GRAZING & CONSERVATION ON MARTHA'S VINEYARD

CONVERSATIONS CONCERNING FOOD AND OPEN LAND

MARCH 13 AT 6:30PM FREE EVENT AT THE AG, HALL

An evening of 15 minute presentations and discussions including:

The History and Challenge of New England Agriculture and a Vision for the Future

Brian Donahue, Professor of American Environmental Studies at Brandeis University and lead author of *A New* England Food Vision

Open Lands on Martha's Vineyard, Opportunities for Nature and Society

David R. Foster, Director of the Harvard Forest, Harvard University and author of A Meeting of Land and Sea. Nature and the Future of Martha's Vineyard

Farming and Nature, Looking at it from Both Sides

Conrad Vispo, Director, Farmscape Ecology Program at Hawthorne Valley Farm, NY and author of *The Nature* of the Place. A History of Living with the Land in Columbia County, NY

Grazing and Conservation, Making it Work on the Vineyard

Jon Previant, General Manager, The Farm Institute of The Trustees of Reservations Matthew Dix, Conservation Lands Foreman, Martha's Vineyard Land Bank Commission Chris Neill, Senior Ecologist, Woods Hole Research Center

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