

## **Farmer Grant March Gathering**

Farm and Conservation Land for Black, Indigenous & People of Color Self  
Determination/Sovereignty in Rural MA.

AGENDA March \_\_\_\_ 2022 9am to 3pm

Location: Farm School or Quabin Co-op?

Spaces of Comfort: music playlist, essential oils, sage, teas, food, snacks, yoga mats, hand creams, yoga mats, pillows/blocks, rugs, comfy chairs, tables, coffee and juice

Spaces of Grounding and land connection: corn to process, sap tasting/maple syrup tasting, seeding, soil blocks, walks outside

Acknowledging the land and the Indigenous lands we are on:

Creating grounding agreements for how are to be together

Origin stories: what brought us to working with land and interest in BIPOC land access in Central MA

Libations: Acknowledging those that came before, folx that influence us

Music mix and mingle

Musical break, snacks, treats, self care, seed galaxies

Hand High Five Game

Visioning exercise

Establishing goals

Establishing values North Star process

Developing a shared language, vocabulary and analysis of Race and.....

Setting up next series of group and independent work to: deepen historical understanding of BIPOC culturally specific ways of being with land.

Gratitudes

Closing: music, exchanging numbers and contact info, movement, clean up, resetting the space