Check out our Website!

Fore more information, updates and useful links, please visit our website. You are able to download a cost-share application, view



Supervisors and staff's bios, learn about our conservation programs and much, much more!

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Ag DAY
April 10, 2015
Juan I. Gonzales Agricultural Center

Ag Day is a great opportunity to meet with and learn from producers, agricultural associations, corporations, and government entities from across the state. Join us to learn about available resources for farming and ranching operations. This year's topic will be the newly updated agricultural land valuations in Taos County.

For more information about Ag Day contact the Taos County Extension Office at 575-758-3982.



Animal Damage workshops and certifications classes will resume on Friday, March 6, 2015.

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Mr. Dennis Cruz



Central Zone 1

Chairman Maureen
Johnson swears in
Mr. Dennis Cruz to
serve as a Board
Appointed Supervisor
serving the Central
area of Taos County.



Mr. Cruz was raised in El Valle, but now resides in Taos. He retired from The University of New Mexico (Taos Branch) where he held the Director of Business Operations position.

He has demonstrated a lifelong commitment to and involvement with acequia and water projects (including serving as a commissioner and mayordomo).

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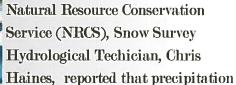
"Assuring our future through conservaton"

Taos SWCD Mission Statement

Taos Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) serves the citizens and landowners of Taos County by promoting the wise use of land, water and natural resources. In order to accomplish this mission, the District gathers available technical, financial and educational resources and focuses or coordinates them so that they meet the needs of the local populace. Taos SWCD is committed to a productive and sustainable environment for present and future generations.

Taos SWCD Staff and Supervisors attended the New Mexico Association of Conservation Districts Annual meeting in Clovis, NM this past November.





across New Mexico during December 2014 ranged from well above normal in the northwest to well below normal in the southeast. Early season snowis below normal over the northern mountains of New Mexico.

For the most updated information regarding snow-pack and runoff in New Mexico, please visit: http://www/nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/nm/snow/



2015-2016

Cost-Share Application Sign-Up

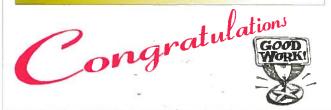
The District assisted hundreds of landowners with the Cost-Share Program this past year. Conservation programs for Acequias, Fire Prevention, Stream

Restoration, Animal Damage, Vegetation Management and Range Improvements



are available to Taos County

Landowners. Taos SWCD is now
accepting applications for the 1st. half of
FY 2015-2016 until June 30, 2015. For
information contact the District Office.



High Taos School Science The Fair Team won first place at the National Science Fair. The Taos students designed a bio-filter system called Crabyotics which removes antibotics from drinking water. Taos SWCD has been a proud science fair sponsor for public schools in Taos County for last 12 years.