

Specialty Foods from Native American Indians Introduced at Food Hotel Asia

Billings, Montana, USA, April 19, 2010-- The American Indian Foods (AIF) program administered by the Intertribal Agriculture Council (IAC) will introduce Native American food products to the food trade in Asia during Food Hotel Asia in Singapore from April 20-23, 2010.

Nathan Notah & Tina Voigt who administer the program have a primary goal to improve the economic situation for the thousands of American Indian farmers and ranchers. "We aim to pursue and promote the conservation, development and use of our American Indian agricultural resources for the betterment of our people," states Notah. He continues to say, "We appreciate this exciting opportunity for us to include American Indian Foods that have been grown for centuries on menus and store shelves in Asia. We continue to stress high quality, natural production, food-safety standards, diversity and consistency."

Located in Hall 7, Booth 7C3-01 in the USA Pavilion at Singapore Expo, American Indian Foods will have export ready products on display. In addition to learning about the American Indian Foods export program, the food trade will be introduced to companies promoting their line of Native American food products.

Native Natural Southwest Native Foods (Tribal affiliation: Isleta Pueblo) located in Albuquerque, New Mexico is promoting Anazasi beans, red chili powder, blue corn meal and parched blue corn. The Anzasi beans are a perfect side dish and the red chili powder is used as a seasoning on foods.

Sugpiaq (Tribal affiliation: Sugpiaq Alaskan Natives) located in Anchorage, Alaska will showcase Alaskan wild ocean seafood. The company sells wild salmon, halibut, cod and king crab from the ocean waters of Alaska.

Wilderness Delights (Tribal affiliation: Yakama Nation) located in White Swan, Washington is promoting wild morel and bolete mushrooms and wild huckleberries. The company harvests these products in the wild within the mountain ranges of the Pacific Northwest.

Foods from Native American Indians come from tribes in the United States and are grown on lands of the Native American Nations or from their natural waters. Many of the products sold are still harvested in ways defined hundreds of years ago by the American Indian Tribes.

Food products from participants in the American Indian Foods export program include beef jerky, chillis, popcorn, wild rice, fry bread, produce, berries, American Bison meat, seafood/fish, mushrooms, apples, cranberries, seasonings and other agricultural products.

In addition to exhibiting at food shows, American Indian Foods sponsors Native Tastes cooking demonstrations, foreign buyer missions and press missions.

To learn more about American Indian Foods and the participants in FHA, visit our booth at Hall 7, 7C3-01 in the USA Pavilion.

For more information after the show, visit www.AmericanIndianFoods.com or contact Mike Moretti, American Indian Foods' Asia consultant at moretti@american-taste.com.

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