## **Answers**

- 1. Which of these is a preferable site location for a LEED for Neighborhood Development projects?
  - A. Infill, previously undeveloped, sites adjacent to existing development
  - (B.) Infill, previously developed, sites adjacent to existing development
  - C. Previously developed, adjacent to previously undeveloped, within previously existing developments
  - D. Sites that are 50% previously undeveloped and 50% previously developed
- 2. SSL Prerequisite Smart Location requires all projects to locate the project on a site served by existing
  - A. multimodal transportation
  - B. parks and nature trails
  - C. bike paths
  - (D.) water and wastewater infrastructure
- 3. To meet the requirement for SLL prerequisite Smart Location, Option 3. Transit Corridor, projects with multiple transit types (bus, streetcar, rail, or ferry) must have what minimum daily transit service?
  - (A) 60 Weekday trips and 40 weekend trips
  - B. 24 Weekday trips and 6 weekend trips
  - C. 60 Weekday trips
  - D. 320 Weekday trips and 200 weekend trips
- 4. How is connectivity measured?
  - A. Gross floor area divided by total project area
  - B. Dwelling units per acre
  - (C.) Intersections per square mile
  - D. Dwellings units per transit trips
- 5. What units are used to measure a circulation network?
  - (A.) Lineal feet
  - B. Square Miles
  - C. Square feet
  - D. Acres
- 6. Which of these organizations can be used to determine the presence of imperiled species and ecological communities?
  - A. ASHRAE
  - B. FEMA
  - (C.) State Fish and Wildlife Agencies
  - D. Conservation Resources Services
- 7. Which of these individuals could help a project to create and implement a habitat conservation plan?
  - A. Arborist to determine the local wildlife and habitat
  - (B) Biologist to investigate ecologically endangered areas
  - C. Geologist to identify the source of contamination present in a brownfield
  - D. Hydrologist to conduct a soil survey of potential prime farmland area
- 8. Which of these would meet the requirements for SLL Prerequisite Wetland and Water Body Conservation?
  - A. land within 40 feet of wetlands, and land within 75 feet of water bodies
  - B. land within 40 feet of wetlands, and land within 100 feet of water bodies
  - (C.) land within 50 feet of wetlands, and land within 100 feet of water bodies
  - D. land within 50 feet of wetlands, and land within 75 feet of water bodies

- 9. Minor construction can occur to enhance appreciation of them in which buffer areas? A. Floodplains (B.) Wetland and Water Body C. Lakes D. Streams 10. Which of these is a farmland protection program administered by government? (A.) Transfer of Development Rights (TDR)

  - B. Modified Rational Method (MRM)
  - C. FEMA
  - D. Conservation Resource Services (CRS)
- 11. A project in a metropolitan statistical area with a population of 400,000 people has 100 dwelling units on 10 acres (4 hectares) of buildable residential land. It will include a 0.1-acre (0.04-hectare) on-site community garden. The soil survey shows that the project's development footprint encroaches on 2 acres of prime soil. Determine the required mitigation land area for a project that has a mitigation ratio of 1.5 acres.
  - A. 3.0 acres
  - (B.) 2.9 acres
  - C. 10 acres
  - D. 3.1 acres
- 12. Which of these is the referenced standard for identifying prime farmland?
  - A. Conservation International
  - B. Department of Agriculture
  - (C.) NRCS soil survey
  - D. FEMA
- 13. A project has several buildings located on previously developed land within a flood hazard area. Which of these design standards would meet the requirement for SLL Credit Floodplain Avoidance?
  - (A.) National Flood Insurance Program (NFPI)
  - B. ASHRAE
  - C. Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
  - D. Difficult Development Area (DDA)
- 14. Which of this site locations would help a project to achieve the most points possible for SLL Credit Smart Locations?
  - A. a previously developed site that is not an adjacent site or infill site
  - B. an adjacent site that is also a previously developed site
  - C. an infill site that is not a previously developed site
  - (D) an infill site that is also a previously developed site
- 15. To earn the SLL Credit Brownfield Remediation,
  - A. the entire project site must be a Brownfield.
  - (B.) the entire project site does not need to be a brownfield.
  - C. a previously remediated brownfield must be on the project site.
  - D. remediation of contaminants in existing buildings, like asbestos or debris found on site, qualifies.

<ul> <li>16. A development project includes a 10,000-ft² office building with 40 full-time employees and 10 peak visitors. How many long-term bicycle storage spaces are required for SSL Credit Bicycle Facilities?</li> <li>(A.) 4 storage spaces</li> <li>(B.) 0.25 storage spaces</li> <li>(C.) 2 storage spaces</li> <li>(D.) 1 storage space</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>17. What is the maximum allowable street speed to be included in a bicycle network?</li> <li>A. 30 mph</li> <li>B. 25 mph</li> <li>C. 20 mph</li> <li>D. 15 mph</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>18. To be considered as part of a bicycle network off-street bicycle paths or trails for a two-way path must be at least how wide?</li> <li>A. 3 feet</li> <li>B. 5 feet</li> <li>C. 6 feet</li> <li>D 8 feet</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>19. If a project has 300 dwelling units and wants to earn the Smart Location and Linkage (SLL) credit Housing and Jobs Proximity, Option 2. Project with Residential Component, how many full-time equivalent jobs must be within the ½-mile walking distance of the project's geographic center?</li> <li>A. 60</li> <li>B. 90</li> <li>C. 150</li> <li>D. 300</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>20. For SSL Credit Steep Slope Protection, the restoration areas must use</li> <li>(A.) Native and adapted plants</li> <li>B. Turf</li> <li>C. Artificial turf</li> <li>D. Temporary seeding</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>21. For SSL Credit Steep Slope Protection, what percentage of previously developed areas of slope greater that 40% must be restored?</li> <li>A. None</li> <li>B. 40%</li> <li>C. 60%</li> <li>D. 100%</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>22. To achieve the requirements for SSL Credit Long-Term Conservation Management of Habitat or Wetlands and Water Bodies projects must create and commit to implementing a management plan for existing or recently restored on-site native habitats, water bodies, or wetlands and their buffers, and create a guaranteed funding source for management for how long?</li> <li>A. ten years</li> <li>B. five years</li> </ul>

C. two yearsD. one year