

4th Annual

CELEBRANDO las Acequias

Water + Resilience

**June 10th – 12th
2011**

Embudo Mission Building
Dixon
New Mexico

Event is free and open to the public.
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The event recognizes the role the acequias play in the growing of food in the community and honors those who take care of the water – the mayordomo – and those that grow the food.

El evento reconoce la importancia de las acequias en la cosecha de comida en la comunidad y honra a esos que cuidan del agua – el mayordomo – y los granjeros que la cosechan.



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Musica

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Cipriano Vigil
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Exhibition

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Photographer
El Agua es la Vida

Resources / Recursos

[Sharon Stewart](http://hcn.org/articles/photographer-sharon-stewart-on-the-acequia-tradition)
hcn.org/articles/photographer-sharon-stewart-on-the-acequia-tradition

[Robert Hunt](http://brandeis.edu/facguide)
brandeis.edu/facguide

[Ron Rael](http://rael-sanfratello.com)
rael-sanfratello.com

[José Rivera](http://nmepscor.org/content/josé-rivera)
nmepscor.org/content/josé-rivera

[Steve Gulden](http://aces.nmsu.edu/academics/waterresearch)
aces.nmsu.edu/academics/waterresearch

[Sam Fernald](http://newscenter.nmsu.edu)
newscenter.nmsu.edu

[Lois Ellen Frank](http://redmesacuisine.com)
redmesacuisine.com

[Enrique Lamadrid](http://unm.edu/~spanport/faculty/lamadrid/)
unm.edu/~spanport/faculty/lamadrid/

[Peter Warshall](http://dreamingnewmexico.org/)
dreamingnewmexico.org/

[Natural Systems International/Biohabitats](http://natsys-inc.com)
natsys-inc.com

[Catherine Harris](http://art.unm.edu/ecology/)
art.unm.edu/ecology/

[New Mexico Acequia Association](http://lasacequias.org)
lasacequias.org

[Center of Southwest Culture](http://centerofsouthwestculture.org/)
centerofsouthwestculture.org/

[Earthworks Institute](http://earthworksinstitute.org)
earthworksinstitute.org

[Acequia Institute](http://acequainstitute.org)
acequainstitute.org

[Rio Arriba County, Office of Planning + Zoning](http://rio-arriba.org)
rio-arriba.org
rio-arriba.org/departments_and_divisions/planning_and_zoning.html

[Cuatro Puertas](http://c4puertas.org/)
c4puertas.org/

[La Chiripada Winery](http://lachiripada.com)
lachiripada.com

[Vivac Winery](http://vivacwinery.com)
vivacwinery.com

Friday, June 10

- 6:00 pm **Exhibition**
Sharon Stewart, ED
Photographer
El Agua es la Vida
- 6:30 **Ron Rael**
Asst. Professor of Architecture,
UC Berkeley, Principal, Rael
San Fratello Architects
Rasquachetecture: Architecture
Reconsidered from Mud to
Border Fences
- 7:30 **Keynote**
Robert Hunt, Ph.D.
Professor Emeritus,
Brandeis University
Communal Irrigation:
A Global Perspective

Saturday, June 11

- 9:00 am **José Rivera, Ph.D.**
Research Scholar, Center
for Regional Studies,
University of New Mexico
The Culture of Ayuda
Mutua in the Rio Arriba
- 10:00 **Steve Gulden, Ph.D.**
Superintendent / Professor,
Alcalde Sustainable Agriculture
Science Center
- Sam Fernald, Ph.D.**
Associate Professor of
Watershed Management
Hydrologic Connections Between
Traditional Acequia Communities
and Their Watersheds: Three Cases
from Northern New Mexico
- 11:00 **Lois Ellen Frank, Ph.D.**
Seeds of Health: Using Traditional
Heirloom Foods of the Past for
Health and Wellness in the Future
- 12:00 Lunch**
- 1:30 pm **Enrique Lamadrid, Ph.D.**
Professor and Chair, Dept. of
Spanish & Portuguese, University of
New Mexico
Roots of Acequia Culture in
Northern Mexico: Aldama and
Valle de Allende, Chihuahua
- 2:30 **Peter Warshall, Ph.D.**
The Local Foodshed and
Water Security
- 3:30 **Catherine Harris, MLA, MFA**
Assistant Professor of Art and
Ecology, University of New Mexico
Nomadic Infrastructural Art:
Foodshed, Watershed, and Field
Explorations in the American
Southwest
- 4:30 **Panel Discussion**
**The State of Agriculture in
Northern New Mexico**
- Isaura Andaluz, MBA**
Moderator and Executive Director
of Cuatro Puertas, Albuquerque, NM
- Paula Garcia, BS**
Executive Director of the
New Mexico Acequia Association
- Sarah Laeng-Gilliatt, MA**
Rio Arriba Food Council
Inspiring Strategies for Rebuilding
Vibrant, Regional Food Systems
- Michael Torrez, AAS, AA**
Graduate Student, Environmental
Science Program, Northern
New Mexico College
A Parallel Mapping of Chimayó
Chile and its Cultivator
- 6:00 Dinner and Recognition**
Awards Dinner Sponsored by NMAA
- 7:00 **Música:**
Chuy Martinez + Otilio Ruiz
Cipriano Vigil, Ph.D.
Los Coyotes de Cañoncito

Organizers / Organizadores

Event Director: Estevan Arellano

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Sunday, June 12

- 9:00 am **Jan Willem Jansens, MA**
Executive Director, Earthworks
Institute
Putting Floods of Water and
Sand to Work
- 10:00 **Pete Muñoz, PE**
Senior Engineer, Natural Systems
International/Biohabitats
Recycling Water: Ecological
Approaches for Conserving Our Most
Precious Resources
- 11:00 am - 3:00 pm **Brad Lancaster**
Integrated Sustainable Systems
Teacher, Author & Consultant
Beneficial Ruins and Water Webs:
A Vernacular Design Challenge to
Increase the Resilience of Dryland
Ecologies and Human Communities

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