

# Ohio & West Virginia Food Hub Network Meeting: Growing Growers



Wednesday

**MARCH 14, 2018**

9:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Nationwide and Ohio Farm Bureau 4-H Center  
Eastman Room  
2201 Fred Taylor Drive, Columbus, OH 43210

*\$15 Registration Fee*

***Registration extended!***

***Register by Monday, March 12***



- 9:30 a.m. Registration
- 9:45 a.m. Growing New and Beginning Farmers: OEFFA's Begin Farming Program  
Kelly Henderson, Begin Farming Coordinator, OEFFA
- 10:45 a.m. Aquaculture Bootcamp: Creating a Training Program for New Farmers  
Matt Smith, Aquaculture Specialist, OSU Extension
- 11:30 a.m. Facilitated Networking and Lunch
- 12:30 p.m. Sprouting Farms Appalachian Craft and Training Center  
Fritz Boettner, Downstream Strategies and Sprouting Farms Team Member
- 1:30 p.m. Financing and Business Planning: What you should know to help food hub  
growers, Farm Credit Mid America Growing Forward and Programs for New  
and Beginning Farmers
- 2:30 p.m. Adjourn

**To register for this meeting, please visit:  
[go.osu.edu/OhioAndWestVirginiaFoodHubSpringMeeting2018](http://go.osu.edu/OhioAndWestVirginiaFoodHubSpringMeeting2018)**

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