

# *DuPage Food Security Council*

**Building food systems that are  
accessible, affordable, sustainable  
and health promoting  
across all cultures and economic levels**



# Who should be involved?

- **Community members**
- **Farmers and agricultural organizations**
- **Schools, colleges and universities**
- **Emergency food providers**
- **Retail organizations**
- **Public health officials**

# *Subgroup Activities*

## **Defining Parameters**

- Developing community measures that assess healthy food systems

## **Community Training**

- Nutrition education and resource training

## **Grower Connections**

- Strengthen connections with local growers and community agriculture initiatives

# *Today's meeting*

- ✓ **New DuPage Health Department 2018 priorities**

Sarah Troll – Population Health Coordinator

- ✓ **Advocates for Urban Agriculture**

Laura Calvert – Executive Director

- ✓ **Connecting Growers to Institutional Buyers**

Diane Chapeta – Farm to School Programs,  
Seven Generations Ahead

# *Group Discussions*

- 1. What could urban agriculture look like in your community?**
  
- 2. What institutional buyers could be connected to growers in your community?**