

P.E.O. HOME FUND – Multiple Choice

- \_\_\_ 1. The P.E.O. Home Fund
- a) is the project of our local chapter
  - b) is the project of three Bemidji chapters
  - c) is strictly a MN state project
  - d) is an international project
- \_\_\_ 2. The P.E.O. Home is located
- a) in Bemidji
  - b) in Minneapolis
  - c) at headquarters in Des Moines, Iowa
  - d) none of the above
- \_\_\_ 3. The purpose of the P.E.O. Home Fund is
- a) to provide a safe haven for aging P.E.O. members
  - b) to provide financial assistance to aging P.E.O. members to help them live in their own homes
  - c) to provide financial assistance to any aging woman to help her live in her own home
  - d) to provide financial assistance to any Minnesota resident in need of life's necessities
- \_\_\_ 4. The Home Fund was established in 1936 with a gift of \$937. What is the financial condition of the fund now?
- a) \$1,000
  - b) \$10,000
  - c) \$100,000
  - d) \$1,000,000 plus
- \_\_\_ 5. The Mary B. Patton Trust provides a donation to the Home Fund of \$4,000
- a) every week
  - b) every month
  - c) every year
  - d) every once in a while
- \_\_\_ 6. The Home Fund is not an emergency fund. Applications to the Home Fund are reviewed at every meeting of the Board which occurs
- a) monthly
  - b) quarterly
  - c) annually
- \_\_\_ 7. If you have a friend or relative whom you would like to sponsor, what must you do? Circle all that apply.
- a) get approval from the chapter
  - b) request an application from the Home Fund Chairperson
  - c) write a letter of recommendation
  - d) assist the person in completing the application form
- \_\_\_ 8. What are some of the needs for which funds have been provided? Circle all that apply.
- a) dental care
  - b) rent assistance
  - c) groceries
  - d) childcare
  - e) health insurance payments
  - f) new roof on an old home
  - g) eyeglasses
  - h) medical care
  - i) computer access for a paraplegic
  - j) handicapped-equipped van
  - k) firewood
  - l) student loan

PLEASE NOTE:

Individual contributions to the Minnesota Home Fund are tax deductible

The application asks if the request is for a one-time assistance or ongoing. Either is okay, though the Board prefers to support situations in which short-term assistance will make a difference.

Every application gets a response. Moral support is also provided through cards and letters.

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Answers:

- 1) c
- 2) d
- 3) d
- 4) d
- 5) b
- 6) b
- 7) b,c &d
- 8) all choices except f,j & l