

# Extending the Growing Season

## Workshop Resources:

[Notes and Outline from Presentation](#)

[Power Point Presentation](#)

## Books:

[Sustainable Vegetable Production from Start-Up to Market, by: Vernon Grubinger. Chapter 13– Season Extension](#)

[The Winter Harvest Handbook, by Eliot Coleman](#)

## What to Grow:

[Fall and Winter Vegetable Gardens– Washington State University](#)

[Virginia Cooperative Extension– Fall Vegetable Gardening](#)

[Good For Overwintering– Johnny's Seeds](#)

## USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service Resources:

### [Community Gardens](#)

This site includes all NRCS handouts from the workshop, including information about extending the growing season using:

- Garden planning and development
- Hoop houses
- Field Tunnels
- Floating Row Cover
- High Tunnels



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## Season Extension Information:

[September Gardening Tips– University of Vermont](#)

[Frost Protection and Extending the Growing Season– University of Colorado](#)

[Cold Frames & Hot Beds-University of Rhode Island](#)

[Garden Know-how: Extend Your Growing Season](#)

[Cold Frame Projects and Tutorials from Tipnut](#)

[How to Grow Vegetables all Winter Long– East Coast Living](#)

## Johnny's Seeds References:

[Homepage](#)

Under “Interactive Tools” at the bottom of the homepage, you will find all of the calculators, including:

- Target Harvest Date Calculator
- Fall Planting Calendar
- Caterpillar Tunnel Worksheet
- Succession Planting Calculator

[Good For Overwintering](#)

[Seed Calculator](#)

[Seed Starting Date Calculator](#)

Because most of the calculators are all excel spreadsheets, I didn't include Hyperlinks, but these are very easy to find from Home.

## [Season Extension Products](#)

Please contact [Kate Sayles](#) at the Northern RI Conservation District with any further questions or with any resource concerns you may have! Thank you!

