

<b>Bharatiya Temple of Lansing: Monthly Meeting</b>			
<b>Sunday, Aug 5 2018</b>			
<b>Time: 2 PM</b>			
<b>Location: Temple Board Room</b>			
Reported by: Narasimha Gundamraj			
<b>Attendees:</b>			
	Mrs. Sapna Sood	X	Mr. Ketan Patel
	Mrs. Kiran Gupta	X	Mr. Mathi Ramachandran
X	Mrs. Suman Kashyap	X	Mr. Ramesh Devaram
X	Mrs. Manasi Upadhaye	X	Mr. Bidhan Redey
		X	Mr. Narasimha Gundamraj
<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Discussion</b>		<b>Action</b>
	Meeting Started with a prayer		
<b>Treasurer's Update</b>	Balances as of now:		
Current Bank balance	1. Checking account \$ 37,846.75 + Hundi collection 11,155.56		
MSU Credit Union-Add signee	2. Saving account \$ 80,303.50		
53 Bank checks deposit device	3. MSU Credit Union (Emergency Fund) \$28,059.29		
	Adding the current Treasurer Ramesh Devaram as the signee for MSU.		Rameshji along with Bidhan and Manasiji will prepare the balance sheet to be given to Ajay Bharadwaj ji by September.
			Manasiji will send the info to Shivji to update contributions
<b>Pooja Committee</b>	Gurupoornima coordinators to be thanked by Bidhanji		
	Janmashtami program discussed		
	September 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday Pooja discussed		Up-dated in the weekly announcements

	<p>Iskon Radha yatra discussed.</p> <p>Ganesh Pooja Sep 13<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup>. Marathi group coordinating.</p> <p>All temple Rentals or major poojas and their coordinators should be conveyed to Sapnaji.</p>	
<p><b>Maintenance</b></p>	<p>Plate stacking for disposal should be part of the policy for 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Pooja and other function to inform coordinators</p> <p>Cleaning tables discussed.</p> <p>Sink outside sanctum. Discussed</p> <p>Snow removal &amp; Lawn services: Ketanji will look for quotes for the same.</p> <p>Discussed cleaning the wood in the sanctum area and clean/repairs fans</p> <p><b><u>2018 projects:</u></b></p> <p>Replace basement furnace to be discussed before winter. Replaced Roof Top Unit already.</p> <p>Additional parking lot and resurfacing of back lot.</p>	<p>September 8/9 for table cleaning</p> <p>Ketanji will check plumbing company. Inform priests not to wash utensils there.</p> <p>Still looking</p> <p>Ketanji is working on it</p>

	Changing counter top in Panditji's house and allotting some money for maintenance of the priest houses.	
<b>PR committee</b>	Member appreciation dinner October 6 <sup>th</sup> . People who become members by August 30 <sup>th</sup> will be included in the dinner.	Deven's team will perform. Manasiji will finalize member list.
<b>Priest Committee update</b>	<p>Priests to bring all hundi's, including jain temple into the room every night at temple closing.</p> <p>Saree donation update. Priests should Picture of donated sarees.</p> <p>Priest committee meeting and emails about the meeting discussed. Appropriate action discussed. Bidhanji will convey to Kiranji.</p>	Manasiji will send email. Ketanji will look for portable safe.
<b>Fund Raising Committee</b>	Discussed fundraising. Discussed having events during the summer time when no other Pooja is going on.	<p>Manasiji and Rajji are working on entering the data</p> <p>Temple announcement to say membership announcements and last date for membership privileges to be applied for this year only if a devotee becomes a member by June 31<sup>st</sup>.</p> <p>Rajji to Send letters to Mathi for community fundraising</p>
<b>Temple Security</b>	<p>Bidhanji looked into DK security for major events. Bidhanji will schedule with them.</p> <p>Upcoming major events where Security is needed are discussed, Ganesh Chaturthi, Janmashatami, Kalyanam, Diwali.</p>	Ketanji will discuss and plan a security drill.

<b>Youth Committee</b>	Youth group to meet All youth today. group meeting minutes are posted on the temple website.  Planning for Walk-A-Thon August 12 <sup>th</sup>	Rajji to prepare letters for youth members to be recognized on 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday Pooja.
<b>Prayer</b>	Meeting ended with a prayer	