

# 4TH ANNUAL NATIVE AMERICAN WOMEN IN AGRICULTURE CONFERENCE

July 12, 2012 - McGee Park  
Farmington, New Mexico

## **“Healthy Land, Healthy People”**

**Mistress of Ceremonies: Rose T. Morgan, Shiprock, NM**

- 8:30 am Registration – Caroline Smith, Navajo Nation Dept. of Agriculture  
 8:50 am Opening Ceremonies  
     Invocation Makenzie Nez, Hanaadli 4-H Club  
     U.S. Pledge: Terrel Antonio, Hanaadli 4-H Club  
     4-H Pledge: Analea Castro, Hanaadli’ 4-H Club  
 9:05 am Opening Address: Xavier Montoya, NM-NRCS, Albuquerque  
 9:15 am Keynote Speaker: **Barry Hamilton** – “NRCS – UTAH, Aneth Projects”  
**9:45 am BREAK and DOOR PRIZES!!**  
 10:00 am Guest Speaker: **Layne Barney**, USDA-Farm Service Agency  
 11:00 am **CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS**  
**12:00 pm LUNCH: Luncheon Entertainment: Miss Northern Navajo Teen**  
     Megan Badonie, Shiprock, NM

## **CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS**

	<b>HEALTH</b>	<b>FARMING</b>	<b>RANCHING</b>
<b>11:00 am</b>	Moderator: Charmaine Hosteen	Moderator: Gilbert Yazzie	Moderator: Roxanne Harrison
	<b>Native Health Issues</b> <i>Joanne Lameman, IHS Diabetes</i>	<b>Conservation Planning</b> <i>Utah NRCS</i>	<b>Range Assessment</b> <i>Pete Lefevre, NRCS, Grants</i>
<b>1:00 pm</b>			
	<b>Food Preservation of Dried Foods</b> <i>Leah Platero, NMSU</i>	<b>Food Safety Begins on the Farms</b> <i>Beth LaShell, Ft. Lewis College</i>	<b>Churro Sheep Wool Products</b> <i>Alyssa Harrison, Dine Bi Inaa</i>
<b>2:00 pm</b>			
	<b>Risk Management: Fear of an Unhealthy Land</b> <i>Alexandria/Ashley Carlisle, Tohatchi</i>	<b>Regional Food Systems</b> <i>Evert Oldham, USDA-RD</i>	<b>Agricultural Records for Risk Management and Financial Analysis</b> <i>John Hewlett, Univ. of Wyoming</i>
<b>3:00 pm</b>	<b>BREAK / DOOR PRIZES!!</b>		
<b>3:15 pm</b>			
	<b>Range Management Practices</b> <i>Matthew Denetclaw, South Plains College, Texas</i>	<b>Soil Aggregate Stability Demo; Water, Plant, &amp; Soil Analysis</b> <i>Ana Gomes, NM-NRCS</i>	<b>Strategic Risk Management and the Risk Navigator Toolbox</b> <i>Jay Parsons, CSU</i>

**4:15 pm CLOSING REMARKS - DOOR PRIZES!!**

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