Hear Dr Jonathan Latham talk on **ADVANCED GENE EDITING** in agriculture, food & biosafety regulation

Dr Jonathan Latham is touring Aotearoa to help us understand the implications of gene editing technology and what we should consider for the future of our human & ecological health.



- Will gene driven organisms be hazardous to the predators that eat them?
- What will happen if prey species drive their own population extinct, or if they fail to do so?
- What happens if genes spread from the original species to others?
- Can genes from viral pathogens ever be safely inserted and used in other organisms?

Dr Jonathan Latham PhD Executive Director, Bioscience Resource Project Dr Latham holds a Masters degree in Crop Genetics and a PhD in Plant Virology. He has published scientific papers in disciplines as diverse as plant ecology, plant virology, toxicology, genetics, and genetic engineering. Dr Jonathan Latham, PhD, is a prominent international advocate for public interest science.

7pm Wednesday 5 September Supper Room, Town Hall, Bow St This talk is being given nationwide. In Raglan it will be part of a Whaingaroa Environmental Defence, District Plan meeting -Why does the DP make no mention of GM? Why does the DP favour developers over environment? What can we do about it?