

GENERAL BODY MEETING - Q4 2022

Time: Dec 11th 2022 @ 10:30 AM Venue: The Hindu Temple of Greater Cincinnati, 720 Barg salt Run Road, Cincinnati

Agenda

- Financial Update
- Presidents Update
- Executive Council seeks General Body approval for additional positions

The General Body will be requested to vote on 5 additional roles to be added to the EC. The past year saw a tremendous growth in the attendance and events at the temple and despite all the efforts by EC members, certain goals could not be accomplished. Therefore, the EC has discussed and deliberated to request the following additions for 2023.

1. Technology Committee Chair
2. Membership and Volunteering Chair (carved out responsibilities from Fundraising committee)
3. Youth Engagement Chair
4. Sports Committee Chair
5. Event Committee Chair

Per the HSGC Constitution, the General Body needs to approve these roles. Prior to approval of these positions, the current EC members can answer any questions from the General Body on the need for these positions.

- Introduction of Election Commission

The current EC is required to choose at least 3 individuals and appoint them to the Commission. After approaching past Commission members, Mrs. Meena Mehta, Mr. Ambi Balasubramaniam and Mr Arun Gupta were chosen due to their service to the temple and past experience. Most importantly, they were willing to help and readily agreed.

NOMINATIONS SOUGHT FOR EXECUTIVE COUNCIL FOR 2023

Election Time: Dec 11th 2022 @ 11:30 AM Venue: The Hindu Temple of Greater Cincinnati, 720 Barg salt Run Road, Cincinnati

HSGC Election Commission:

Meena Mehta, Chairperson	513-574-6763
Ambi Balasubramaniam	513-256-4483
Arun Gupta	513-509-1480

The term of the Current Executive Council expires on Dec 31, 2022, and the elections for the 2023 Executive Council will be conducted during the **General Body Meeting on Sunday, December 11, 2022 at 11:30 AM**. The **Election Commission** invites nominations for the positions shown

1. President
2. Vice President
3. Secretary
4. Treasurer
5. Religious Education and Youth Activities
6. Puja and Religious Activities
7. Communications
8. Fund Raising (Membership assigned to new role)
9. Property Management and Maintenance
10. Cultural

Please submit fully completed nomination form (see attached) via email to: hsgc2022@yahoo.com

- All candidates must be members of the Hindu Society of Greater Cincinnati in good standing prior to **Nov 10, 2022**.
- For the position of the President, a candidate must have actively served the Hindu Society in an executive capacity for at least one year.
- In addition, youth group is requested to nominate a Youth representative (22 yrs max.) to serve on the Executive Council. This nomination must be endorsed by at least ten youth members.

New positions (Pending General Body Approval)

11. Technology
12. Membership and Volunteering
13. Youth Engagement
14. Sports
15. Event Planning

MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING

A list of all the members (Life, Patron, Annual) will be posted on the notice board in the temple from Dec 4th 2022. Please note that the donation amount will not be posted, but a category of "Individual" or "Family". For privacy reasons, this list will not be posted on the website. The list will include Annual members that paid their dues through Nov 10th. In certain cases there will be a need for documentary evidence as below:

- (a) All voters will need to bring a government issued photo ID
- (b) If a member has "Family" beside the name, BUT, the spouse name is not mentioned, the spouse is still eligible to vote.
- (c) If a person's name is not listed on the board, BUT, the person has paid via cash, a receipt of the cash donation is required to validate annual membership.