



## A Guild of Honor

**Irene Krahulik**



As a struggling 5-year-old organization, Damar Homes looked for ways to gain financial stability. A group of energetic local women — led by Ms. Irene Krahulik — could not have come at a better time.

The Damar Guild began its service of advocating for the residents of Damar in 1972 with Ms. Krahulik as its first president.

For the next 24 years, the Damar Guild would serve as the primary public relations, volunteer resource and fundraising arm of Damar Services.

Then in 1996, Damar established a formal fundraising and volunteer services department.

Thirty-five years after its founding, the Damar Guild has provided nearly \$700,000 in gifts to Damar and has contributed more than any other community group that supports Damar.

“Damar Services quite simply would not be the organization it is today without the support our Guild has offered over the years,” said Damar President & CEO Greg Johnson.