

Westminster's Agricultural Commission Presents
An Additional Installment to the

The 2016 Backyard Growing Series

April 14, 6:00-8:00pm--Free and Open to the Public

Eloranta Room, Forbush Memorial Library, Westminster, MA

If you have backyard flocks of any common domestic birds –
chickens, ducks and/or turkeys
then you **NEED TO KNOW** about this!



Keeping your Backyard Poultry Safe – and healthy in the Age of **HPAI**

Backyard poultry flocks are everywhere – probably you or your neighbors have either chickens or ducks. Have you heard about the **Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza (HPAI)** that is affecting domestic flocks of birds – chickens, ducks and turkeys? It can be deadly to domestic flocks. There are steps you can take to keep your birds healthy and protected – and healthy birds are better for everyone!!

Casey Rogers is the Poultry and Livestock specialist at Fertrell – one of the oldest producers of organic and natural products for your soil and animals in the country. She's also a consultant to the American Pastured Poultry Producers Association (say that fast!) and understands both the benefits and the risks for pastured birds. Backyard flocks are – by their very nature – “pastured or outside” flocks. Come and learn what it takes to keep your birds healthy and productive.

Become proactive about keeping your flocks healthy.

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