## **Texas Ranch Chicken Casserole**

## **Ingredients:**

- 1 lg onion chopped
- 2 celery ribs chopped
- 1 medium green pepper chopped
- 1 medium sweet red pepper chopped
- 1 tbl canola oil
- 1 garlic clove
- 3 cups cubes cooked chicken
- 1 can cream of celery
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- 1 can (10 oz) diced tomatoes & green chilies undrained
- 1 tbl chili powder
- 12 corn tortillas cut into 1 inch strips
- 2 cups (8oz) shredded cheddar cheese divided

## **Directions:**

- o In a large non-stick skillet coated with cooking spray.
- o Sauté onion, celery & peppers in oil until crisp tender.
- o Add garlic cook one min longer.
- O Stir in chicken, soups, tomato & chili powder.
- Line the bottom of a 3 qt baking dish with half the tortilla strips, top with half the chicken mixture & 1 cup cheese.
- Repeat layers.
- o Bake uncovered at 350 degrees 30-35 minutes or until bubbly.
- Cool and freeze.

Directions: Defrost in frig overnight and reheat at 300 degrees for 30 minutes.