

SPECIAL INVITATION

FEDERATION OF SOUTHERN COOPERATIVES/LAF

What is a Cooperative?

A cooperative is a democratically owned and operated business that is formed to meet the mutual needs of its member-owners.

Come and learn more about cooperative businesses and how to start and operate your own cooperative business.

Why Cooperatives?

Cooperatives may be organized to meet needs in areas such as:

Child care, Facilities and Housing,
Credit and personal financial services,
Marketing, Farm supplies, Health care,
Food and food services, etc

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INVITES YOU TO
A ONE DAY

CO-OP 101 WORKSHOP

On

Saturday, March 14, 2009

9:00a.m — 3:00p.m.

At

**Federation of Southern Coops./LAF
Rural Training and Research Center
575 Federation Road, Epes, AL**

RSVP ON OR BEFORE MARCH 10, 2009

REGISTRATION FORM

Please mail, fax or e-mail this form so that we can reserve a place for you and prepare enough materials and lunch for the workshop.

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Your Address: _____

E-mail Address _____

Phone: Office or Home: _____ **Cell:** _____

Special Dietary Needs: _____

Other Comments: _____

Send to:

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Attention: Co-op Development Team

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The registration deadline is March 10, 2009.