JANUARY 18, 2012 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

MCGEE PARK SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Calling all stakeholders!!!

Join us for a discussion.

What barriers have you encountered?
What support/resources do you need to take your business to the next level?

What infrastructure and organization would be useful?

Participating Service & Resource Providers

Farm to Table NM Southwest Cooperative Development Center Cooperative Extension Services:

NMSU - San Juan, Shiprock CSU - La Plata, Archuleta, Montezuma USU - San Juan

UA - Apache & Navajo Nation Navajo San Juan Farmers Cooperative Navajo Farm Services San Juan College

SJC Small Business Development Center San Juan Quality Center for Business

San Juan Economic Development Service

Southwest Marketing Network Healthy Community Food Systems

Farmington Growers Market
Aztec Farmers Market

Bloomfield Farmers Market

Shiprock Farmers Market

Intertribal Agriculture Council

Northern Navajo Economic Development

Sustainable San Juan

USDA - RD - Area Offices:

NM - Aztec

AZ - St. Michaels

UT - Monticello

CO – Cortez

Bloomfield Economic Development Dept.

Dine College

Fort Lewis College

La Plata County Community Food Project Healthy Lifestyle

Montezuma LiveWell

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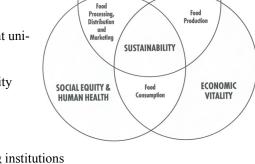


A "**community food system**" is one in which sustainable food production, processing, distribution and consumption are integrated to enhance the environmental, economic, and social and nutritional health of a particular place.

Important stakeholders:

- Locally elected leaders
- Food and agriculture agency representatives
- Farmers or groups interested in sustainable farming and/or farmland preservation
- Food banks and anti-hunger advocates
- Cooperative Extension and other relevant university faculty
- Public health workers and nutritionists
- Environmental and sustainable community advocates
- Parks and Recreation Departments
- Gardening organizations
- Food processors, retailers
- Small business support and local lending institutions
- Interested community members

One of the keys to building a successful community food system is developing connections between diverse stakeholder groups.



ENVIRONMENTAL

HEALTH

Financial & Trade Centers of the San Juan Watershed economic unit:

Metropolitan:

-Farmington, NM

Micropolitan:

- -Cortez, CO
- -Durango, CO
- -Pagosa Springs, CO

