Jain Society of Metropolitan Washington
A non-profit tax-exempt religious organization, id # 54-1139623
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Fund Raising General Rules

G1. Each Fixed Nakro Donation Item can have one or more Fixed Nakro line items available for Donation/Pledge.

G2. A minimum of 1 Fixed Nakro line item donation for any Donation Item will be accepted. After that, the line item will stay open until the goal of receiving maximum number of Fixed Nakro line item donations is achieved.

G3. If the minimum Fixed Nakro line item is not pledged prior to one month before the Pratishtha, then it may be transferred to the Gheeboli List.

G4. The Donors name will be recognized on the Recognition Board only after receiving full amount of the Fixed Nakro line item pledges and the Gheeboli pledges.

G5. If there is insufficient participation in any lottery, that lottery will be cancelled, and funds will be transferred to the members' "General Fund" account.

G6. The number of participants allowed in various ceremonies will be as per the "Allowed Participants" Column.

G7. Pran Pratishtha for all Murties will be done in USA. Anjan Salaka Vidhi for Shwetambar Murties will be performed in India by Acharya Maharaj.

G8. Sponsorship of any item from the Fixed Nakro list will be allocated on "First Come First Served" basis of receiving full payment for that item. In case of a conflict on sponsorship of the same item because of receipt of full payment for it on the same day (or, on receiving a request on the same day for transfer from pre-paid donation covering full amount) from more than one person, the BOT will resolve the conflict by inviting them to a lucky draw.

G9. Partnership will be allowed in sponsoring any item(s) in the Fixed Nakro list or in Gheeboli, but recognition of donations will be in accordance with the Recognition Rules.

G10. These General and Recognition rules will apply to the future remaining open Fixed Nakro Items.

The Board of Trustees reserve the right to update any documents as deemed necessary with appropriate notification to the members. In case of disputes/conflicts the Board of Trustees shall facilitate the resolution and decision of the Board of Trustees shall be final.

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Fund Raising Recognition Rules

R1. The donation amount of $5,000 or more will be recognized on the Recognition Board. The donation amount below $5,000 will be recognized in the printed material, or if it is for a Special Recognition Schemes, it will be recognized elsewhere.

R2. The name plate on the Donation Item Board per Line Item will have a maximum of 6 words plus one "&" symbol for their names on the Board.

R3. The name plate on the Founders Board and the Total Donation Amount Board will have a maximum of 3 words plus one "&" symbol for their names on the Board.

R4. For Murti Bharai and Anjan Salaka the donor's (Laabharthi) names may be carved below the Tirthankar Bhagwan Murti as per guidance from Acharya Maharaj.

R5. For Temple, Upashray and Sthanak line items, the donor's (Laabharthi) names will be recognized on the Recognition Board in the lobby area of the Temples.

R6. For Sadharmik Vatsalaya Hall/Dining Room and Kitchen line items, the donor's (Laabharthi) names will be recognized on the Recognition Board in the Sadharmik Vatsalaya Hall/Dining Room.

R7. For Land, Educational/Social Building line items, the donor's (Laabharthi) names will be recognized on the Recognition Board in the Prefunction Lobby area of the Educational/Social Building.

R8. There will be a separate Founders Board showing the donations made for the Briggs Chaney temple inaugurated in August 1989.

R9. The Donors name will be recognized on the Recognition Board only after receiving full amount of the Fixed Nakro line item pledges and the Gheeboli pledges.

R10. For the Special Fund Raising Schemes, there will be an appropriate recognition method at the appropriate place in the Jain Center. The necessary details will be announced at the time of launching of the Special Fund Raising Scheme.

R11. All donors will be recognized alphabetically based on Last name, First name and Spouse's name including multiple donors for the same amount.

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Four (4) types of Recognition Boards with the following rules

Founders Board

This Board will contain the following:
The total donation amount received under the following conditions will be recognized in descending order on the recognition board in the Prefunction Lobby area of the Educational/Social Building.

1. All Donation amounts paid to the Jain Center Fund (Founders Fund) but not transferred to any Line Item from the Donation Items Fixed Nakro List.
2. All donation balances left over in the Jain Center Fund (Founders Fund) after partial transfer to any Line Item from the Donation Items Fixed Nakro List.
3. All unused Donation amounts in the General Fund, three (3) months after the Pratistha.

Donation Item Board

This Board will contain the following:
The donation amount received will be recognized on the recognition board either in the lobby area of the Temples or in the Prefunction Lobby area of the Educational/Social Building or in the Sadharmik Vatsalaya Hall/Dining Room.

1. Each Donation Item will be recognized on the Board.
2. Under each Donation Item, each Line Item will be recognized.
3. Recognition name(s) requested by donor(s) will be written on the Board without the amount.
4. If a Line Item has not received any Pledge and is still available, then the word "Open" may be written on the Board.

Total Donation Amount Board

This Board will contain the following:

The total Donation amount paid by donors (excluding the Founders Board and Special Recognition Scheme amounts) until three months after Pratishtha will be recognized in descending order on this board in the Prefunction Lobby area of the Educational/Social Building.

Founders Board for Briggs Chaney Temple

There will be a separate Founders Board in the Prefunction Lobby area of the Educational/Social Building showing the donations made for the Briggs Chaney temple inaugurated in August 1989.

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