



Strengthening Policies and Systems to Increase Food Security and Reduce Hunger, Thursday, November 19, 2020, 3:30 PM-5:00 PM

ACTION STEPS

1. Compile a list of those organizations whose work aligns with the town hall recommendations—email melanie@nmfirst.org.
2. Share your legislative efforts with us! Email melanie@nmfirst.org.
3. Invite people from within organizations whose work aligns with the town hall recommendations to our next meeting! Please CC melanie@nmfirst.org so new members can be added to the distribution list.
4. Provide feedback on gaps—email melanie@nmfirst.org.

MEETING PARTICIPANTS

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POTENTIAL PARTNERS

- <https://www.swop.net/food-justice>
- Linda Estavillo, Casa de la Roca, Inc., casarocatorcnm@gmail.com, 575-740-2775
- Extension, 4-H, Ag Centers, etc.
- <https://quiviracoalition.org/>
- Donna Sauter, MS, RDN, ICAN Director (SNAP-Ed and EFNEP), New Mexico State University, College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences (ACES), Cooperative Extension Service, sauter@nmsu.edu, Phone: 575-646-0310, 505-889-9898
- Disability Coalition (who?)
- John Garlich - <https://bernalilloextension.nmsu.edu/team.html> might be interested
- <https://threesisterskitchen.org/>; Three Sisters Kitchen is doing that in AB
- Maybe: <https://streetfoodinstitute.org/> (used to do stuff at NHCC)
- Dept of corrections, drug courts, family services, treatment programs, psychosocial rehab providers like VA, hospitals?
- Montanita Coop

- New Mexico Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
- The American Indian Vocational Rehabilitation Services (AIVRS)
- Anyone is welcome to participate in the NM Food & Agriculture Policy Council, www.nmfapc.com. My contact is Pam Roy 505-660-8403, pam@farmtotablenm.org
- Sarah Michaud, New Vistas 1205 Parkway Santa Fe, NM 875057 505-471-1001 smichaud@newvistas.org
- UNM Sustainability Program and Community and Regional Planning

WHAT WAS DISCUSSED

- I. **Check-in:** The group check-in and told other participants where they are from, what organization they are representing, and why they are participating.
- II. **Clarify Recommendations and Strategies:** Lilly went over the recommendations associated with the team.
- III. **Review Existing and Potential Partnerships:** Lilly and the team discussed potential partnerships.
- IV. **Policy and Systems Change Priorities:** Lilly and the team talked about potential systems change, and priorities.
- V. **Next Steps:** The group went over the next steps, including confirming that our next meeting would be on December 17.

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