2025 State of the Plate

March 6, 2025, Santa Fe Community College



Denise Miller, Executive Director





➤Who we are

➤What we do

≻How it's going

➤What we're up to





Mission

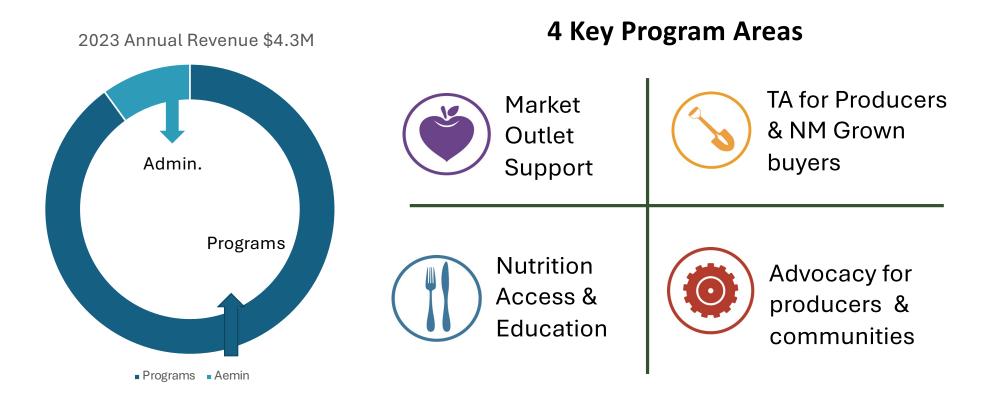
Dedicated to strengthening the local food system by supporting agriculture producers and cultivating networks to create a healthier New Mexico



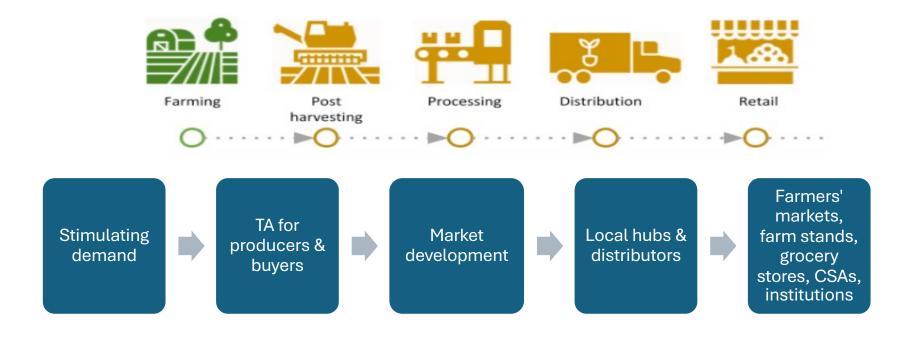
What Good? For Whom? At What Cost?



Leveraging Resources for Farmers & Communities



Building Relationships for a Shorter Value Chain



Food supply value chain graphic by Laura Simmons

Farmer Direct Sales Increase*



Farm sales – direct to consumers and retail & institutions

9.6% - up from 6% in 2017

*Ag Census 2024

Augustin Orozco, El Guique, NM

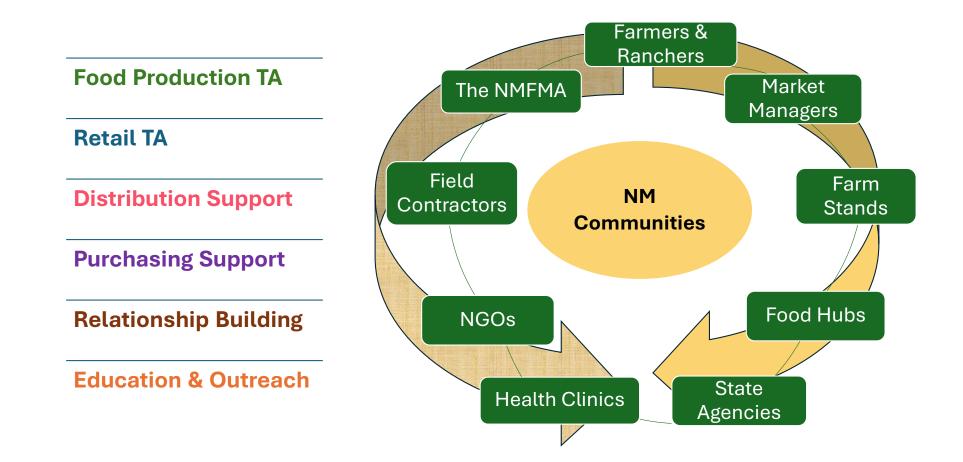
A Big State of Small Farms



- 52% of all NM farms are under 50 acres (11,000 of 21,000 farms)
- Of those, 6,900 (or 32% of total) are 1-9 acres
- **86%** of farms report earning under \$50K (of 20,976 Farms Reporting)

The **2022 Ag Census** was released February 2024, and it is conducted every five years. It counts our nation's farms and ranches and the people who run them.

