

Bharatiya Temple of Lansing: Monthly Meeting			
Sunday, April 7th 2019			
Time: 2 PM			
Location: Temple Board Room			
Reported by: Prashanti Boinapally			
Attendees:			
	Mrs. Sapna Sood		Mr. Pradeep Kumar
X	Mrs. Suman Kashyap		Mr. Narasimha Gundamraj
X	Mrs. Meena Sharma	X	Mr. Ramesh Devaram
X	Mrs. Prashanti Boinapally	X	Mr. Bidhan Redey
		X	Mr. Jayant Murthy
Agenda Item			
Discussion		Action	
Prayer	Meeting Started with a prayer		
Past meeting tasks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All the pending tasks were accomplished Flooring in shoe area Signage posts for sanctum area Decision on terms for board members will be added as an addendum to March meeting minutes 	Ramesh will follow up Bidhan will order	
Finance Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current balance and March collections presented by Jayant Various software tools to keep track of devotee contributions, yearly updates were discussed 	Jayant will look into the most efficient one	
Priest Committee update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Priest "leave request form" and procedure updated On-line priest service satisfaction survey is being conducted A volunteer log is maintained by priest committee Chair Revised puja fee is posted online, effective for services being reserved starting April 1st 2019 Every year two board members will visit priests homes to assure proper safety and maintenance of the Temple properties Priests bonus package for major events/ festivals was revisited 	Up-date in the weekly announcements – Sapna Post revised fee document at Temple – Sapna/ Bidhan All future bonuses/ salary raises will be based on performance	
Maintenance Committee update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A leak in hallway roof was noticed during past week rain 	Bidhan will follow up on this	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other maintenance related issues addressed • Bidhan will be on vacation in May for few weeks 	
Religious Event Committee update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yoga classes scheduled on Saturdays at BTL – are being provided as a service to Temple members • Meenaji on vacation for four weeks – Sumanji will take her tasks in her absence 	<p>Temple announcement includes this</p> <p>Sumanji incharge of religious event committee until her return</p>
Outreach Committee update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BTL fb page will include a link to BTL email subscription • BTL fb page will have a post related to “opportunity for advertising at BTL” 	<p>Bidhan/ Prashanti</p> <p>Bidhan/ Prashanti</p>
Security Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving Temple security is priority – discussions to check on choices available 	Bidhan
New ideas and discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Request for puja on Temple premises – discussed • OHS school board visit to BTL – Sumanji will lead 	Sumanji
Miscellaneous	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Board will receive minutes from Secretary; by email; a week time is provided for review/ approve • Individual committees need to schedule meetings on an ongoing basis 	Chair recommended all committee chairs to schedule a committee meeting
Next meeting	Next trustee meeting scheduled for May 12 th @ 1pm	
Prayer	Meeting ended with a prayer, meeting adjourned at 4.20PM	