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APPEAL LETTER

Dear Friends,

We as a community have been truly blessed by the Lord Siddhivinaayak to have such a beautiful Hindu Temple in Baltimore – DC metropolitan area. Since temple's inception in June 2018, the congregation and overall support to the temple has grown by leaps and bounds.

With the help and initiatives from several devotees and supporters, the temple has hosted several religious, spiritual and cultural events. These events have not only been attended in great numbers, but have also confirmed temple's commitment towards meeting the needs of the devotees.

Many generous individuals from the community have made several donations over the past one year to make certain that this magnificent temple continues to be one of the finest and most unique temples in the region. One can feel the divine presence in the Temple Hall as one sits down there in quiet meditation or joins any of homas or abhishekas which go on so very often. As a matter of fact, your Siddhivinaayak Temple hosted DATTA MAHA YAGYA, the LARGEST yagya in the US for 108 couples in March 2018

Siddhivinaayak Temple has become the focal point of many individuals of our community as it serves the religious, spiritual, educational, cultural, social and charitable needs of the society. We encourage you to make the Siddhivinaayak Temple part of your life, and experience the Hindu Culture & Hindu Heritage right here in Baltimore- DC area.

It is essential that we make certain that this Temple meets its financial obligations. We still have a bank loan, and the large ongoing expenses to keep the Temple open seven days a week to serve the needs of our community. Currently, the most critical things for Siddhivinaayak Temple are:

- Construction of a brand-new kitchen: A new kitchen will allow us to provide meals/ snacks to the devotees and also undertake "giving back" projects by preparing serving meals to under privileged population
- Renovation of community hall: A renovated community hall will allow us to accommodate more individuals at the temple which is very essential for the current and future growth of the congregation.
- A Brand-new stand- alone Shani mandir: Upon completion, this be the ONLY Shani Mandir in the US, which will give Siddhivinaayak Temple a very unique distinction



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Based on several quotes we have received, the cost to complete these projects are estimated as follows:

- Construction of a brand-new kitchen expenses: \$42,000
- Renovation of community hall: \$21,000
- A Brand-new stand- alone Shani mandir (Which will be the ONLY Shani Mandir in the US): \$22,000
- **Total: \$85,000**

In order to make sure these projects come to fruition and become a reality, it is important that we all come together and donate generously to this FUNDRAISING campaign.

Kindly visit the Temple Fundraising website: <https://siddhivinaayak.org/donation> to make either individual contributions or Corporate donations. Siddhivinaayak Temple is a non -profit entity - 501 501(c)(3). It allows donors to those charities to claim a tax deduction for their donation against their income.

Please provide generous support for the Siddhivinaayak Temple, Glen Burnie, MD. Remember it is your Temple! Thank you!