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YUMA COUNTY ARIZONA

FOOD ACCESS WORKSHOP

Food Insecurity Issue/Efforts, Farm to School, Food Safety, Farmers Market and How to Cook Healthy Food April 29, 2019

U of A Yuma Ag. Center Conference Room, 6425 W. 8th Street, Yuma, AZ 85364

8:00 a.m.	Registration	
8:30 a.m.	Introduction by Attendees	
8:45 a.m.	Welcome	Lynne Pancrazi, Yuma County Supervisor
8:55 a.m.	Welcome	Mark Killian, Director, AZ Dept. of Agriculture (AZDA)
9:05 a.m.	Yuma and Food Insecurity	Shara Merten, President, Yuma Community Food Bank
9:25 a.m.	Efforts to Tackle Food Insecurity	Suzanne Cooper, Program Coord., YC AZ Health Zone; Chair, Yuma HEAL Coalition
9:40 a.m.	Yuma County Coop. Extension - Current Offerings & Exploring Future O	Melissa Wyatt, FCHS Agent, UA Cooperative Extension pportunities
9:55 a.m.	Food Safety	Fatima Corona, Food Safety Director, JV Smith Co.
10:10 a.m.	Networking Break	
10:25 a.m.	AZDA Involvement/Farm to School/ AZDA Food Safety Training	Sharma Torrens, Marketing Manager, AZDA
10:45 a.m.	Yuma Farm to School Efforts	Michael Clark, Director Sch. Nutrition, Crane Schools
11:05 a.m.	Future of Double Up Food Bucks/ Tiered Farm Food Safety Training	Kelley Villa, Farm to Forks Prog. Mgr, Pinnacle Prevention
11:25 a.m.	Farmers Market in Yuma	Barbara Rochester, Crossroads Mission
11:40 a.m.	Feedback from Attendees	YFVA
12:00 p.m.	Lunch Sponsored by Yuma Fresh Vegeto	
12:15 p.m.	60 Seconds to a Complete Meal - It's Time to Get Crackin'	Sharman Hickman, VP Marketing/PR, Hickman's Family Farms
1:00 p.m.	Adjourn	

Registration is FREE, but please RSVP so we can get an accurate head count for lunch. Please RSVP to Sharma Torrens at storrens@azda.gov or 602-542-3191 by April 24, 2019.