Recipe: Vegan Black Bean Sweet Potato Chili

INGREDIENTS:

- 2 TB olive oil
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 2 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 large sweet potato
- 2 TB chili powder
- 2 tsp cumin
- 2 tsp smoked paprika
- 1 tsp Himalayan sea salt
- 28-oz diced tomatoes with juices (I used fire roasted tomatoes)
- (2) 15-oz cans black beans, drained and rinsed
- 2 cups vegetable broth (or water)
- Toppings: chopped cilantro, chopped green onion, avocado

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. In a large pot over medium heat, add olive oil. Sauté the onion for 4ish minutes, until translucent, then add the garlic and sweet potato and cook two more minutes.
- 2. Add the chili powder, cumin, smoked paprika and salt. Stir it into the veggies.
- 3. Pour in the diced tomatoes along with their juices, the drained black beans, and two cups of vegetable broth. Stir to combine.
- 4. Allow the mixture to simmer for 20 minutes, uncovered.
- 5. Serve with avocado chunks, cilantro, and green onions.