RACE, EQUITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION COMMISSION AGENDA REPORT

TO: Race, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (REDI) Commission

FROM: Randi Johl, Executive Director

DATE: September 9, 2021

SUBJECT: Consider Opportunities to Host a Multi-Cultural Event in the City of Temecula (At the Request of Subcommittee Members Mayor Edwards and Mayor Pro Tem Rahn)

PREPARED BY: Randi Johl, Director of Legislative Affairs/City Clerk

RECOMMENDATION: That the Commission consider various opportunities to host a multicultural event in the City of Temecula and provide general recommendations regarding the same.

BACKGROUND: On July 14, 2020, the City Council adopted the Race, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (REDI) Initiative. While Phase I of the initiative was internal facing, Phase II of the initiative is external facing premised on the community's involvement and engagement. On August 23, 2021, staff met with REDI Commission Liaisons Mayor Edwards and Mayor Pro Tem Rahn to provide a status update on the initiative as Phase I approaches completion and Phase II begins. At that meeting, the subcommittee members provided direction to seek input and recommendations from the REDI Commission regarding an annual multi-cultural event hosted in the City. The questions for consideration include what kind of event could be held, when and where could the event take place, what types of activities could be incorporated, and what efforts could be undertaken to ensure inclusion of all segments of the community in such an event. The Commission is being asked to provide general recommendations regarding the same.

FISCAL IMPACT: None

ATTACHMENTS: None