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Worthy Matron, Worthy Patron, Officers and Members:

It is an honor to serve our Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Lois Wolfe, as Chairman of the General Fund Committee. This is a very important committee, as it is the main source of funding for the daily operations of our Grand Chapter and is necessary to the prosperity and success of our programs and charities.

The General Fund is supported primarily by the "Dime-a-Week", \$5.20 yearly voluntary contribution as well as subscriptions and advertising for the Stargazer Magazine. We are also pleased to accept donations, memorials, bequests, honor gifts and Chapter donations. Members participating in the "Dime-a-Week" program will receive a Gold Seal on their dues card. Please ask your secretary to add a note requesting the \$5.20 voluntary contribution when the dues notices are mailed. Our goal this year is for 100% participation by our membership in the "Dime-a-Week" program, including Perpetual and Life Members.

Thank you for your support of our Grand Chapter by your generosity and promotion of the General Fund in this endeavor.

Fraternally,

Barbara Blanton

Barbara Blanton, Chairman

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