

Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands

(CNMI)

Day 2 Tabletop

ISSUE: MARKETING

Comments to Western SARE Administrative Council

- Funding for training to develop marketing
- Establish Cooperatives
- Survey for potential markets for products
- Promotion of local products (buy local)

Professional Development Program

- Funding for training to develop marketing
- Training to meet quarantine requirements
- Training for development of value-added products for export (raw vs. processed to avoid quarantine issues); help with transportation issues

Land Grant

- Assisting in assessing needs
- Coordinate to facilitate to facilitate proposals

Island Teams

- Petition on request
- Networking
- Involve all
- Development of value-added products for export
- Training for development of value-added products for export (raw vs. processed to avoid quarantine issues); help with transportation issues
- Promotion of local products

ISSUE: LIVESTOCK AND AQUACULTURE

Comments to Western SARE Administrative Council

- Upgrade genetic base
- Research alternative feeds
- Research on improved production

- Integration of farm and ranches on waste management
- Human pathogen research from livestock and education
- Animal health research and training
- Develop local niche markets
- Development of markets for alternative livestock

Professional Development Program

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- Research alternative feeds
- Training animal health inspection
- Integration of farm and ranches on waste management
- Human pathogen research from livestock and education
- Animal health research and training
- Development of markets for alternative livestock

Land Grant

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Island Team

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