Olive Production & Management Seminar

December 15, 2014
Monday, 8:30 am—2:30 pm
San Antonio Livestock Exposition
Dairy Barn, West Gate/Gate A
3201 E. Houston Street
San Antonio, TX 78219

Open to Commercial Olive Producers,
Small Acreage Farm Operators and the General Public

8:30—9:00 Registration
9:00—9:45 Current status of Texas Olive production; site selection and cold mitigation—Monte Nesbitt, Ext Prog Sp I, College Station, TX
9:45—10:00 Break
10:00—10:45 Comparing the Advantages of Growing Olives in California and Texas—Jim Kamas, Asst Prof & Ext Fruit Sp, Viticultural & Fruit Lab, Fredericksburg, TX
10:45—11:00 Break
11:00—11:45 The challenges of harvesting and milling olives—Dr. Larry Stein, Asso Dept Head/Ext & Ext Sp, Uvalde, TX
11:45—12:30 Lunch provided
12:30—1:00 Current and past research projects by Texas Tech—Dr. Thayne Montague, Assoc Prof of Hort with joint Texas A&M Research, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, TX
1:00—1:30 Proposed Texas A&M AgriLife Research projects—Dr. Raul I. Cabrera, Assoc Professor, Uvalde, TX
1:30—2:00 Texas A&M AgriLife Ext Svc variety and site selection trials—Monte Nesbitt.
2:00—2:30 Questions & Answer and Evaluations

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