

MEDIA ADVISORY

For TONIGHT, Tuesday, March 6, 5:15 p.m.

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Tonight at the Flower Show: Town Hall Addresses the Importance of the Farm Bill for Greater Philadelphia

Join Local Leaders for a Discussion on Preventing Hunger, Bringing Fresh Foods to Communities Lacking Access, And Adding Vibrancy and Diversity to the Local Food System

WHEN: Tuesday, March 6
5:15-7 p.m.

[FREE: click here to register](#)

WHERE: Pennsylvania Convention Center
12th & Arch Streets
Room 103
Philadelphia, PA 19107

WHAT: The Farm Bill is the primary agricultural and food policy tool of the United States federal government and touches the daily lives of all Americans. It impacts the environment, public health, access to healthy food, local economies and much more.

With the next Farm Bill underway, The Food Trust and partners are hosting the **[Philadelphia & The Farm Bill Town Hall](#)**, a discussion on why this legislation matters so much to the Philadelphia region and how Congress can and should craft a transformative and equitable Farm Bill that works for us all.

Philadelphia and the Farm Bill Town Hall is a **[free ticketed event](#)** brought to you by a host of organizations as a part of the 2018 Philadelphia Flower Show. The evening will feature perspectives on from the **[Greater Philadelphia Coalition Against Hunger, Soil Generation, Penn Environment, Fresh Grocer, The Food Trust](#)** and more.

About The Food Trust

The Food Trust, a nonprofit founded in 1992, strives to make healthy food available to all. Working with neighborhoods, schools, grocers, farmers and policymakers, The Food Trust has developed a comprehensive approach that combines nutrition education and greater availability of affordable, healthy food. To learn more about The Food Trust, visit www.thefoodtrust.org.

