



# Northern Tier Chapter of Buy Fresh, Buy Local

Our mission is to make it easier for consumers to find, choose and appreciate great local foods while supporting the farmers and lands that produce them. We do this by expanding market venues for local farmers, education of buying local, and promoting local farmers, producers, and businesses .

The Northern Tier Buy Fresh, Buy Local Program is under the umbrella of the Pennsylvania Association for Sustainable Agriculture (PASA) and national partner, the FoodRoutes Network. The Northern Tier Chapter includes Bradford, Potter, Susquehanna, Sullivan, Tioga and Wyoming County.

The Northern Tier Chapter was formed in 2007 and is one of 9 chapters in Pennsylvania. The Endless Mountains Heritage Region serves as the coordinator and sponsor of the program. The chapter continues to run booth displays at local festivals, education fairs, and other events. The program relies on memberships and supporters to fund the program.

### Partnership Benefits:

- ◆ Use of the Buy Fresh, Buy Local logo and images for advertisement and signage.
- ◆ Listings on chapter website and Facebook page.
- ◆ Use of EMHR’s website and Facebook page to promote your farm or business and list upcoming events.
- ◆ Networking assistance with local restaurants , farmers and markets.
- ◆ Opportunities to participate in BFBL events.
- ◆ Ability to create a business profile on the BuyLocalPA website.
- ◆ Promotion at local fairs, festivals, Ag. Days, and other events.
- ◆ Waived vendor fee at Taste of the Endless Mountains Events.



## 2016 Memberships

All membership and supporters are a 1 year term for the Northern Tier Buy Fresh, Buy Local Program

### FARM/ BUSINESS MEMBERSHIP

Farmer/Grower	\$50.00
Farm Market	\$50.00
Business	\$50.00

### LOCAL SUPPORTER

Friend of Local Food	\$20.00
Vocal Local	\$100.00
Local Food Hero	\$500.00

Please complete the attached membership or supporter form.