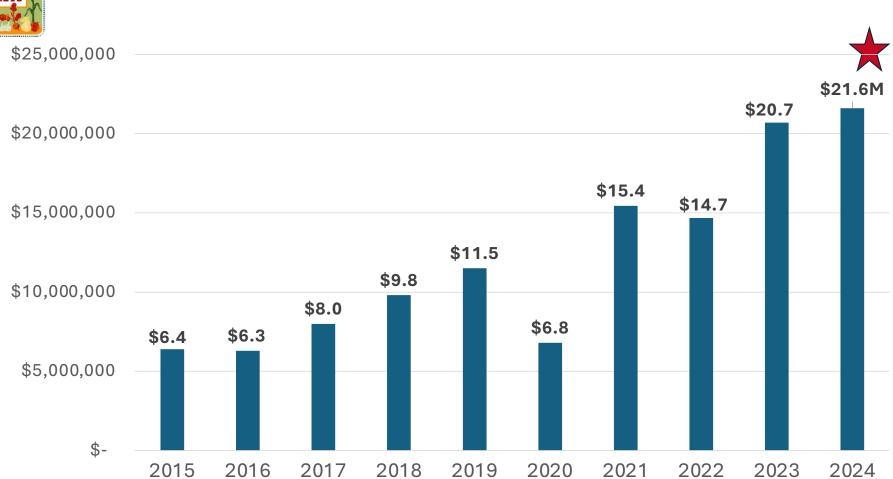
Building Local Markets for Producers

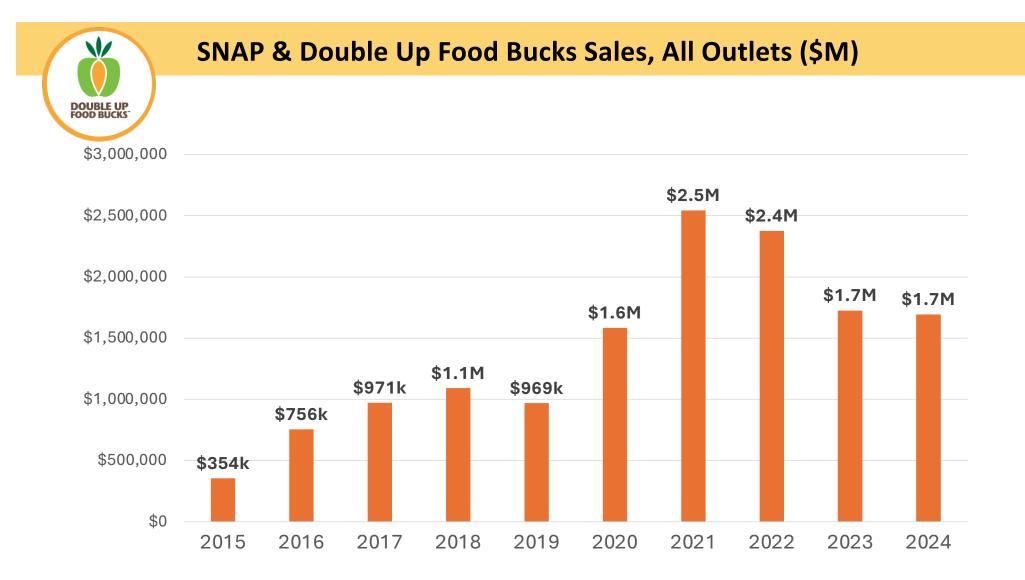






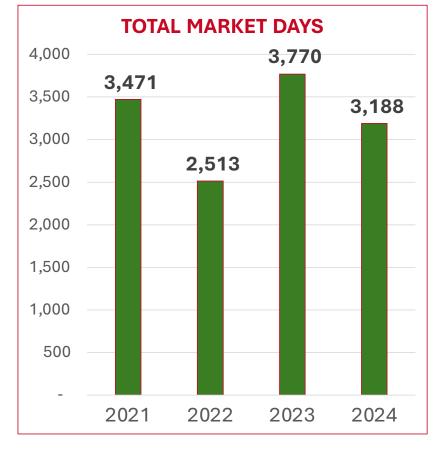
Market Data Trends – Total Sales, All Outlets (\$M)

