

# "Healthy Soil Is A Lot More Than Dirt!"

Healthy soil is teeming with life and activity. It's rich in organic matter, insects, earthworms, air, water and nutrients. Practices that will be presented are means of reducing water and synthetic inputs leading to lower operating costs. Healthy soil improves crop quality and yield along with reducing objectionable field runoffs such as salts, nitrates and selenium.

Please join us for a three-day event designed to educate producers and agency personnel about issues of water quality and the relationship of farm soil practices to achieving improved water quality in the Colorado River and its tributaries.



## 2nd Annual Western Slope Soil Health Conference

**Featured Speaker:**  
Ray Archuleta

Mr. Archuleta is a Conservation Agronomist who teaches soil quality and the principles of agroecology throughout the country.

**When:**  
February 6th, 7th and 8th

**Conference begins at 9:00 a.m. on the morning of the February 6th**

**Where:**  
Holiday Inn Express  
(Jordan Room)  
1391 South Townsend,  
Montrose, Colorado 81401

*Agriculture Product Vendor  
Booths will be available to visit at  
your leisure*

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