# **GENERAL DUTIES OF OFFICERS:**

Following is a list detailing the duties and responsibilities of each officer.

#### President

• Preside at all meetings of the Grange

• See that all officers and members of committees appointed perform their respective duties

• Declare the results of all balloting and other votes of the Grange

• See that all laws and usages of the Order are duly understood and obeyed

• Sign all orders drawn on the treasury with the consent of the Grange

• Perform such other duties as may be required by the ritual or action of the Grange

## **Vice President**

• Assist the President in preserving the order and decorum in the Grange. Preside in the absence of the President

• Assist in the appointment of committees

• Perform such other duties as may be required by the ritual or action of the Grange

#### Director

• Serve as members of the Board of Directors

• Act for and in the name of the Grange between meetings only in conjunction with the President

• Provide such oversight as may be required to insure the safety and security of the property of the Grange

### Lecturer / Program Director

• Plan, prepare, and present programs of interest to the membership at each meeting

• Preside in the absence of the President and Vice President

• Perform such other duties as may be required by the ritual or action of the Grange

# Steward

• See that the meeting room is properly prepared

• Conduct initiation and such other ritualistic ceremonies as may be required with the aid of the Assistant Steward

## Assistant Steward / Lady Assistant Steward

• See that the meeting room is properly prepared

• Conduct initiation and such other ritualistic ceremonies as may be required

### Chaplain

• Assist in ritualistic ceremonies as may be required

• Serve as contact with family of deceased members to offer Grange funeral home service

• Organize memorial services for deceased members

### Treasurer

• Keep financial records accurately

• Keep an accurate account of all moneys deposited in the name of the Grange

• Pay bills on the order of the President with the consent of the Grange

• Report regularly on the condition of all accounts

• Present the records to the auditing committee when called upon to do so.

- Keep financial records accurately
- Receive and deposit all moneys

## Secretary / Recording Secretary

- Record all the proceeding of the Grange
- Make all necessary reports to Pomona and State Granges
- Keep accurate records of the membership of the Grange
- Receive and pay over to the Treasurer all dues received
- Perform such other duties as may be required by action of the Grange

### Gatekeeper / Greeter

- Welcome visitors and new members to Grange meetings and activities
- Introduce visitors as provided for in opening of the Grange ritualistic ceremony

### Graces (Ceres, Pomona and Flora)

- Participation in initiations, degree work and general cooperation with other Grange Officers
- Ceres is responsible for the presentation of the Flag in Subordinate Grange
- Pomona is responsible for the presentation of the Flag in Pomona Grange
- Flora is responsible for the presentation of the Flag in State Grange