Diversity Working Group 5/5/21 Notes

Gary Smith quickly introduced Dipti as Chair.

DR called meeting at 7:10 – New folks not attended.

Survey sent 5/3/21 via email blast/newsletter

Survey results as of 5/5 - 29 participants -

1st Wednesday of every month reminder.

Mosaic Goals – October 2nd -replacing Fall Festival slot

Short term

The simplicity in the first event: Food trucks, entertainment on the stage, alcohol as an option, what open spaces do we have- all! There is no commitment at this point

Oktoberfest – looser celebration of Bavarian culture and more broad to encompass beyond the beer driven history of SR's previous Fall Festivities – SR still hosts beer distribution

Fall MOSAIC!? – not erasing Oktoberfest but providing more

One Day event – for now...with limited space – WT to share Reston Cal with time split of hourly cultures

Committees: Entertainment, Food, Booths - Curtis, Logistics - SC

Entertainment – Dance/Musicians – TEACHing the dances pertained to the culture:paired with DJ

Food -

Booths – local vendors/businesses (sharing guidelines for political booth presence)

Logistics – Fire/rescue, safety, marketing – flyer distribution

Omar – Ultimate Team Player to chip in where needed. (AXN: Call between Omar, Dipti, BI)

Stacey – Verifying schedule with Scouts, but able to help prelim before committing to actual time.

12-8: 8 hours total of entertainment and activity

Long Term:

How to make it longer, beyond the "single" day

OMAR- Family focused - boots on the ground/door knocking to solicit involvement!

Flyer Distribution – to attract families. Target Youth based activities/organizations: Tae Kwon Do, Scouts, Dance troupes, Reach out to local groups to have open invitations

Gary wants more people to do stuff – as in join more committees!

Reach out for committee volunteers via Facebook/Email – specific to each committee

DR – AXN: get out job descrips to DWG by end of NEXT week.

DR Calls to share the Facebook survey post, ask to invite more people to join committee

Team AXN: Contact list within G-Drive

DR – to share with me the food truck contact