

WHAT DOES THE FARMHOUSE FOUNDATION DO?

RAISES MONEY

In the 2007-2008 fiscal year, The FarmHouse Foundation raised \$535,579 for Unrestricted Funds (including the Annual Fund, Foundation Councils and Building Funds), \$124,243 for Permanently Restricted Funds and \$45,393 for Temporarily Restricted Funds.

INVESTS MONEY

With the advice and assistance of the A.G. Edwards brokerage firm, the Trustees invest the endowment and other Foundation funds.

GRANTS MONEY

The Foundation makes grants primarily in six areas:

- **Leadership, “People Skills” and Financial Management Training**
Last year the Foundation made grants totaling nearly \$92,782 to the International Fraternity and to individual chapters for programs in these areas. Nearly 500 chapter members were affected directly, all 1,300+ members were indirectly affected.
- **Computer Labs and Affiliated Technology for Chapter Houses**
Grants totaling \$9,352 were made to five chapters and associations in the 2007-2008 fiscal year.
- **Re-contribution to Chapters**
\$33,795 was distributed to the chapters' foundation councils for their specific educational uses and needs through the Annual Fund's re-contribution program.
- **Educational Portion of Chapter Housing**
\$62,437 was administered under the Foundation's auspices for the educational portion of new or renovated chapter houses on two campuses. However, 11 chapters and associations are currently raising funds with the Foundation for construction or renovations of their chapter houses.
- **Scholarships**
The Foundation awarded \$48,108 in scholarships last year to over 100 FarmHouse undergraduates.
- **Fraternity Support**
\$52,832 was paid to the International Fraternity for the Foundation's share of the International Office rent, support staff compensation, membership database and the Foundation's portion of *Pearls & Rubies*.