



# Organic Neighborhoods

## FOR HEALTHY CHILDREN, FAMILIES, AND ECOLOGY

The 36th National Pesticide Forum | April 13-14, 2018 | Irvine, California

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### SPEAKER HIGHLIGHTS

**Johnny Gonzales**, ELM (Environmental Land Management) managed goat grazing for invasives and fire mitigation throughout Southern California.

**Scott P. Carroll, PhD**, biologist, Institute for Contemporary Evolution, UC Davis, conservation biology in understanding invasive plant management.

**Tyrone Hayes, PhD**, professor of Integrative Biology at UC Berkeley, and groundbreaking researcher on endocrine disruptors.

**Meg Sears, PhD**, an Ottawa-based scientist, and Chair of Prevent Cancer Now.

**James Neih, PhD**, professor of Biological Sciences at the UC San Diego, focusing on bee communication, cognition, and health, as well as the effects of neonicotinoid pesticides on honey bee behavior.

**Chip Osborne**, president, Osborne Organics, organic turfgrass and landscape expert, successfully implements organic land management nationwide.

**John Bohert and Scott Eldredge**, Eldredge Lumber and Hardware, converting ACE hardware store to organic compatible products.

**Warren Porter, PhD**, professor of Zoology and Environmental Toxicology at the University of Wisconsin Madison (WI), researching pesticides and genetically engineered organisms.

**Rouff Reigart, MD**, professor emeritus of Pediatrics, Medical University of South Carolina, nation's top pediatric expert on pesticides, author of *Recognition and Management of Pesticide Poisoning*.

**Bruce Blumberg, PhD**, professor of Developmental and Cell Biology, UC Irvine's School of Biological Sciences, studying epigenetic pesticide effects.

**Dean Baker, MD, MPH**, former director, Center for Occupational and Environmental Health and Professor of Medicine, Epidemiology, and Public Health, UC Irvine.

**Caroline Cox**, research director, Center for Environmental Health, tracking pesticide science and law.

**Kim Konte**, board member, Non Toxic Irvine, spearheading Irvine ordinance transitioning city to organic land management.

**Jay Feldman**, executive director, Beyond Pesticides, supporting advocacy for federal, state, and local policies and practices.

**City of Irvine officials** transitioning the city to organic land management.

Bringing together science, policy, and advocacy to protect people and the environment with the adoption of resilient organic practices. Defining the pesticide problem and the latest science. Advancing the solution with practical tools for change.

### Topics

Environmental Health  
Organic Land Management  
Pollinator Protection  
Managing Invasives  
Local Action  
Protecting Waterways

### FEATURED SPEAKER



**Carey Gillam**, investigative reporter and author of *Whitewash: The Story of a Weed Killer, Cancer, and the Corruption of Science*. The story of Monsanto and the marketing of glyphosate (Roundup).

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