



Intertribal Agriculture Council

NRCS Fall TAC 2023
Updates on IAC-NRCS-CA Agreements

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New California Technical Assistant Specialist



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California Summer Internship Agreement



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- Unise Carillo
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Food Sovereignty Agreement- IAC Pacific Region Summit



- We had approximately 220 attendees over the 2 days





INTERTRIBAL AGRICULTURE COUNCIL
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE NETWORK | PACIFIC REGION

Mon & Tues
**SEPT
11-12**

**IAC PACIFIC
REGIONAL SUMMIT**

Pechanga Resort Casino
45000 Pechanga Parkway, Temecula, CA 92592



*Decompartamentalizing Agriculture with
Traditional Ecological Knowledge &
Regenerating the Land through the People*

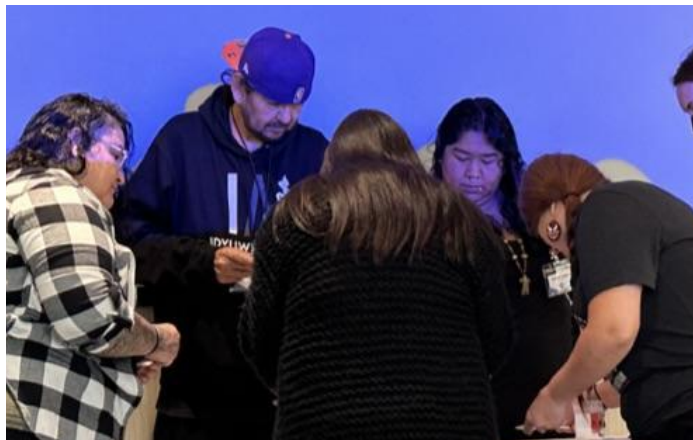
Attendees will participate in 2 days of learning sessions that focus on agriculture, conservation, meat and poultry processing resources, Tribal agriculture policy, farm and value-added business, native plants, climate change, Traditional Ecological Knowledge, and Tribal Food Sovereignty success stories. This 2-day event is free to attend.

Breakfast and lunch will be provided.

If anyone is interested in sharing traditional foods please bring enough to share with 10 people for the first day during the traditional foods cookout.



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Contribution/Outreach and Planning Agreement

- We have been planning the Working Effectively With American Indian (WEWAI) Training for NRCS staff scheduled for March 2024 hosted by the Shingle Springs Band of Miwok
- Tribal Speaker Engagements/Tribal Speaker Series: hosted 2 in 2022 covering topics of Fiber and Basketry and Tribal Food Sovereignty
- Travel Support to host the NRCS TAC meeting



**United States
Department of
Agriculture**
Natural Resources Conservation Service



**TRIBAL SPEAKER SERIES:
BASKETRY AND FIBERS**

**california indian
basketweavers' association**

MAY 10, 2022 FROM 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

A panel of California Indian Basketweavers Association (CIBA) members from around California will speak about plants that are of importance for basketry and fibers, traditional plant management practices for basketry materials, challenges in gathering basketry materials and fibers, and the effects of pesticides/herbicides/fungicides for traditional basketweavers.

Register in advance for this meeting at the Zoom link below:
<https://us02web.zoom.us/join/register/?zuid=OyhrzuGdXOUAISQP6cq-lq7713U025>

After Registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

For questions contact: Kagit McQuillen, Kagit.McQuillen@usda.gov or Pedro Torres Pedro.Torres@usda.gov

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Thank You!

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