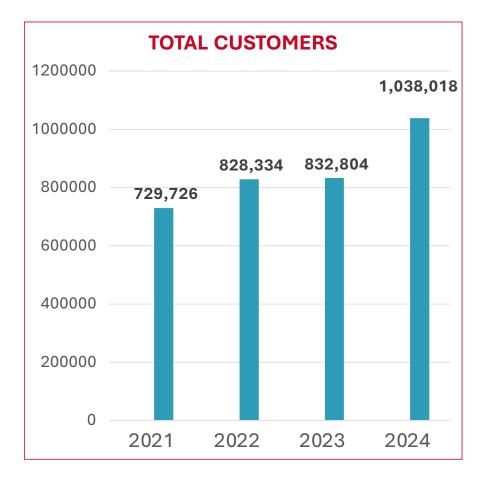






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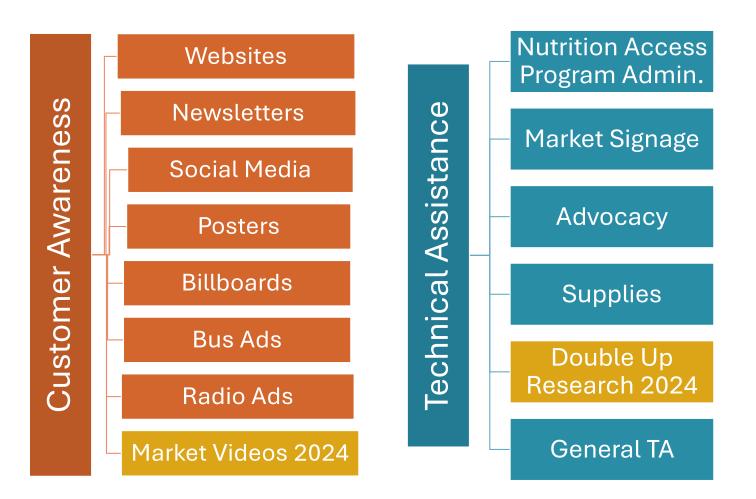


