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Brant County - March 21, 2013 – 10:00am-4:30pm **Langford Community Centre**, 1694 Colborne St East, Brantford

Finance, Farms and Food

Exploring new ways to organize and raise money for sustainable food system projects

\$25 + HST registration fee (lunch & refreshments are included)

Draft Program

9:30 am Registration / coffee-tea

10:00 am **Welcome** – Rural Ontario Institute and Langford Conservancy

10:30 am Key Concepts/Principles – Presentations

What is social enterprise and social finance...demystifying the lingo

Jennifer Girvin – Rural Social Enterprise Constellation Joanna Reynolds – MaRS Social Impact Investing

Hannah Renglich – Local Organic Food Co-ops Network, Ontario Natural Food Co-op

Shona Fulcher – Community Bonds, Centre for Social Innovation

Sally Miller – FarmStart research project on models for financing access to farmland **LUNCH** – Tabletop displays, networking, update on SustainOntario May conference

1:30 pm **Project examples ... innovations in the field...**

Hannah Renglich – Local Organic Food Co-ops Network, Ontario Natural Food Co-op

John Richmond, West End Food Coop

Graham and Emma Cubitt, founding members of Mustard Seed Co-op Hamilton

Bob Barnett, Exec. Director, Escarpment Biosphere Conservancy and Ella Haley, Langford Conservancy

BREAK

3:00 pm Small table group discussions...

4:00 pm Wrap Up



This event is presented by the:

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