



Local Food Hero



VanderWeele Farm was started in Alaska in 1967; the families farming roots stretch back 11 generations in the Netherlands.



The colder soil temperatures cause a higher sugar content which makes Alaska Grown carrots sweeter.



Carrots from their farm have been served in the Anchorage and Mat-Su school districts for years.



VanderWeele Farm produces on over 200 acres with over half of that in potato production; 13 acres in carrot production in 2012.

"I've always wanted to be a farmer, ever since I was in Kindergarten."

Roger VanderWeele

