



Teton Talks: Community Food Systems at Work



Justin Stone, Director of Hospitality and Culinary, facilitated a lively discussion at the Teton Library on Tuesday, November 19th, featuring the critical topic of Community Food Systems at Work. Inspired by engagements with Jenny Werlin, University of Idaho Extension Educator and founder of Teton Food Coalition, Justin gathered a number of experts in the field, including

Ethan Page, CWC instructor of local food and agriculture, Robb Sgroi with Teton Conservation District, and Mari Allen Hanna with Slow Food in the Tetons. Topics ranged from community food system basics to the importance of regional foodsheds. The audience engaged deeply and critically, sharing concerns about the sustainability of their own small farms to how to better integrate Wyoming commercial agricultural entities into more local food systems. Teton Talks will take a pause in December and will return on the last Tuesday of each month in 2025.



Jackson Campus Building Update

With the sealed bid deadline of November 20th, CWC received one contractor bid from Dick Anderson Construction. Willie Noseep is working with the architectural and engineering teams to review the bid with the goal of presenting it to the Board of Trustees at the December board meeting. The Owner's Rep RFP deadline is December 2, 2024.

CWC Foundation also received a large \$1M donation for naming a portion of the building which will, for now, be left anonymous. In time, names will be released alongside other donors. For now, we remain focused on fundraising the rest of the necessary funds!