Good morning Nichole,

I would like to get this item put on the BOE agenda for the next meeting. It is for our multicultural month event. We will be having food trucks come to our school again. Please let me know if there is anything else I must do or provide to you. Dr. Baskerville & Ms. McLean are aware of the date and ok'd it.

Thank you so much.

## Re: Board of Education Approval Request

Who: The Multicultural Committee is hosting the event

Event: Multicultural Food Truck Event

**Why:** Through the various vendors, the Multicultural Committee created the Food Truck event as an opportunity to enhance cultural awareness and to remind people of the similarities and differences among cultures. Immigrants bring the food of their countries with them wherever they go and cooking traditional food is a way of preserving their culture when they move to new places. Continuing to make food from their culture for family meals is a symbol of pride for their ethnicity and can serve as a means of coping with homesickness.

When: Friday, April 28, 2023

Where: Franklin Elementary School Blacktop

Time: 3pm-5pm Cost: Free!

\*\*There is no cost to attend the Food Truck Event. The Food truck vendors will directly receive the money for their items sold.

Vendors have been cross checked with Town Hall obtaining the necessary permits.

**Vendors:** The Box Mobile Catering, Tunkas, Melts and Food Truck, Twelve Truck, The Green Dog Mobl, Martina's Kitchen.

Alicia Rodriguez School Counselor Middle School Volleyball Coach Franklin Elementary School 908-851-4699

