

WASH STATION & FOOD SAFETY WORKSHOP

Where: FreeBird Farm

 497 Mckinley Rd, Palatine Bridge, NY 13428

When: Monday July **27th**

- · 10:00am 2:00pm
- Lunch is included

Cost: Only \$10.00 if enrolled in program

*\$15.00 if not enrolled

Please join the Eastern New York Commercial Vegetable Program and Robert Hadad from the Cornell Vegetable Program to learn about the process of designing, building, and operating a small-scale, post-harvest handling system. This workshop focuses in proper washing and handling practices, as well as food safety. The wash system we will examine is designed to work best for new and small growers. The workshop will start with a discussion and hands-on demonstration about designing and setting up your wash line, tables, and packing shed. In addition, we will cover standard operating practices and a range of methods for washing produce. We will also discuss dunking, spraying, and aerating along with using organic sanitizers. The session will finish with an examination of clean-up procedures and post-harvest handling considerations.



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If you would like to build or upgrade your wash lines and post harvest handling techniques to produce a safer and longer lasting product, then this workshop is for you!

To enroll: please call Marcie Vohnoutka at (518-272-4210) or visit www.enych.cce.cornell.edu