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We are schools, hospitals, colleges and universities, assisted living centers, correctional institutions, corporate campuses, event venues and foodservice operators of all kinds, working together to build healthier, more resilient communities by sourcing and serving good food from within our regions.

We meet regularly to share ideas, visit producers, train staff, and solve problems. We create opportunities and frameworks to facilitate purchasing from the many, not just the few, and prioritize producers working to responsibly steward land, water and other vital natural and human resources.

We know that sourcing well starts with knowing what's in season in our area and building our menus to showcase what local farmers, ranchers and fishermen have available.

We celebrate all that the Pacific Northwest has to offer, and seek to bring the bounty of our farms, ranches, rivers and ocean to diners of all socioeconomic strata and cultural identity.

We are innovators. We are partners. We run successful businesses. We know that by working together we can make good food affordable at our scale. *We are the NW Food Buyers' Alliance.*

NW Food Buyers' Alliance is coordinated and supported by a coalition of organizations, including Ecotrust, Healthcare Without Harm, the Oregon Department of Agriculture, and Oregon Tilth. Donations from generous individuals, foundations, and companies fund our projects.

Eat the season.
Eat the place.



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