

## Survey: Use of Ground Juniper in Livestock Feed

## **PLEASE SEND TO:**

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- **NOTES:** \* Include contact information when you submit this form, if you would like to be added to the TX A&M AgriLife Nutrition Program mailing list.
  - \* Your input is *greatly* appreciated and will be used to help direct the AgriLife Research Nutrition Program.
- 1. My occupation (e.g., feedlot manager, ranching, feed sales, equipment sales, etc.): *List as many as necessary*
- 2. I personally own livestock
  - \_\_\_ Yes (species and approximate quantity): \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_ No
- 3. I am involved in (Please check all that apply):
  - \_ Feeding livestock in a feedlot
  - livestock species: \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_ Raising livestock on pasture and/or rangelands *livestock species*:
  - Livestock sales/procurement
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Government agency (e.g., NRCS, TXSWCB, etc.)
  - \_\_\_\_ Media
  - \_\_\_\_ Sales (*feed*)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Sales (*livestock, equipment, veterinary, etc.*)
  - \_\_\_\_ Student: rank (high school, college, ...): \_\_\_\_\_ Other, not listed: (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

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- 4. On average, how many tons of feed do you purchase annually?
- 5. I'm currently paying this amount for drylot feed (indicate per **50-lb bag** or per **ton**):
  - \$\_\_\_\_\_ per \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. I'm currently paying this amount for rangeland supplement (indicate per **50-lb bag** or per **ton**):
  - \$\_\_\_\_\_ per \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. I would be interested in attending a TX A&M AgriLife conference related to economically harvesting and feeding juniper to livestock (**Please check only 1**):
  - \_\_\_\_\_ not interested at all/wouldn't attend
  - \_\_\_\_\_a little interested
  - \_\_\_\_\_ moderately interested
  - \_\_\_\_\_ interested
  - \_\_\_\_\_ very interested
- 8. To have access to juniper as a feed source, I'd be interested in (Please check all that apply):
  - \_\_\_\_ purchasing my own equipment and labor; harvesting/grinding juniper myself
  - \_\_\_\_\_ forming a cooperative with others to share equipment and/or labor
  - \_\_\_\_\_ allow a commercial operation access to my property to cut and remove juniper for free
  - \_\_\_\_\_ bring downed trees to a centralized location and pay a fee to have it ground for me
  - \_\_\_\_\_ none of the above: I would just purchase ground juniper from a distributor.
- 9. My knowledge of using ground juniper in livestock feed:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> time that I've heard of it
  - \_\_\_\_\_ a little a lot

I heard about it by (e.g., press articles, Wood to Feed website, field day):

10. Currently, I'd be willing to purchase (at current feed prices) mixed feeds containing ground juniper \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no \_\_\_\_\_ not sure; need more information

Please explain if "no" :\_\_\_\_\_



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