



APRIL 19TH, 2019

WHAT TO KNOW BEFORE YOU GROW HEMP

Soil & Water Quality, Agronomics, Nutrient Management, Market Access, State Regulations, & Contract Advice

Interested in learning more about the basics of growing hemp in Vermont? Join the Orleans County Natural Resources Conservation District and representatives from NRCS, UVM, Northeast Kingdom Hemp, VAAFM, Vermont Cannabis Solutions & a local farmer panel to discuss growing hemp, from field planning to market access.

Workshop details:

12:30: The Planning Process – Where to grow, soil type, water quality considerations, applicable NRCS conservation practices - *Nick Comerci (NRCS)*

1:15: Seed to Harvest – Where to obtain seed, fertility & irrigation, cultural practices, pest management & common diseases – *Heather Darby (UVM Extension)*

2:00: Post-Harvest & Processing – A general overview of processing & market access – *Karen Devereux (NEK Hemp)*

2:30: Farmer Panel – *presenters TBD*

3:30: State Permitting – *Stephanie Smith (VAAFM)*

3:45: How to Protect Yourself as a Contracted Grower – *Andrew Subin, Attorney at Law (Vermont Cannabis Solutions)*

4:00: Questions & discussion

RSVP REQUIRED 802-334-6090 x 7008 or emily.irwin@vt.nacdnet.net

Friday April 19th
12:30 – 4:30 pm
FREE

LOCATION MOVED!
American Legion
Post #21

35 Veterans Ave,
Newport

Open to everyone
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