



The Barnraising is an annual event hosted by the Public Lab community. As you may know, Public Lab is a community and non-profit democratizing science to address environmental issues that affect people.

The Barnraising is an **'unconference' style** event bringing together people from all regions with interests in the environment, science and technology. In the spirit of bringing a community together to collectively raise a structure such as a barn, we come together to develop tools, projects and educational materials. Participants in this event represent a wide range of interests from technologists and designers, to social scientists and community organizers. Inevitably, during each Barnraising, friends are made, collaborations are born, and discussions inspire.

The theme of this year's Barnraising is: **"Building networks across regions."**

Barnraising will be **November 20th-22th at LUMCON in Cocodrie Louisiana**. I encourage you and your constituents to join us for the weekend or even for a day! Email stevie@publiclab.org for questions. Learn more, and register at:

www.publiclab.org/barnraising