

BLACK BEAN AND SWEET POTATO CHILI

A hearty vegetarian twist on a familiar favorite. A meat variation of this recipe can be made by replacing some of the beans with ground turkey.

Serves 50 Adults

INGREDIENTS

2 onions, diced

1/4 cup garlic, minced

2-3 stalks celery, sliced thinly

2 bell peppers, diced

1 teaspoon ground black pepper

1 tablespoon oregano

½ cup chili powder

3 tablespoons paprika

2 #10 cans low-sodium black beans, drained and rinsed

1 #10 can chopped tomatoes

10 lb. unpeeled sweet potatoes, 1-inch diced

2 cups tomato paste

2 tablespoons salt

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Sauté onions, celery, and garlic in oil. Add bell peppers and spices (chili powder, oregano, paprika, and black pepper).
- 2. Add black beans, tomato paste, and chopped tomatoes.
- 3. Simmer and add sweet potatoes. Cook for an hour until sweet potatoes are soft. Add water and salt if needed.