## **HEALTH REASONS**

## American Dietetic Association:

"A well-planned vegan diet is healthful and nutritionally adequate for all stages of life including pregnancy and nursing and may provide health benefits in the prevention and treatment of certain diseases"

-Craig, W.J. & Mangels, A.R. (2009). Position of the American Dietetic Association: Vegetarian Diets. Faculty Publications, 1954.

## World Health Organization:

Processed meats = Class 1 carcinogens

-International Agency for Research on Cancer, WHO (2015). Monograph available at: https://www.iarc.who.int/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/Monographs-QA\_Vol114.pdf



## **HEALTH REASONS FOR A PLANT BASED DIET**

Diabetes Risk

Blood Sugar

↑ Weight Loss

Risk of Heart Disease



Rich in Certain Nutrients

Cancer Risk

Risk of High Blood Pressure

Cholesterol