

Announcement--Boulder Valley Conference And Relocalization Resource Expo

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On January 14, <u>Boulder Valley Relocalization</u> will sponsor <u>Going Local! Preparing for the</u> <u>Accelerating Energy Crisis</u> (pdf, press release). This two day event is intended

to increase community preparedness for the challenges and opportunities of the energy crisis. Through this event the group plans to inform citizens about options for preparing for near-term disruptions and to encourage participating in the strategic planning process for achieving long-term community self-reliance in energy, food and economy.

On Friday evening January 13th, a number of films will be shown at various locations in Boulder including <u>The End of Suburbia</u> and <u>Powerdown: Options and Actions for a Post Carbon World</u>, a new video dvd based on Richard Heinberg's <u>book</u> of the same name. See <u>here</u> for more details.

Saturday January 14th will be an all day event hosted at the UMC Glenn Miller Ballroom (the student union) at The University of Colorado at Boulder.

Scheduled morning keynote speakers include Julian Darley, author of High Noon for Natural Gas: The New Energy Crisis and founder of Post Carbon Institute and Global Public Media; and Boulder's own Dr. Albert Bartlett, Professor Emeritus of Physics, University of Colorado....

A highlight of the day will be the premiere of "The Power of Community: How Cuba Survived Peak Oil," a documentary film still in production. Megan Quinn, the film's coproducer and Outreach Director of Community Service, Inc. in Yellow Springs, Ohio, will present the film and deliver the final keynote about the importance of community and the relevance of Cuba's response to a nationwide energy crisis....

Here are the links for Julian Darley's Global Public Media and Post Carbon Institute.

This is your chance to hear Al Bartlett ("what is an <u>exponential function</u>") who received one of the first M. King Hubbert Awards at <u>ASPO-USA</u> (from co-founder Steve Andrews, picture below courtesy of Stuart).

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You can also see a complete version of <u>Megan Quinn's</u> film about Cuba. Excerpts from this film were well-received by viewers at ASPO-USA.

Contact information can be found in the press release or at the Boulder Valley Relocalization website (linked in at the top). I'll be there and I always like to meet fellow TOD contributors in person. So if you're in the Rocky Mountain area or just traveling through, I hope you can make it!

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