

# 2013 Mat-Su Salmon Science & Conservation Symposium

**November 13 & 14**

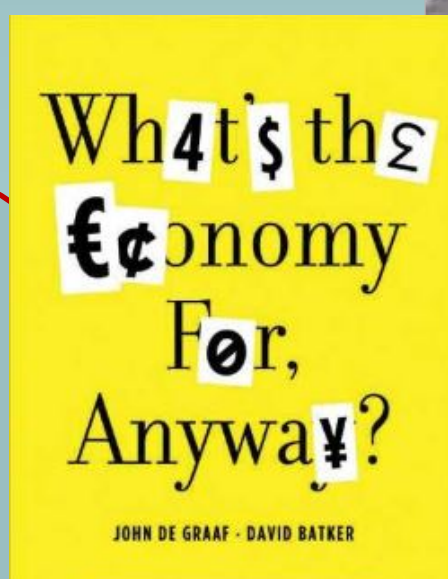
Palmer Community Center (Depot), 610 S. Valley Way, Palmer, Alaska.

The sixth annual Mat-Su Salmon Symposium is a forum to share information on Mat-Su Basin watersheds, salmon, and salmon habitat and to promote an exchange of ideas about salmon science and conservation in the Mat-Su Basin. This year's thematic focus will be:

## *Healthy Salmon, Healthy Communities*

**Keynote Speaker:** David Batker, Co-founder, Executive Director and Chief Economist of Earth Economics, has graduate training in economics under Herman Daly, one of the world's foremost ecological economists, and has taught in the Training Department of the World Bank. He co-authored the book, "What's the Economy for Anyway?", which ranked in the economics and business top ten by the New York Book Review.

David Batker has been working on a local Mat-Su project looking at framing the value of salmon habitat and open space into economic terms. Come discuss with David some of the ways **healthy salmon, provide for healthy economies and communities** in the Mat-Su.



Find registration and presentation information in your email or at

<http://www.matsusalmon.org/what-we-do/science-symposium/2013-2/>

**Presentation & Poster Abstract Submissions due by September 30<sup>th</sup>**

**General Registration due by October 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

**No cost to attend ~ Lunch provided~  
Questions? Contact [MatSuSalmon@tnc.org](mailto:MatSuSalmon@tnc.org)**



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