



— COOKING with VISIT DENVER

and Chef Dana Rodriguez

Denver's dining scene is sizzling! From Food & Wine to The New York Times, the city's reputation for fine dining has risen enormously, thanks to James Beard Award-winning chefs, innovative chef-owned eateries, gourmet markets, food halls and a focus on locally sourced cuisine. Until you can dine on one of Denver's famous patios yourself, try making this green chili pozole from Chef Dana Rodriguez of Work & Class and Super Mega Bien – both of which have been nominated for James Beard Awards!

Chef Dana Rodriguez's

GREEN CHILI POZOLE



INGREDIENTS

4 poblano chilis

4 jalapeños

5 tomatillos

1 white onion

5 garlic cloves

1/2 bunch fresh cilantro

1 TBS ground cumin

1 TBS ground coriander

1 TBS dry Mexican oregano

1½ tsp black pepper

3 TBS salt

32 oz canned hominy, drained

3 qts chicken or veggie stock

4 cups shredded chicken - rotisserie chicken is great

1/2 cup canola oil

Cut onion in half. Slice one half and set the other aside. Remove the stems from the peppers. Grill peppers, onion, garlic and tomatillos for about 10 minutes until nice and charred. Combine cilantro and spices in a food processor or blender. Add the grilled veggies and blend together.

In a large pot, add the oil and the blended green salsa. Add the chicken and stock. Simmer for 1 hour. Add the hominy and simmer for another 30 minutes. ¡Buen provecho!