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Food Rescue Workshop Releases Full Agenda

Davenport, IA – The Quad Cities' Food Rescue Partnership is excited to announce the full agenda for the free Food Rescue Workshop on September 29, 2022 in Davenport, IA.

The workshop agenda features speakers that will cover how food waste and reduction trends have changed during the COVID pandemic and teach attendees how to compost at home. The keynote speaker, Colleen Doak, from St. Ambrose University will showcase a model for a personalized, healthy, food pantry service based on a collaborative project with Community Action of Eastern Iowa in Davenport.

"The Food Rescue Workshop will explain how wasted food is wasted money and provide effective strategies to keep food a valuable resource for professional food establishments and at home," explains Christina McDonough, Board Chair.

For the second time, the Food Rescue Partnership event will announce the Quad Cities Food Rescue Warrior and Member of the Year. Nominations are open for local citizens to be recognized for their food rescue efforts until Friday, September 23.

The workshop will take place at St. Ambrose University in Davenport on September 29, 2022 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. There is no cost to attend, and the workshop hopes to draw community members and professional food establishments. Registration, nomination form for Food Rescue Warrior, and more information is at foodrescueqc.org.

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About the Food Rescue Partnership

Established in 2013, Food Rescue Partnership is a community-led coalition with a vision to make the Quad Cities a community dedicated to eliminating food waste, by promoting to rescue food for its best possible use. Through collaborative efforts, Food Rescue Partnership has diverted over 53,710 pounds of food from the landfill by connecting professional food establishments and one-time event coordinators to donate access edible food to local non-profit hunger-relief agencies or compost operations. For additional information, please visit foodrescueqc.org.