**Bharatiya Temple of Lansing: Annual General Body Meeting**

**January 7, 2016**  
**Time: 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.**  
**Location: Temple**

Reported by: Devesh Poddar

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**Additional Attendees**

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<td>Meeting Started with Pooja.</td>
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<td>Chairperson update</td>
<td>Mathiji provided update on New board, Membership expansion outreach, Strategic priority projects including temple website, Annual General body Meeting, New Committees creation and upcoming temple programs.</td>
<td>Mathiji proposed motion for approval of December (AGM) meeting minutes. Board approved.</td>
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<td>The new board and various committees</td>
<td>Mathiji welcomed new board member Bidhanji.</td>
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<td>The new board and various committees were proposed and approved.</td>
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**New Board 2017:**  
Mathi Ramachandran, Chairperson  
Meena Sharma, Vice-Chairperson  
Rajat Shah, Treasurer  
Devesh Poddar, Secretary  
Narsimha Gundamraj, Co-Secretary  
Ketan Patel, Trustee  
Kiran Gupta, Trustee  
Ramesh Devaram, Trustee  
Bidhan Redey, Trustee

**Committees:**  
**Fund Raising Committee:**  
Dr. Narasimha Gundamraj (Chair)  
Mathi Ramachandran  
Bidhan Redey
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| **Priest Management Committee:** | Kiran Gupta (Chair)  
Ketan Patel  
Ramesh Devaram |
| **Puja Committee:**         | Meena Sharma (Chair)  
Mathi Ramachandran  
Dr. Narasimha Gundamraj |
| **Maintenance Committee:**  | Ketan Patel (Chair)  
Bidhan Redey |
| **Youth Committee:**        | Ramesh Devaram (Chair)  
Devesh Poddar |
| **PR Committee:**           | Bidhan Redey (Chair) |
| **Website Content Maintenance:** | Devesh Poddar (Chair)  
Mathi Ramachandran |

**Treasurer Update**

Rajatji will continue as the treasurer and will also try his best to attend the meetings for few months and this is due to his personal commitments.

Mathiji provided the latest financial update of as of December 15, 2016 the checking account balance of $62403, saving account balance of $80,100.

Treasurer will look into setting up auto pay feature options.

**Pooja Committee Update**

Meenaji provided update on upcoming programs of Lohri, Pongal, MATA KI CHAWKI, Shivratri, Ram Navami.

First Sunday Pooja program is booked till June. Also provided update on March Pooja program for high school graduating seniors.

**Priest Committee**

Priest committee provided update on efficient supplies management with help of priests.

Mathiji proposed $300 charge for holt highs school expense for Diwali program, purchasing terra byte drive for backups and document scanner for scanning checks Board approved.
| Meeting ended with prayer |  |