

## THE HATTIE CARTHAN COMMUNITY MARKET INVITES YOU TO ATTEND OUR ANNUAL UNLEARNING RACISM COUNCIL

FACILITATOR : FOOD JUSTICE EDUCATOR /URBAN FARMER YONNETTE FLEMING

DATE: FEBRUARY 12<sup>TH</sup> 2012 - 11AM TO 4PM - (drumming 3pm to 4pm)

PLACE: MAGNOLIA TREE AND EARTH CENTER

(677 LAFAYETTE AVENUE BET MARCY & TOMPKINS)

**GG-BEDFORD/NOSTRAND B38 TO MARCY** 

SUGGESTED DONATION: \$5 to offset the cost of healthy food Questions? Hattiecarthancommunitymarket @yahoo.com or 718-638-3566

Our world faces a crisis. People are oppressing and killing each other because of differences in skin color, language, religion and ideologies. Let us speak from the heart about how oppression and racism in particular work in individuals and institutional systems. We will discuss how racism operates in our food system. Come prepared to speak about limited food choices in low income communities versus more affluent communities, the dwindling number of black farmers in the U.S, the high level of stress that people of color face in their everyday existence. We will get clear on commonly used terms i.e cultural appropriation, spatial racism internalized racism and their meanings and examine how structural racism manifests in our society broadly.WE'LL TALK IT OUT,DRAW IT OUT and DRUM IT OUT! PLEASE BRING NOTEBOOKS, ANCESTRAL TRINKETS, WATER, TISSUES, DRUMS AND SHAKERS.

\*Community council is a traditional method of connecting and exploring individual and systemic issues. In community council people are encouraged to speak from the heart not the intellect. The symbolism of the circle establishes no hierarchy or dominance

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