Introducing Buyers to New American Farmers

The UVM Extension New American Farmer program collaborates with the Association of Africans Living in Vermont’s New Farms for New Americans program.

We have launched a one-year project to see if we can help Vermont farmers and buyers to come together. We’ll provide facilitation, interpreters, and training for farmers to overcome challenges with production and marketing, in addition to helping buyers navigate questions on how to get what they need and work best with new American growers.

Contact Ben Waterman, New American Farmer program coordinator, at (802) 656-9142 or ben.waterman@uvm.edu for more information or to take a 5-minute survey. We want to talk with you at a time that is best for you. Thank you!
Introducing Chefs and Buyers to New American Farmers

We’re seeking chefs and local buyers who are interested in:

- new and familiar ingredients that have great flavor and are high quality.
- the chance to provide their customers with food that has a special cultural story and legacy.
- supporting these experienced, knowledgeable farmers as they learn the local Vermont market’s needs and opportunities.

UVM Extension helps individuals and communities put research-based knowledge to work.

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