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**Should We Help Them?**

For each of the six scenarios in the packet, indicate whether you think this person should be receiving some sort of assistance or benefit from the government.

If you answer “yes,” make suggestions as to what forms of assistance you think would be most appropriate. If you answer “no,” explain why not.

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Now complete the summary questions on the back of this sheet.

Consider your answers to the six scenarios as you respond in complete sentences to the following questions.

1. Under what circumstances should the government provide economic assistance to people?
2. Should the government require anything of people in order to receive assistance? What should the requirements be?
3. Should there be limits on how much assistance one person should receive? What should those limits be?