

YOU ARE INVITED TO THE
Founding Members Meeting

of
Biochar Northeast, inc.

not-for-profit association to study, advocate and use biochar in environmental management

and the

Northeast Biochar Research Consortium

collaboration of institutions, industry, farmers, foresters & landowners

8pm, Friday, November 13, 2009

Campus Center, UMass Amherst

In our onrushing confrontation with multiple limits
of our planet's Carrying Capacity,
Earth-changing events are moving rapidly,
and this calls for quick collective social action.

We must form organizations to advance this new carbon-negative,
soil-regenerating, species-saving strategy and its technologies.

Therefore, this **Founders' Meeting** will ratify a call to action,
two instruments of organization, and two initial Board of Directors:

Biochar Northeast, inc.

to facilitate & accelerate connections, services, policy & capital

to rapidly disseminate & deploy carbon-negative strategy using biochar as a primary tool

Northeast Biochar Research Consortium

to monitor, evaluate and recommend biochar production technologies,

and biochar use of on soils, crops, animals, foods, farms, forests & watersheds.

- 5pm Social Hour downstairs auditorium lobby
6pm Banquet Dinner upstairs 10th floor dining room
7pm Insight, Inspiration & Awards

The Road Ahead:

**Carbon-Negative Food & Energy
for Northeast Communities**

- 8pm **Founders Meeting** open to all supporters
9pm Meeting Adjourns — Celebration Begins

The Banquet Dinner is \$35, by reservation only, and space is limited
Reserve your seat when you register for the daytime Biochar Symposium:

www.nsm.umass.edu/biochar09/

Anyone can attend the after-dinner Founding Members Meeting
The Dining Room will be opened to all members after dinner

To participate and vote at the Founders Meeting, enroll as a Biochar Northeast member:
complete a short survey and pay a \$25 membership fee

www.carbon-negative.us/membership

To nominate a member to either initial Board of Directors, send email to:

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