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# Achieving food resilience in the Dinan metropolitan area

Structure : THE WATCHWOMEN




Dinan Brittany

**We are a group of residents from the Dinan region committed to achieving food resilience in the Dinan metropolitan area amid ecological and social crises.**

## Our goals

To connect aspiring farmers seeking land with those looking to sell their farms.

To inform the general public about the challenges of food self-sufficiency and any other issues related to the climate emergency.

To promote the region’s self-sufficiency and resilience (creation of a farmers’ seed bank).

Advise and advocate with local elected officials to ensure greater consideration of food sovereignty issues.

## RAISING PUBLIC AWARENESS: PROMOTING INFORMATION, AWARENESS, AND CHANGE

- Organizing informational events (screenings, conferences, etc.) and/or festive events (meals, concerts, etc.) focused on food and regional self-sufficiency
- Meetings and screenings in schools, villages, or neighborhoods

- Organizing “nature outings” to raise awareness about ways to protect flora and fauna
- Building and managing a website with sourced and data-driven information on the region’s food self-sufficiency

**CREATING ALTERNATIVES**

- land use and planting of trees and edible plants
- creation of an eco-hub (featuring a community seed bank, a training center for professionals and hobbyists, and a vegetable garden)

**RAISING AWARENESS AMONG ELECTED OFFICIALS**

- Organizing events and meetings
- drafting and distributing advocacy materials
- Exchanges and ongoing communication with mayors
- Active and collaborative search for solutions

## Liens

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