Meeting started at 11:05 AM.

1. Welcome: Catherine Vijayakumar, Ravi Jadeja, Ajay Kumar, Udaya Desilva, Chajin Chung, Junpeng Deng, Fery Suryadi and Kiem Ta were present.

2. Motion was made by Udyaya to approve the following officer positions by the board. Catherine seconded the motion. All nominations were unanimously approved.
   a. Dr. Ajay Kumar for President, Dr. Junpeng Deng for Vice-president, Dr. Ravi Jadeja for secretary and Ms. Kiem Ta for secretary.

3. Events to organize:
   a. A forum will be organized either this semester before Thanksgiving break or early next semester. Suggestion was made to have a panel discussion instead of one speaker so that it can attract broad audience. Panel can address several issues including financial planning, professional growth, raising kids in Stillwater, etc.
   b. Suggestion was made to organize/sponsor a kid’s event (soccer, music, pool) along with the picnic in spring of 2016.

4. AAFSA homepage maintaining and update:
   a. List-serve should be updated every 6 months so that new Asian faculty and staff can get resources available through AAFSA.
   b. Fery will update names of officers on the AAFSA webpage.
   c. Please send any picnic pictures to Fery for putting on the website.

5. Other initiatives
   a. A list of resources (groceries, restaurants, churches, schools, daycares, physicians, mechanics etc.) will be prepared and added to the AAFSA website so that AAFSA members (especially new) can get to know resources in Stillwater.

6. Fundraising: To support the activities and possibly provide student scholarship, fundraising activities might be needed. We will pursue this activity next semester.

The meeting adjourned at around noon.

Respectfully submitted,

Ajay Kumar

President, AAFSA

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