

Healthy Waltham presents Healthy Food Access Forum

Healthy Waltham will present a Healthy Food Access Forum on Wednesday, Oct. 22, from 6 to 8:30 p.m., in the Lecture Hall at the Waltham Public Library, 735 Main St..

Brian Donahue, associate professor of environmental studies at Brandeis University and co-author of "A New England Food Vision," will speak on a vision for New England food production including rights to food, healthy eating, sustainability and community vitality.

The group will also hear from a panel of local specialists who serve the Waltham community – Duck Caldwell, Boston Area

Gleaners; Ali Kaufman, Jewish Family & Children's Service; and Claire Kozower, Waltham Fields Community Farm – who will address food production and food security issues related to the area.

This forum is free and open to the public, and part of Food Day 2014, a national celebration of healthy food. Since seating is limited, RSVP is encouraged via email to info@healthy-waltham.org. Check Healthy Waltham's website for more information at www.healthy-waltham.org. Find out more about Food Day 2014 at www.foodday.org.