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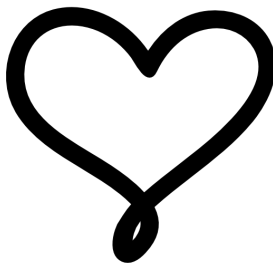


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Language Justice Justicia del lenguaje



Language Justice is the intentional practice that values interpretation and translation as critical tools for opening communication. The term “language justice” is a powerful way to describe individuals’ fundamental right to have their voices heard and to connect in the language in which they feel the most comfortable.



La justicia del lenguaje es la práctica intencional que valora la interpretación y traducción como herramientas críticas para la expansión de la comunicación. El término “justicia del lenguaje” es una manera poderosa de describir los derechos fundamentales de individuos a que sus voces sean escuchadas y para conectarse en el idioma en el cual ellos se sientan más cómodos.

The right to communicate in the language you feel most connected with- the language of your heart.



El derecho a expresarse en el idioma con el que se sientan más cómodos y conectados: el idioma de su corazón.

We will be using interpretation as a tool for opening communication



Usaremos la interpretación como una herramienta para expandir la comunicación.

Using the Equipment

Uso del equipo



Receiver and Headphone
Receptor y Audífono



Volume adjustment
Ajuste de volumen

Using the Equipment

Uso del equipo



Placement
Colocación



Ear placement
Colocación en el oído

**If you can't hear...
Si no puede escuchar...**



**Don't suffer in silence. Someone from the team will help you.
No sufra en silencio. Alguien del equipo le ayudará.**

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BRIDGE BUILDER VIDEO HERE

Video by:
Mark Rose

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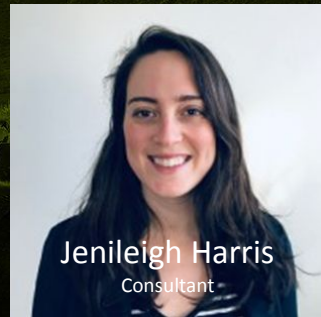
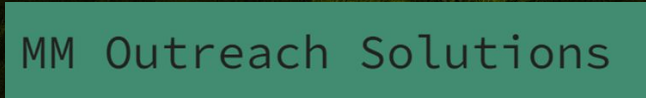
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How we GATHERED INPUT

2022 SUMMIT

SURVEYS

EVENTS

REGIONAL DISCUSSIONS

YOUNG PEOPLE

WHAT WE HEARD:
REGIONAL PRIORITIES
(MANY ARE COMMON
ACROSS REGIONS)

WESTERN

CROP INSURANCE

FUNDING/BUSINESS EDUCATION

MARKET ACCESS

COALITION BUILDING

CLIMATE & NATURAL RESOURCES

MOUNTAIN

LIFT UP YOUTH VOICES

LOCAL SUPPLY CHAIN DEVELOPMENT

MENTAL HEALTH & WELLNESS

FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

NUTRITION SECURITY

FRONT RANGE

SUPPORTING SMALL GROWERS

FUNDING FOR START UPS

FOOD JUSTICE

SOIL HEALTH

EASTERN

FOOD ACCESS

MARKET ACCESS FOR FARMERS

SUPPORTING OLDER AMERICANS

AG TECH

SOUTHERN

WATER

LAND

AGRICULTURE PROCESSORS

ANIMAL AGRICULTURE

2023 SUMMIT TRACKS:

BRINGING Policy DOWN TO EARTH

KEY FACTORS IN FOOD & AGRICULTURE

PUTTING OUR MONEY WHERE OUR MOUTH IS: CONNECTING SUPPLY & DEMAND

EFFECTIVE APPROACHES TO ADDRESSING HUNGER

YOUNG LEADERS



READ MORE

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SESSIONS BY BREAKOUT

Breakout One

9:15-10:30am

1. **WORKSHOP Telling Your Story: How to Connect, Talk, and Influence Media & Elected Officials** | East Breakout
2. **Coalition Building to Support Mental Health** | Auction Arena
- 3a. **From Soil to Supper: A Holistic View of Colorado's Food System** | Classroom 1
- 3b. **Pinpoint Your Potential** | Classroom 2
4. **"Road Mapping" Farm to School: Lessons from California** | Show Arena
5. **Understanding Our Collective Power, Roles and Responsibilities** | West Breakout

