

USDA FSIS OOEET
RED MEAT MOBILE SLAUGHTER UNIT INFORMATION SESSION
Washington County Agricultural Education Center
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June 24, 2010

- 9:00 a.m. Registration/Check In
- 10:00 a.m. Welcome
- 10:05 a.m. **USDA “Know Your Farmer, Know Your Food” Initiative**
Cheryl Cook, Deputy Under Secretary
USDA Rural Development
- 10:30 a.m. **Applying for a Federal Grant of Inspection**

Dr. Tazmin Nawaz, FLS and Dr. Brooke Henderson, DVMS
USDA FSIS Office of Field Operations – Beltsville, MD
- 11:15 a.m. **Regulatory Considerations Unique to Red Meat Mobile Slaughter Units**

Dr. Denise Amann, Staff Officer and Dr. Greg Sherman, Staff Officer
USDA FSIS Office of Outreach, Employee Education and Training
State Outreach and Technical Assistance Staff
- 12:15 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. **Marketing Your Grass Fed Beef Product**

Ginger Myers, Regional Marketing Specialist
Maryland Cooperative Extension, University of Maryland
- 2:00 p.m. **USDA National Organic Program**

Shannon Nally, Agriculture Marketing Specialist
USDA Agriculture Marketing Service, Standards Department
- 2:30 p.m. **Federal Grant and Loan Options**

Brad King
USDA Rural Development – Hagerstown, MD
- 3:00 p.m. Wrap-up