

## HINDU TEMPLE OF FRESNO

### Policy on Temple Puja/Homa Services

After giving careful consideration to the requests of the devotees to conduct pujas at the Temple or at the homes, the following policies are going to be implemented until such time a second priest is hired. This may cause some inconveniences at present time but will remove the conflicts we are observing. We request the community to be patient during this period.

1. Starting November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2013, requesting Priest services, to conduct private *pujas at the Temple* will receive *top priority* over private *puja services at home*. This will allow Priest's presence at the temple for most of the operational hours.
2. All requests for Priest's services at the Temple or at the Homes must be requested, *in writing*, at least *three weeks prior* to the date of scheduled Puja/Homa.
3. Requests for priest services will be confirmed, within *three days after the request is received by the person designated* for scheduling the puja/homa services.
4. Private Pujas/Homas can be *scheduled only on those days* when there are *no Temple events* that are announced in the Temple Calendar.
5. Fee for services must accompany the request form, unless prior agreement was made with the management, to make the payment on the date of the service.
6. There will be a service fee of \$25 for all cancellations made one week prior to the date of service requested.