Breakout Two

10:45-12:15pm

1. **What the "Right to Farm" Means in 2023: Contextualizing the Right to Farm with Indigenous Food Sovereignty** | East Breakout
2. **Useful Tech that Scales** | West Breakout
- 3a. **Sourcing your Colorado specialty** | Classroom 2
- 3b. **Collaborating Through Community** | Show Arena (**YL ONLY**)
- 3c. **How to Navigate Food Waste & Scrappy Cooking** | Classroom 1
4. **WORKSHOP: Developing a Colorado Farm to School Road Map: How to Get More Colorado Products into Schools** | Show Arena
5. **Beyond Free Food: Changing the Status Quo on Hunger Relief** | Auction Arena

Breakout Three

1:30-2:45pm

1. **WORKSHOP: From Community Food and Agricultural Advocacy to City and State Policy** | East Breakout
2. **Connecting local needs with statewide resources** | Auction Arena
3. **Colorado Food System Jeopardy Challenge** | Classroom 1 (**YL ONLY**)
4. **WORKSHOP: Matching State Resources with Infrastructure Demand** | Show Arena
5. **Moving Through the Mess Together: How Food Coalitions Are Fumbling Forward Towards More Equitable Local Food Systems** | West Breakout

Share action items throughout the day



LOGISTICAL CONSIDERATIONS

RESTROOMS - Handicap accessible, family, and gender neutral bathrooms are available on the first and second floors.

NURSING ROOMS - Visit the nursing room on the first floor.

DIETARY RESTRICTIONS - There is a separate buffet to service dietary restrictions (gluten free, vegan).

HARD OF HEARING - In the breakouts, the first row is reserved for those that are hard of hearing.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS - Participation support pick up will be available at lunch Friday and at the end of the event at the registration table

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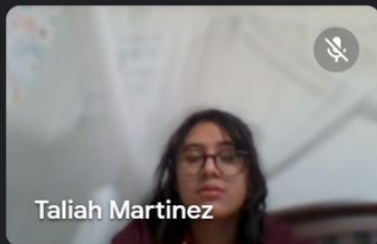
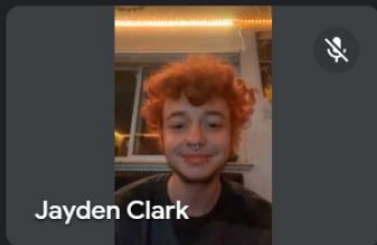


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ALL OUR BREAKOUTS ARE ON THE
2ND FLOOR

EXCEPT **COLLABORATING THROUGH** WHICH
IS IN THE SHOW ARENA

FEEDBACK WILL BE REQUESTED **AFTER EACH
BREAKOUT!**

SPEAKERS



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Commissioner
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Armando Valdez
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WHAT'S NEXT?

Breakout One - 9:15-10:30am

Agenda:



1. **Bringing Policy Down To Earth** - WORKSHOP Telling Your Story: How to Connect, Talk, and Influence Media & Elected Officials - EAST BREAKOUT
2. **Key Factors in Agriculture** - Coalition Building to Support Mental Health - AUCTION ARENA
3. **OPTION A Young Leaders** - From Soil to Supper: A Holistic View of Colorado's Food System - CLASSROOM 1 (*open to all attendees*)
OPTION B Young Leaders -: Pinpoint Your Potential - CLASSROOM 2 (*young leaders only*)
4. **Connecting Supply and Demand** - "Road Mapping" Farm to School: Lessons from California - SHOW ARENA
5. **Effective Approaches to Addressing Hunger** - Understanding our Collective Power, Roles, and Responsibilities - WEST BREAKOUT