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Summary: Nader will discuss the role of citizen leadership in overcoming sustainability-related challenges.

MORRIS, Minnesota (January 26, 2016)—University of Minnesota, Morris Sustainability Leaders for the Future will host consumer advocate and former Green Party candidate for president Ralph Nader on Tuesday, February 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Center’s Edson Auditorium. Nader will discuss the role of citizen leadership in overcoming sustainability-related challenges. His talk and book signing are free and open to the public.

Honored by *Time* magazine as “One of the 100 Most Influential Americans of the 20th Century,” Nader continues to fight the good fight in government and in public opinion. He helped create the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, the Environmental Protection Agency, and the Consumer Product Safety Commission. Due to his zeal, we now have safer drinking water, cleaner air, and freedom of information. His citizen groups such as the Public Interest Research Groups flourish on the Morris campus and the national stage, striving to protect the public and advance social justice.

Nader’s keynote address will begin at 7:30 p.m., with the question-and-answer session expected to begin at 8:15. There will be a book signing and reception at 8:45 p.m. For more information, contact Clement Loo at 320-589-6204 or cloo@morris.umn.edu.

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