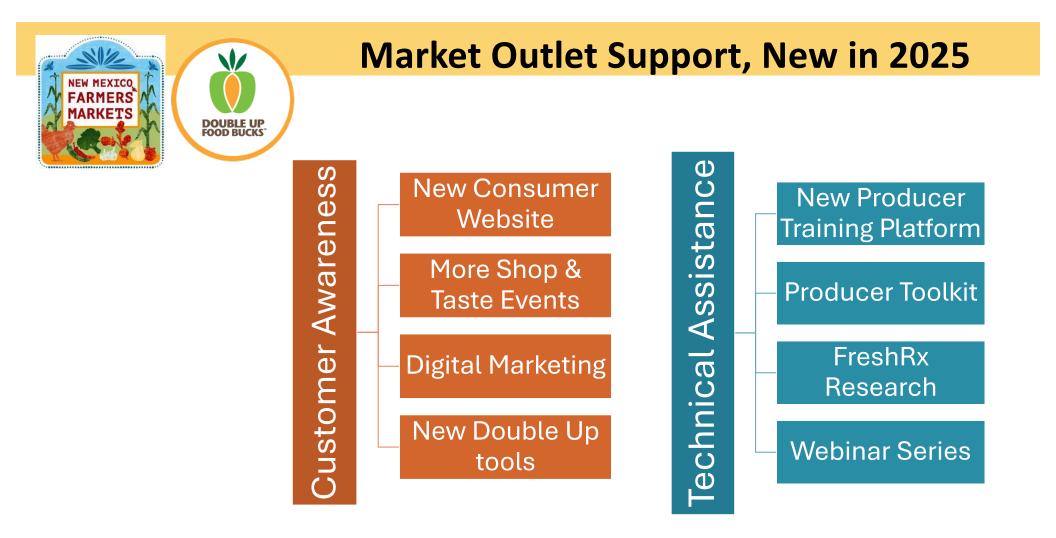




DOUBLE UP FOOD BUCKS

Consumer Market Outlet Support

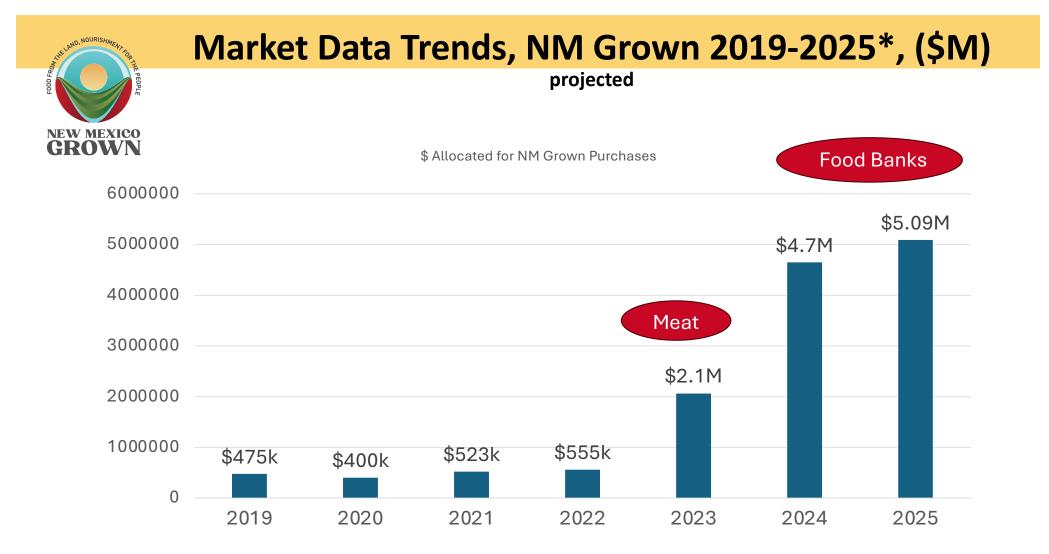


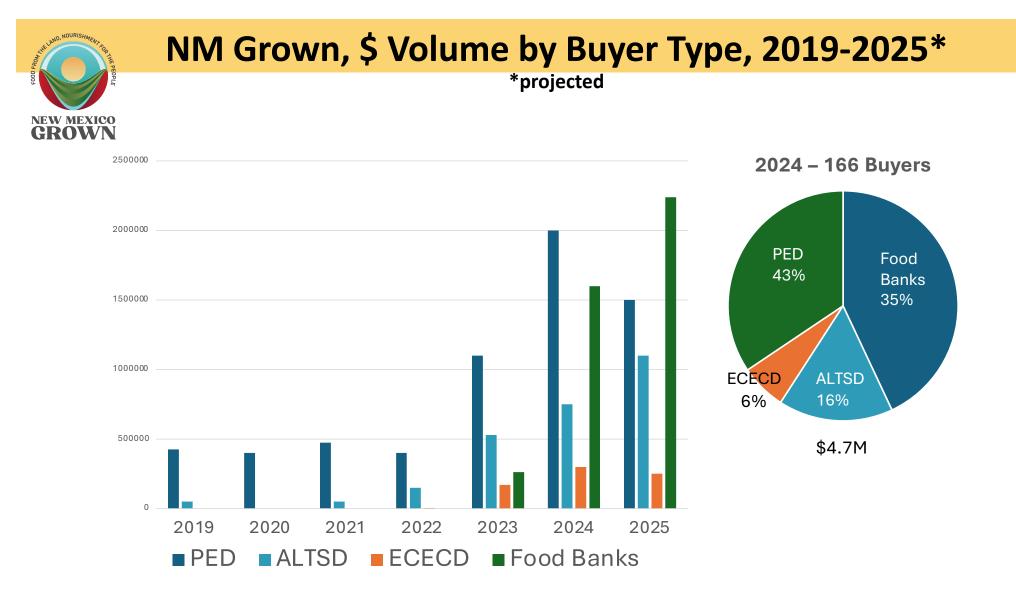


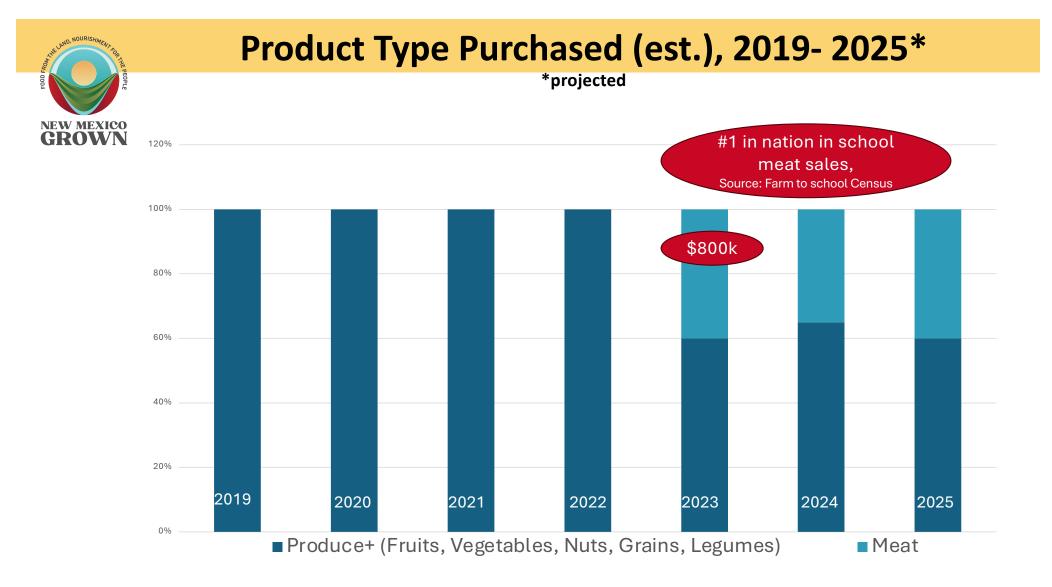
Wholesale Sales



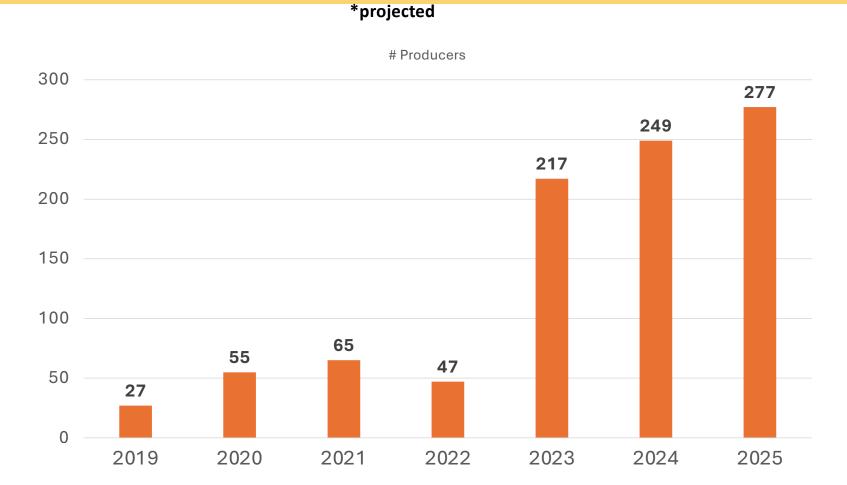




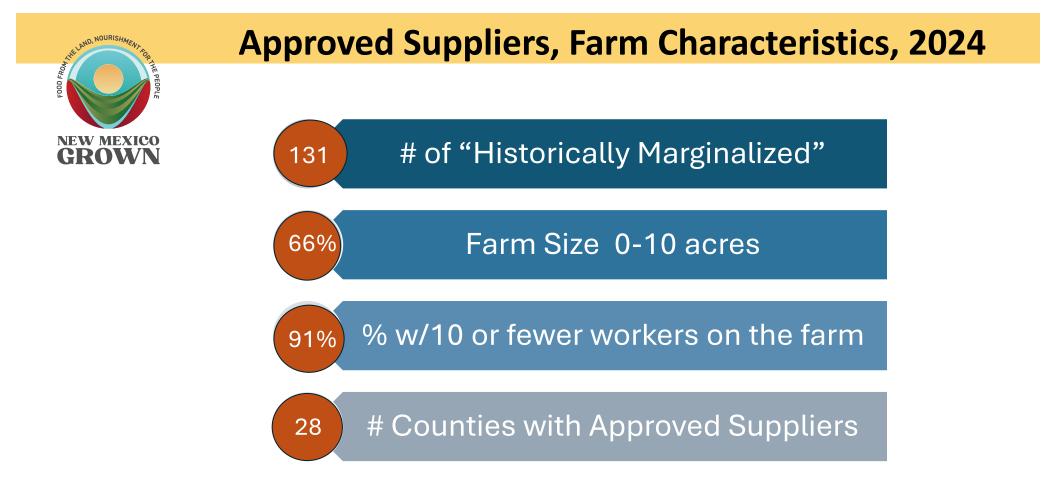




Number of NM Grown Producers, 2019- 2025*









NM Grown Support – Ongoing & New



The NMFMA Staff

Nutrition Access & Education

NM Grown Approved Supplier Program







New VCC coming in spring

Marketing & Outlet Support









New Comms. person in sprint







Board elections today at 4:15!

The NMFMA Board of Directors



Jedrek Lamb, Chair



Cindy Talamantes

Joe Phy



Ralph Vigil, Vice Chair



Linda & Mario Rosales





Todd Taylor, Treasurer



Bryce Townsend





Contessa Archuletta, Sec.



Josh Cunningham

Carrie Thielen





Thank you!