

HRAC May Event Sub-committee Meeting

Feb 15th

Present: Marilyn, Farrah, Chase

- DAB
 - Marilyn talked with DAB about partnership
 - DAB needs to check if it could fit into their yearly goals
 - If partnered, could use their scheduled time (2nd Tuesday of the month) in the Chamber
- Theming of Event Ideas
 - ~~Do Know Your Rights~~
 - ~~From Immigrants' Eyes~~
 - ~~Working with Immigrant Communities~~
 - **Advocating for your Migrant Neighbor**
- Intended Audience
 - Immigrant and refugee community
 - People who know migrants
- Panelist member qualifications
 - 2-3 migrant community, 1-2 servicing
 - People who have gone through the immigration process directly (for migrant panelists)
 - Hispanic representation
 - Middle Eastern representation
 - Refugee representation
- Possible Panelists
 - Lacy from City Council
 - Metropolitan Public Defender Services rep
 - Service-oriented people
 - An immigrant who has gone through learning about living in Beaverton
 - A refugee who went through vetting process
 - Former undocumented immigrant who got legality status
 - An immigrant with a disability
 - Centro Cultural rep (HRC of WashCo) or Adelante Mujeres
 - DAB member, such as Oswaldo through Alexis
- Priming from audience
 - Good idea
 - Specific questions to get concrete information
 - Have facilitator be able to probe questions
- Food
 - Deserts and coffee, with some small sandwiches
 - Maggie's Buns
 - Beaverton Bakery
 - Starbucks for coffee
 - Japanese Bakery (Oyapan?)
 - Tan Tan Café, Vietnamese

- Iraqi food place/ bakery
- Fine-tune food later
- Logistics
 - Trained Facilitator
 - Dispute center
 - Carly
 - Consuelo Star
 - Toast Masters
 - Immigrant facilitator, maybe?
 - Good grasp on immigrant issues; able to probe questions
 - Translator, maybe?
 - Spanish
 - Another language?
 - Have Panel sitting at a table
 - similar to October's event
 - Timing
 - 6:30-7pm: food meet-and-greet
 - 7pm-8pm: panel
 - 8-8:30pm: tear-down
 - Meet before the day of the event to test equipment

Action Items:

- Phil: contact his church's refugee non-profit to see if he can get a refugee willing to be a panelist
- Marilyn: contact Oswaldo
- Farrah: from ISGP or Bilal Mosque
- Farrah: Contact Lacy
- Farrah: check on date with Tsipora
- Chase: contact Metropolitan Public Defender Services or National Lawyers Guild