

NEWS RELEASE

Agricultural writers in Canada will have an opportunity to learn about how farms are being revived in Grenada following two hurricanes.

Communications Specialist at the Agency for Reconstruction and Development (ARD), Mrs. Nancy McGuire, has been invited to address the Annual Convention of the Canadian Farm Writers Federation on Saturday, September 16 in Winnipeg, Canada.

Farm reporters and editors from across Canada will explore twenty-first trends in agriculture under the theme "The Extension Evolution" and how traditional extension services are adjusting to meet the changing needs of farmers.

Mrs. McGuire's presentation will focus on the services of the ARD in supporting the Ministry of Agriculture and the farming community in general through several initiatives. This will include results from the Land Utilization Survey that the ARD conducted in November 2005 and how the information is being used to improve extension services, among other developments.

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