Las Cruces Area Real Food Resources

Facebook Groups

- Hunt Gather Grow Las Cruces https://www.facebook.com/groups/1026708180738467
- Las Cruces Gardening Resource https://www.facebook.com/groups/396098954064479
- Las Cruces Farmers and Homesteaders https://www.facebook.com/groups/264348920714893

Farmers' Markets

- Las Cruces Farmers' & Crafts Market Location: Downtown Mall Market Season: all year Schedule: Saturdays & Wednesdays, 8 am to 12:30 pm http://www.lascrucesfarmersmarket.org/ The market features fresh local produce (some organic), eggs, breads, honey, natural beef, pecans, and more. EBT, WIC, and Senior checks are accepted.
- La Union Farmers' Market Location: Town Park, corner of Telles & Campo Santo Market Season: mid-July through mid-September Schedule: Sundays, 8 am to sellout
- Mesilla Mercado on the Plaza Location: 2205 Avenida de Mesilla Market Season: May through October –
 Schedule: Fridays, 11am-4pm, Sundays 11am-4pm
- Ardovino's Farmer's Market Location: 1 Ardovino Dr. in Sunland Park, New Mexico Schedule: Saturdays 8am1pm https://www.ardovinos.com/the-markets-at-adc The market features fresh local produce (some organic),
 pork, breads, and more.

Stores

• Toucan Market – Location: 1701 #1 E. University – Contact: (575) 521-3003, www.toucanmarket.com – Toucan Market is a supermarket that combines conventional foods as well as organic foods. The produce department offers a full selection, and about 60% of the produce is organic. DeSmet RAW milk, local produce, local beef, local eggs, and local pecans are also sold. There is an extensive selection of fresh meats and fish, gourmet cheeses, and wines. Bulk grains are also offered. Some supplements are also sold.

- Natural Grocer's Location: 3970 E. Lohman Ave - Contact (575) 522-1711, http://www.naturalgrocers.com/store-locations/las-cruces - Natural Grocers is a supermarket and supplement store that offers a wide selection of groceries and products including natural foods, organic produce, bulk grains and herbs, vitamins and supplements, organic meat and dairy, wild-caught fish, homeopathic medicines, and local honey and green chile. Because this is a chain store, the prices tend to be lower than at the locally-owned stores.
- Sprouts Farmer's Market Locations: 2340 East Lohman, Las Cruces, NM -- Contact: (575) 680-3680,
 https://www.sprouts.com/store/nm/las-cruces/las-cruces/ Sprouts is a store that offers fresh produce, natural and organic groceries, high-quality meats and seafood, bulk items, bakery fresh breads and pastries, homeopathic medicines, and natural vitamins and supplements. Prices tend to be higher than at Natural Grocer's.
- FARMesilla Location: 1840 Avenida de Mesilla Contact: (575) 652-4626, https://farmesilla.com Local produce,
 DeSmet RAW milk (more expensive than at Toucan), local cheeses, and a restaurant.
- Keller's Farm Store Location: Two locations in Albuquerque, 2912 Eubank NE and 6100H Coors Blvd. Hours: Monday through Saturday 9 am to 7 pm, Sundays 9:30 am to 6 pm Contact: (505) 294-1427 or (505) 898-6121 www.kellersfarmstores.com Keller's offers New Mexico's largest selection of fresh, smoked and roasted meats. The prices are much better than anything comparable in Las Cruces. The meat is not certified organic, however Keller's meats have no preservatives, dyes, colorings, tenderizers, nitrates, nitrites, or MSG. The meats are always hand cut fresh daily in the store from whole animals. This means that all cuts of meat are available, including organ meats, chicken feet, etc. A very wide variety of meats is available, including beef, chicken, turkey, buffalo, duck, pork, lamb, goat, and sausages. Large orders (such as a quarter of beef) are also offered. Additionally, Keller's offers a wide selection of organic and natural groceries.

