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THE HINDU TEMPLE OF ST. LOUIS

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GENERAL BODY MEETING AND ELECTIONS FOR THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

will be held on Sunday, February 4, 2007 (First Sunday of February) at 1:00 p.m.

Elections for three vacant positions in the *Executive Committee* for the period of three years from 2007-2009 will be conducted during the General Body Meeting. Update of Temple activities and other important items will be discussed at the meeting. Please plan to attend the meeting.

Per *Article VI, Section 1* of the By-Laws of the temple, the following members have been appointed to the Election Committee:

1. Nillima Ghosh – Chairperson

2. Ravi Shitut

3. Nalini Mahadevan

Mail-in nominations for the three vacant positions must be received by 5:00 p.m on January 4, 2007. Nominees for the Executive Committee must be voting members in good standing for at least two preceding years and should have served for at least 12 months in any committee of the Temple in the preceding two years. Each candidate should be nominated by a voting member in good standing and seconded by a voting member in good standing. Voting members in good standing are those who are life members or who have donated membership fees of \$300.00 or more during the period from January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006. Nominations (separate nomination is required for each nominating member) should be mailed to:

Dr. Nillima Ghosh, 20 Berkshire Place, Richmond Heights, MO 63117

Nomination Form

I hereby nominate the following member for the Executive Committee of the Hindu temple of Saint Louis for a three year term of 2007-2009.

Name of Nominee _____

Address of the Nominee _____

Telephone # of the Nominee _____

Signature of the Nominee _____

Nominated by: Name _____ Signature: _____

Address: _____ Telephone # _____

Seconded by: Name _____ Signature: _____

Address: _____ Telephone # _____

The Humanitarian Committee needs your support of Sandwich sponsorship and participation at monthly soup kitchen work. The sponsorship of monthly sandwich preparation is \$75.00. Donor family are requested to help in preparation. To participate in soup kitchen and other projects call Nillima Ghosh at 314-997-7809. For more information on monthly health clinic and legal clinic call G. V. Naidu at 630-230-3300.

Please note that in order to avoid inordinate delays after puja services the following guidelines are being implemented.

1. Offering of individual arati after Satyanarayana puja/katha will not be allowed.
2. Only the short Mantra Pushpam will be recited after 'Jaya Jagadish Hare' after SN puja.
3. On Fridays, Abhishekam for Lakshmi will only be performed in the evening and not in the morning.

Upcoming Festivals in Dec.'06 and Jan. '07

The temple invites you, your family and friends to attend the following events/ festivals and receive Divine Blessings.

*Hanuman Jayanti, Tuesday, December 19th, 2006 @ 7:00 PM.
Ayyappa Mandala Puja, Monday, December 25th 2006 @11:00 AM
Viakuntha Ekadasi, Saturday, December 30th @11:00 AM*

*New Year's Day, Monday, January 1st, 2007 @11:00 AM
Makara Sankranti Day, January 14th, 2007 @11:00 AM
Ratha Saptami, January 25th, 2007 @7:00 PM*

For Sponsorship and puja information call the Temple @ (636) 230-3300

Or visit the temple website @www.hindutemplestlouis.org

Support your temple by starting or renewing Annual Puja and/or Abhishekam sponsorship on your next visit to the temple.



February 4th, 1pm: General Body Meeting/Election

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