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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

October 20-22, "Bioneers 2000: Revolution from the Heart of Nature" will be held in San Rafael, CA; contact Bioneers Conference, 901 W. San Mateo Rd., Suite L, Santa Fe, NM 87505; call toll-free, 1-877-246-6337, or (505) 986-0366; e-mail, chisf@bioneers.org; on the Internet, www.bioneers.org.

November 3, "Genetically Modified Food: Risks, Rewards, and Realities" will be held in Madison, WI; contact Michael Goodman, Conference Director, Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters, 1922 University Ave., Madison, WI 53705-4099; (608) 263-1692; on the Internet, www.wisconsinacademy.org.

**November 3-4,** 8th National Small Farm Trade Show and Conference will be held in Columbia, MO; contact Small Farm Today, 1-800-633-2535.

November 3-5, "Sustainability, Rooted in Diversity," the Carolina Farm Stewardship Association's 15th Annual Sustainable Agriculture Conference, will be held in Wilmington, NC; contact CFSA, P.O. Box 448, Pittsboro, NC 27312; (919) 541-2402; e-mail, cfsa@car olinafarmstewards.org.

November 9-10, "Land, People and Profits: Integrating Agriculture, Communities and Economic Development," sponsored by the Northeast Training and Support Network for Agricultural Development, will be held in Albany, NY; contact Kathy Ruhf, Northeast Sustainable Agri-

culture Working Group, (413) 323-4531; e-mail, nesawg@smallfarm.org; or Roger Clapp, e-mail, rclapp@together.net.

November 17-19, "Healthy Farms—Healthy Communities: Ingredients for Success," the 16th Annual California Farm Conference, will be held in Santa Rosa, CA; contact California Farm Conference, (530) 888-9206; e-mail, fullcir cle@jps.net; on the Internet, www.Califor niaFarmConference.com.

November 17-26, "Cuba: Sustainable Agriculture," a Global Exchange Reality Tour, will take place in Cuba; contact Global Exchange, 2017 Mission #303, San Francisco, CA 94110; (415) 255-7296; e-mail, janet@globalexchange.org.

November 30-December 1, "The Future of Our Food and Farms," a regional summit for Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, and Delaware, will be held in Philadelphia, PA; contact Meredith Stone, Farmers' Market Trust, 1201 Chestnut St., 4th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19107; (215) 568-0830; e-mail, fmtrust@libertynet. org.

December 5-8, First National Conference on Grazing Lands will be held in Las Vegas, NV; contact John Peterson, NCGL Program Manager, 9304 Lundy Court, Burke, VA 22015-3431; (703) 455-4387/6886; e-mail, jwpeterson@erols.com; or Monti Golla, NCGL Administrative Assistant, 101 S. Main St., Temple, TX

76501; (254) 742-9947; e-mail, Monti. Golla@tx.usda.gov.

December 7-9, "Blueprint for Eco-Farming," the 26th Annual Acres USA Conference, will be held in Minneapolis, MN; contact Acres USA, 1-800-355-5313; e-mail, info@acresusa.com; on the Internet, www.acresusa.com.

January 24-27, 2001, 21st Annual Ecological Farming Conference will be held in Pacific Grove, CA; contact Ecological Farming Association, 406 Main St., #313, Watsonville, CA 95076; (831) 763-2111; on the Internet, www.eco-farm.org.

February 5-7, 2001, "Growing Your Profits," the New York State Farmers' Direct Marketing Conference, will be held in Owego, NY; contact Ben Vitale, NYS Farmers' Direct Marketing Association, (315) 422-8647.

May 17-19, 2001, "All Things Organic," the Organic Trade Association's Conference and Trade Show, will be held in Austin, TX; contact OTA, 74 Fairview St., P.O. Box 547, Greenfield, MA 01302; (413) 774-7511; e-mail, info@ota.com; on the Internet, www.ota.com.

July 12-14, 2001, "Higher Education and Research for Agriculture and Food Systems in the 21st Century" will be held in San Francisco, CA; contact Global Consortium of Higher Education and Research for Agriculture, e-mail, GCHERA@iasta te.edu; on the Internet, www.gchera.iasta te.edu.