

Education for municipalities about indigenous and local foodways

What this project will do

- Design and host a municipally-focused workshop series on indigenous foodways to educate municipal decision-makers about the benefits of hyper local food production.

Task being implemented from the MA Farmland Action Plan

- Action II.A.1 – Assess all existing, publicly held land for its suitability for agriculture and make more of it available for agriculture.
- Task 1395 – Educate city and town decision-makers about the benefits of hyper local food production and its connection with climate change and food access. Include information about tools to encourage it, including community gardens and land licensing.

Implementing partners and contact

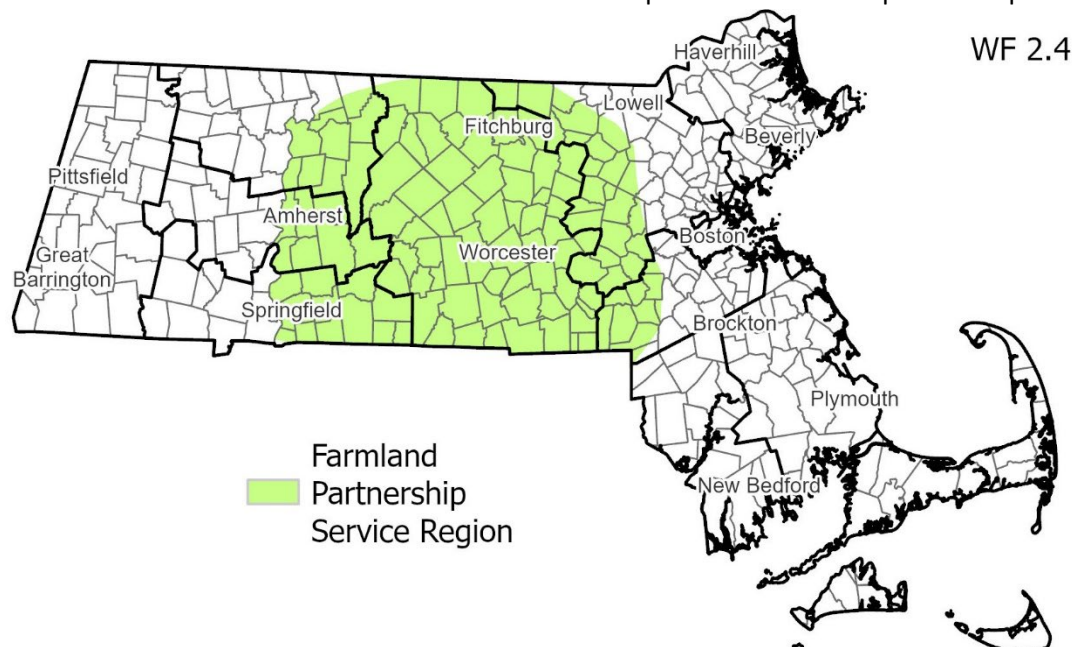
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Learn more

- Visit the [MDAR hosted FPP Project webpage](#)

Geographic area

This project serves traditional Nipmuc homelands within Massachusetts, as shown in the map on the right. The area is east of the Connecticut River, including parts of Hampden, Hampshire, Franklin, Worcester, Middlesex and Norfolk counties. It follows the service area for the Nipmuc Indian Development Corporation.



Project implementing Goal II of the MFAP: Increase access to farmland



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