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Dear Friends:

I write to offer my greetings and best wishes on today's celebration of Holi – the Festival of Color.

I am delighted that King County's Marymoor Park could host the Pacific Northwest's largest Festival of Color/Holi celebration, which welcomes the arrival of Spring.

I congratulate the organizers of this free event, Northwest Share and the Vedic Cultural Center, and I thank King County Parks and the City of Redmond's Tourism Grant program for also providing support.

The ancient festival of Holi (Festival of Color) is celebrated every year in India with participants of all ages enjoying the fun of coloring while dancing and jumping blissfully with friends and community members.

King County draws its strength from its diversity and is home to a large, vibrant Asian community. According to the 2020 Census, people of Asian Pacific descent now make up 20.5 percent of King County's population of 2.3 million people.

My best wishes on an enjoyable event!

Sincerely,

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