

Resolutions Approved at 1991 Annual Meeting

The following resolutions were approved by the Executive and Board Directors of the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario at their annual meeting last November. They include:

1. requesting the Ministry of Health, the Ministry of Community and Social Services, the Ministry of Women's Issues, and the College of Psychology and Psychiatry to enact legislation that requires anyone practising psychotherapy be licensed by an accredited professional association, and that licenses be granted only after appropriate training and examination;
2. petitioning the Minister of Transportation and the Solicitor General of Ontario to levy fines against the misuse of the slow moving vehicle signs;
3. asking both the Federal and Provincial Government's to require that the "Best Before Date" on all food products be in larger print and in a more prominent place;
4. urging the Ontario Medical Association, the Ontario Hospital Association, and the Ministry of Health to promote the development of community-wide, hospital-based, breast feeding committees that will educate and encourage pregnant women to breast feed their babies;
5. recommending that the Ontario Hospital Association urge hospitals to only use formula from those companies that adhere most closely to the World Health Organization's international code of marketing breast milk substitutes (Geneva, 1981);
6. persuading the Government of Canada to take action to have the Archives of Canada remain in Ottawa;
7. pressuring the Ministry of the Environment to enact legislation making all wine and liquor bottles subject to a refundable deposit at the time of sale;
8. requesting that the CRTC restore the CBC Channel 9 programming to the Essex, Kent and Lambton County areas in order that they are provided with the necessary coverage of Canadian content;
9. requesting also that the CRTC and the CBC restore the local news program-

ming to the Essex, Kent and Lambton County areas by reopening CBET Windsor;

10. appealing to the Ministry of Health to regulate the dispensing fee in pharmacies across Ontario, and to make it reasonable and affordable to everyone;
11. urging the Minister of Justice to change the Young Offenders Law to have all crimes committed by 14 to 17 year old offenders tried in adult courts with appropriate deterrents;
12. asking the Ministry of Transportation to enact legislation requiring that uniform overhead lane directional ar-

rows be installed;

13. appealing to Revenue Canada, the Ontario Ministry of Community and Social Services, and the Ontario Ministry of Revenue to recognize short-term child care costs as employment expenses for those stay-at-home parents who assist in operating a family farm;
14. appealing also to Revenue Canada, the Ontario Ministry of Community and Social Services, and the Ontario Ministry of Revenue to recognize the work done by stay-at-home parents and consequently to allow a tax credit for the income earning parent.

1992 FWIO Board Directors



Pictured above are the Second Year FWIO Board Directors. From left to right in the back row are Rosine Findley, Lois Dillabough, Elsie Howes, Marion Lowry, Florence Downing, Peggy Dadd, Pamela Bronn, Marg Harris, Joan King and Betty McGregor. Seated in the front row from left to right are Marcine James, Peggy McLeod, Joyce Glover, Irene Richardson, Lois Laughlin, Grace McCallum and Eleanor McMillan.



The First Year FWIO Board Directors, from left to right in the back row, are Beatrice Harry, Darlene Harding, Marjory Humphries, Anna Farrow, Pat Ozsvari, Jerrene Porteous, Mona Bray, Judy Smith and Irene Enders. In the front row, from left to right, is Carol Ellerton, Edith Jenkins, Marilyn Sharp, Beth Burnett, Bessie Saunders and Edythe Joseph.