **Northern Tier Buy Fresh Buy Local Chapter**. Below you will find a Supporter Membership form with various categories and benefits. We ask you to fill it out, enclose a check at whatever membership level you feel is right for you and become an advocate for local foods. By joining, you become a part of the network of people who care about where food comes from and how it is produced.

Thank you in advance for your continued interest and support.

SUPPORTER MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES AND BENEFITS

Friend of Local Food & Farming @ \$20

- get 6 note cards, Northern Tier Bumper Sticker and the knowledge that you are supporting local farms.

Vocal Supporter of Food and Farms @ \$50

- get 6 note cards, Northern Tier Bumper Sticker and a canvas Northern Tier BFBL Tote Bag

True Blue Local Foodie @ \$75

- get 6 notecards, Northern Tier Bumper Sticker, a Northern Tier Mug and a canvas tote bag to carry your farmers market purchases home (your choice of Northern Tier BFBL or Proud Supporter Bag).

PA Northern Tier BFBL Sponsor @ \$250

-get 6 notecards, Northern Tier Bumper Sticker, a Northern Tier Mug, a colorful Food Routes Poster for your office or business, and a Canvas Tote bag (your choice of Northern Tier BFBL or Proud Supporter Bag). In addition, your name will be listed in all local and regional publicity, and on our website, as a proud Sponsor.

PA Northern Tier Local Hero @ \$500

- get 6 notecards, a Northern Tier Bumper Sticker, 2 mugs, a colorful Food Routes Poster for your office or business and a 3'x 3' BFBL Northern Tier Vinyl Banner. Your name will be listed in all local and regional publicity, and on our website, as a proud Sponsor. In addition, you will receive a gift certificate for a special meal at a Buy Fresh, Buy Local member restaurant featuring local foods.

Northern Tier Buy Fresh Buy Local – Supporter Registration

Contact: _____

Business Name (if applicable): _____

Address: _____

Town: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ County: _____

E-mail: _____

Membership Level (circle one and enclose check to NTCA) \$20 \$50 \$75 \$250 \$500

Return to: Northern Tier Cultural Alliance-BFBL, One Washington Street, Towanda, PA 18848