CITY OF BELLEVUE BELLEVUE DIVERSITY ADVISORY NETWORK (BDAN)

MEETING NOTES

October 30, 2018

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 6:05 PM Bellevue City Hall Room (1E-112)

ROLL CALL, PRESENT: Anthony Austin, Aisha Kabani, Haruka Kojima, Jennifer Karls, Eloisa Tran, Chinar Bopshetty, Jingdong Yu, Margie Ye, Justin Daigneault, Mohamed Bakr, Seema Bahl, Guang-an Wu (GW), Michael Carr, Quianna Ross, Adnan Siddiquie, Sapan Parekh, Liena Ugarova, Angela DE La Hoz

BDAN MEMBERS ABSENT: Alaric Bien, Tom Brewer, Nahyeli Mendivil, Aleksandra Poseukova

BDAN, NON-VOTING. Excused: Linda Whitehead, Maria Batayola, Beabe Akpojovwo

STAFF/OTHERS PRESENT: Blayne Amson, Elaine Acacio

NOTETAKER: Aisha Kabani (Vice Chairperson)

FACILITATOR: Anthony Austin, Chairman

NOTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING APPROVED: Notes of September 15, 2018 (not available)

AGENDA FOR MEETING ADOPTED: As prepared by the Chairman

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION OF MEMBERS

Aisha lead an ice-breaker exercise where members shared an important event during the ‘year’ found on their penny.

PRESENTATION – DIVERSITY ADVANTAGE PLAN

City staff members made slide presentations regarding inclusion, outreach and engagement within the context of Bellevue’s diverse community. A brief Q&A session followed their presentations.

* ADA / Ttile IV Policy – Blayne Amson, Administrator
* Catalyst of Organizational Change – Elaine Acacio, Diversity & Inclusion Administrator

BUSINESS ISSUES – Chairman & Vice Chair

* A questionnaire was designed for feedback from membership (SurveyMonkey). PLEASE RESPOND.
* The ARCH Intake Form & supplemental Information has been emailed to members for review.
* BDAN will host ARCH for our 2nd advisory session on Nov 27.
* BYLAWS – final review, comments & changes were agreed upon for ratification on Nov 27.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

* Awaiting final selection for the new Diversity Outreach Administrator for next meeting – Nov 27
* During November, we will establish our Officer’s Ballot (BDAN leadership for the New Year)
* Next Meeting – Tuesday, November 27 (6:00 – 8:00PM)

MEETING ADJOURNED: 8:30 PM