

IT'S ALL ABOUT WATER

FILMS & CONVERSATION

**FREE
EVENT**

Friday, February 10

4:45 pm–10:00 pm

Saturday, February 11

9:00 am–5:30 pm

South Broadway
Cultural Center

1025 Broadway Blvd. SW,
Albuquerque

Is this our future?

Friday: What are the impacts of oil, gas and uranium development on our water, air and health?

- 4:45 Doors Open/Environmental Groups Exhibits
5:20 Welcome and Overview of Evening
5:30 Film: "Natural Gas from Shales: Some Myths and Realities"
6:10 Film: "Split Estate" (mineral rights and hydraulic fracturing "fracking")
7:30 **Panel – Issues of oil, gas, tar sands and uranium extraction**
Panelists: **Gwen Lachelt**, Oil and Gas Accountability Project
Debra Anderson, Producer, "Split Estate"
Kathleen Dudley/Don Hamilton, Drilling Mora County
Darlene Gomez, Attorney, raised on a ranch with a "split estate"
Nadine Padilla, Coordinator, Multicultural Alliance for a Safe Environment
8:30 Film: "Tipping Point" (the truth about Canadian Tar Sands)

Saturday: Can New Mexico's water support its population, farming and industrial needs?

- 9:00 Doors Open/Environmental Group Exhibits
9:20 Welcome and Overview of Day
9:30 Film: "Liquid Assets" (municipal water systems)
10:15 **Panel – Albuquerque and Bernalillo County Water Infrastructure**
Panelists: **Kathy Verhage**, Albuquerque Stormwater Management
David Price, Water Utility Authority
Bruce Thomson, Director of UNM Water Resources Program
Paul Robinson, Southwest Research and Information Center
11:30 Film: "American Southwest: are we running dry?"
Noon **Panel – Water Rights, Acequias, the Rio Grande and Climate Change**
Panelists: **James Maestas**, South Valley Regional Association of Acequias
Steve Harris, Rio Grande Restoration
Elaine Hebard, Independent Water Policy Expert
Dave Gutzler, UNM Earth and Planetary Science
1:15 Working Bag Lunch (bring your own): What can we do? Discussion and planning
2:30 Film: "Water for the World Act of 2011"
2:40 Film: "Tapped" (bottled water industry and privatization of water)
4:00 Film: "Blue Gold" (international water issues and efforts to address problems)

****Sponsors: New Mexico Wilderness Alliance, Amigos Bravos, Food & Water Watch, Sierra Club****

Please bring water in a sustainable container. Light refreshments will be provided.

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