

SRI SHIRDI SAI SAMSTHAN MICHIGAN

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Election Notification for all Life Members of SSSS, MI

Dear Members,

SSSSMI is inviting nominations for 1 Board of Trustee (BOT) position to the Life member category for the year 2024 as per SSSMI constitution of Article III and Bylaw of Article-9.

Category	No. of Positions	Term
Life Member	1	3 years

If you like to submit nomination for the open BOT position, please follow the instructions for election process as outlined below:

- 1. Contesting member should be a good-standing* Life Member of SSSS, MI.
- 2. Contesting member should be a resident of Michigan.
- 3. No member shall contest for more than one position.
- 4. One nomination per member family.
- 5. Filled in nomination form should be dropped in the designated drop box in the Temple on or before, November 13th, 2023 before 5 PM EST.
- 6. Nominations shall be in writing, nominated by a member and seconded by two other good-standing* members.
- 7. Nomination form should be enclosed with your passport size photo This photo will be used in the ballot form if case elections are conducted.
- 8. Nominations will be scrutinized, and respective candidates will be informed by November 14th, 2023.
- 9. Last day for withdrawal of nominations is by 7.00 PM, November 16th, 2023 by sending an e-mail to ec@saibabami.org
- 10.Election committee will announce the need for election in case more applications received than the number of positions available on November 17th, 2023.

- 11.If there are elections, ballots will be mailed by December 1st, 2023 and completed ballots should be received by December 15, 2023 before 7 PM EST in the ballot box at the temple or PO Box.
- 12.Please enclose a short profile (not exceeding 300 words) along with the photograph. Without a short profile enclosed, the nomination will be disqualified.
- 13.To cover the Election expenses, a donation of \$516 for all BOT positions should be paid along with the nomination. The donation should be paid in the form of contestant's personal check or Cashiers check or Money order payable to SSSSMI
- 14. Contestants should not solicit the election nomination in the temple premises or through SSSSMI distribution list or using flyer distribution at the temple.
- 15. Election committee will provide the member phone directory. No email or postal address will be provided. Only Phone calls can be made to members.
- 16. Contestants can apply only in the category they are eligible for. Benefactors, Grand patrons and Patrons are eligible to contest in their respective categories or Life member Category. Life members can apply in Life member category.
- 17. No member shall serve consecutive terms; there must be a minimum of at least three (3) years between each three or two (3 or 2) year term that a member serves.
- 18. Member must respect and abide by the Election committee decisions during the process. Decisions made by election committee is final.

Click here: https://saibabami.org/downloads and navigate to **Others** section that you will find following at the bottom of the web page.

- 1) Election Notification-2024
- 2) Nomination form (Please make sure to check the right category as different categories available)
- 3) Sample Profile form
- 4) By-Laws of the organization
- 5) For Membership List

Particulars	Dates
Nomination Box setup at the temple	11/10/23

Nominations should be dropped in the temple nomination	11/13/2023
box by 7 PM EST	5:00pm EST
Inform valid/invalid of Nominations	11/14/2023
Nomination withdrawal last date 7PM EST	11/16/2023
Ballots will be sent out (if required)	12/03/2023
Ballots should be in ballot box in the temple or PO box prior	12/15/2023
to 7 PM EST	
Counting and Result after 7 PM	12/19/2023

If you have any questions, regarding elections please email to ec@saibabami.org

Jai Sairam Election Committee-2024

^{*}Good Standing means, Life member who is intends to contest and the life member(s) who are nominating must have the membership dues paid on or before May 31st, 2021.