Agenda

Wednesday, September 21, 2016

8:00 AM  Registration (Free)

9:00 AM  Opening Prayer- Melvin Hunter, Jr., Coyote Springs Livestock Assn. Hualapai Nation, Welcome, Keir Johnson & Teresa Honga, Intertribal Agriculture Council, Technical Assistance Specialists

9:15 AM  Opening of Tribal IPM Session
Intent and Structure of the Meeting- Janice Alexander, University of California Cooperative Extension

9:20 AM  The Western Region Tribal IPM Work Group: Accomplishments and Next Steps- Nina Hapner, Kashia Band of Pomo

9:30 AM  Outdoor Plant Walk, Demonstrations & Discussions- Felix Nez, NRCS District Conservationist, Dilkon Field Office, Elisabeth Alden, FRTEP, Max Taylor, Hopi Water Resources Program

10:45 AM  Summary of Tribal Pest Needs- Janice Alexander, UC Cooperative Extension

11:00 AM  Technical & Financial Assistance from USDA Forest Service- Amanda Grady, Entomologist, Forest Health Protection, USDA Forest Service

11:15 AM  “Managing Invasive Species on Rangelands of the Southwest”- Jeff Schalau, County Director / Agent Agriculture & Natural Resources, Yavapai County, Interim County Director, Coconino & Mohave Counties, University of Arizona Cooperative Extension

12:00 PM  Lunch

1:00 PM  “A Landscape Approach Managing Invasive Species on the Clover Leaf Ranch, Yavapai Apache Nation”, Rodolfo Martinez Morales, Invasive Species Coordinator, Agriculture Resource Department, Yavapai Apache Nation

1:30 PM  Summary Discussion & Closeout of Tribal IPM Session
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1:45 PM  Food Safety Update & Food Code Issues, Janie Simms Hipp, Director, Indigenous Food and Agriculture Initiative (IFAI), University of Arkansas

3:45 PM  Adjourn. Thank you and safe travels!