

## Mesa Conservation District Local Working Group Meeting May 3<sup>rd</sup> from 5:30pm-8pm Grand Junction USDA Service Center 2738 Crossroads Blvd

## This is a hybrid meeting, for those attending via Zoom:

- Please plan to login no later than 5:45 pm.
- Zoom Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86291466619?pwd=RmZUQjVQbFJ5b1hDby9IdFZPL1lvdz09

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## Agenda

5:30 pm: Dinner and networking

6:00 pm: Meeting Begins

- Welcome (5 Minutes) Andrea Datz Mesa Conservation District
- Purpose of meeting, introductions (20 minutes), Facilitator: Chad Cherefko: Assistant State Conservationist for Field Operations USDA-NRCS Colorado
- NRCS overview/update: (10 minutes) William Brownlee: NRCS Resource Team Leader
- Working session- (90 minutes) Facilitator: Chad
  - Vision statement exercise:
    - We'll work with the 6 scenarios and 40 strategies identified during our Exploratory Scenario Planning sessions in March and April to craft a vision statement to help guide our priorities during this meeting and beyond.
      - LINK: 6 Scenarios
      - LINK: 40 Strategies
  - Facilitated Strategic Planning Exercise using the following questions to gather data:
    - What problems and emerging issues do you see in your community related to the environment, agriculture, and conservation in general?
    - Why are they so important?
    - Where are these issues happening?
    - What have you observed that brought these to your attention?
    - What does success look like? When will we know we have fixed this problem?
- Review and Close (15 minutes) Andrea