

Monday Morning, January 26, 2026
Inn of the Mountain Gods

8:00 to 10:00 **Exhibit Setup**
9:00 to 10:00 **Registration**

Monday Morning, January 26th

10:00-10:15
Michael Ronquillo, NMCPA President
Welcome

10:15 – 11:05
Dr. David Kerns
Corn Leaf Hopper-Discussion/Recommendations

11:05 – 12:00
Dr. Brent Bean
Sorghum Weed Control & New Herbicide Technologies

12:00 – 1:00
Lunch With a View – Hotel Lobby

1:00 – 1:50
Dr. Katie Lewis
Soil Salinity Management

1:55 – 2:40
Mr. Greg Alper
Brush Control, Application & Timing for Rangeland Management

2:40-3:00
NMCPA Scholarship Presentations

3:00 -3:20
Break & Exhibit Visitation

3:20-4:10
Dr. Katie Lewis
Nutrient Management in Row Crop Production



Monday Continued, January 27th

4:10-5:00
Dr. Peter Dotray
Weed Management Review of 2025 & 2026 Challenges

5:00-5:15
Industry Updates

Tuesday Morning, January 28th

8:00 – 8:50
Mr. Rick McCurdy
Integrating Treated Water into Crop and Rangeland Management Systems

8:50 – 9:40
Mr. Steve Baca
Laws and Regulations

9:40 – 10:00
Break and Exhibit Visitation

10:00 – 10:50
Dr. Sawasson Boufus
Mechanism of Carbon Credits Market

10:50 – 11:40
Graduate Student Presentations

11:40-12:00
Business Meeting & Closing Remarks

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NMCPA Mission Statement

The New Mexico Crop Production Association is a professional organization comprised of agribusiness companies and supporting academic and governmental agencies dedicated to benefit crop production in New Mexico. The association works collaboratively to educate members about new crop production inputs, scientific research, state, and federal regulations relating to agronomy, entomology, soil fertility and water management issues.

Monday Evening
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4:10-6:30 No-Host Cash Bar & Nachos