## Mountain Writers Series Poetry Reading Dorianne Laux & Carl Adamshick



July 8, 2011 Friday 7:30 PM

The Old Church 1422 SW 11th Portland, OR

Tickets: \$10



—**Dorianne Laux** is the author of five collections of poetry, most recently *The Book of Men* (W.W. Norton, 2011). Other books include *Facts About the Moon*, which won the Oregon Book Award; *Awake, What We Carry*, finalist for the National Book Critic's Circle Award; and *Smoke*, as well as two small press editions, *Superman: The Chapbook* and *Dark Charms*, both from Red Dragonfly Press. She lives in Raleigh, N.C., where she teaches in the MFA program at North Carolina State University.

-Carl Adamshick was selected as the winner of the 2010 Walt Whitman Award, one of the most prestigious first book prizes in the country, for his collection of poems *Curses and Wishes* (Louisiana State University Press, 2011). The Award includes a \$5,000 cash prize and one-month residency at the Vermont Studio Center. Adamschick, who lives in Portland, is co-founder with poet Michael McGriff of Tavern Books,



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