

The Vision of the Northland Bioneers Conference is an Earth-honoring Northland community inspired by nature, developing social and economic models rooted in harmony and diversity.

Our Mission is to inspire individuals to utilize natural systems in developing and restoring our communities.

The Northland Bioneers Conference will create a participatory forum for the exchange of ideas, strategies, and innovative responses to environmental challenges. The Conference will broadcast plenary sessions of the National Bioneers Conference, with 15 leading innovators presenting ways of restoring the Earth. The Northland Bioneers Conference will engage participants through interactive workshops, art, entertainment, and an exhibitor fair.

The Northland Bioneers Conference is brought to the five-state region by Northland Sustainable Solutions through the generosity of many contributing organizations and individual donors.





For more information on plenary and local speakers visit www.nbconference.org

Carl Anthony, renowned leader of the environmental justice movement. Spencer B. Beebe, founding president of EcoTrust, www.ecotrust.org Tzepora Berman, transformed buying patterns of major paper and wood consumers. Sarah Crowell, Destiny Arts Center, empowering youth to find their voice through the arts. Maria Elena Durazo, prominent Hispanic labor and immigration reform leader. Lois Marie Gibbs, legendary figure in the grassroots environmental movement. Amy Goodman, producer and host of the acclaimed "Democracy Now" radio program. Paul Hawken, transforming thinker on ecology, economics, culture, and politics. James Hillman, analyst and originator of post-Jungian "archetypal psychology." Thomas Linzey, co-founder of the renowned Community Environmental Legal Defense Fund. Michael Pollan, writer on the intersection of food, agriculture, drugs, and architecture. Sofia Quintero, writer, activist, educator, and

## Northland Bioneers Conference Details

When: October 20-22, 2006 Where: Minneapolis Community and Technical College. MCTC provides a diverse urban environment in the cities beautiful Loring Park. Who: Anyone interested in practical solutions to social and environmental challenges.

comedian of Puerto Rican-Dominican ancestry. **Rachel Naomi Remen, MD**, early pioneer of the mind/body holistic health movement. **Paul Stamets,** leading author in fungal pesticide and bioremediation techniques. **Clayton Thomas-Muller,** activist for indigenous self-determination and environmental advocacy.



Opportunities to support the Northland Bioneers Conference are available NOW! Whether you are interested in attending, promoting, volunteering, contributing, or hosting an informational, we need you!

## Meet the Team

Please join the Northland Bioneers for one of our upcoming meetings. Stay informed about the Northland Bioneers Conference and learn about ways to get involved. See our web site at www.nbconference.org for more details.

You can also support the conference by volunteering before or during the event through committee work or on-site assistance. We work individually with all volunteers to find a good volunteer match for you.

## Host an Informational

Support Northland Bioneers by throwing a party for your individual network of friends, co-workers, or community! Connect us with your friends or neighbors for one to three hours, and we will provide entertainment with Bioneers DVD's and engaging conversation.



For more information on the 2006 Northland Bioneers Conference, visit our web site at: www.nbconference.org, call us at the Bioneers Hotline: 612.247.0781 or email: northlandbioneers@frontiernet.net