Community Supported Agriculture (CSAs) and Specific Foods

- **De Smet Raw Milk Dairy and Beef** Location: Dairy is in Bosque Farms near Albuquerque, but their raw milk and yogurt is available at Toucan Market or FARMesilla in Las Cruces. They also sell beef on the farm.
- Living Harvest Bakery Location: Bakery is in Mimbres, but their breads and baked goods are available at the Las Cruces Farmer's Market.
- Kind Bread Company Location: 201 S Solano Dr, Suite G, Las Cruces Contact: (575) 993-1560,
 https://www.kindbreadco.com/ True sourdough breads, bagels, pastries, etc and made with local eggs and honey.

- K&D Pecans Location: Las Cruces Contact: 575-523-7270, https://pagedw.wixsite.com/kanddpecans "Finest Mesilla Valley Pecans, Never Any: Commercial Pesticide, Herbicide, Fungicide or Synthetic Fertilizers. If no one answers the phone, please leave a message."
- Desert Micro Location: Las Cruces Contact: https://desertmicro.life/ Many varieties of microgreens, with home delivery available.
- Skarsgard Farms Location: Albuquerque, with weekly home delivery to Las Cruces Contact: https://skarsgardfarms.deliverybizpro.com/ – "We partner with growers in neighboring states in addition to New Mexico to fill the void in diversity and availability of produce here in the Land of Enchantment. This turns our community into a regional community, inclusive of New Mexico, Arizona, California, Colorado and Mexico so that our members can receive amazing, Certified Organic produce all year long instead of being limited by the seasonality of our local area. We offer a plethora of produce, meats, dairy, baked goods, pantry staples, and more!"
- Ganados Del Rey Beef and Pork Location: 109 Country Club Lane, Anthony NM 88021 Contact: (575) 640-5904, https://ganadosdelrey.com/ "Ganados del Rey is a Craft Meat Producer and an experienced, responsible livestock operator that raises healthy, tender, and tasty beef in New Mexico. Our Criollo cattle and Heritage Hogs are raised in an all natural environment, using traditional ranching and farming practices, and also innovative methods to produce refined characteristics in our meats. We take pride in making sure that no synthetics, antibiotics, growth hormones or pesticides are used in production. Our animals are processed one at a time to ensure quality, at the finest butcheries in the Southwest."
- JX Ranch Natural Beef Location: 6237 State Highway 209, Tucumcari, NM 88401 Contact: Mimi Sidwell (575) 403-6904 "We sell retail beef cuts year round, as well as very popular "beef packs". Also sells custom cut quarter, half and whole beef, mainly in the late fall when we deliver for free to your locations (Las Cruces customers meet us at Alamogordo). No antibiotics, growth-hormones, no grain or junk added and no mRNA vaccines! Born and raised on our family ranch in New Mexico on our native, regeneratively and holistically managed pastures. 100% grass-fed/finished, harvested at a young age and dry-aged for two to three weeks, giving you lean tender and flavorful beef." Website: https://leannaturalbeef.com; email: info@leannaturalbeef.com
- **Dixie Chickens Pasture Raised Poultry** Location: 4020 N. Hwy 28, Las Cruces, NM 88005 Contact: Theresa Daviet (575)524-9206 Home grown chicken, turkey, and eggs.

Bulk Foods

• Azure Standard - azurestandard.com - phone orders: (971)-200-8350 -- Azure Standard is a bulk and natural foods supplier that delivers to Las Cruces once per month. They sell a wide variety of products, including bulk organic produce, grains, pet foods, organic livestock feeds, and many of the same items that can be found in grocery stores. The local coordinator is Maria Simmons (m_simmons@cybermesa.com), and the local route for Las Cruces is L2: Arizona + New Mexico. The Monthly drop point for Las Cruces is Lowe's Home Improvement Store on Main Street. (3200 N. Main St., Las Cruces, NM).