



CAMPAIGN FOR HOGARTH RIVERVIEW MANOR REACHES \$2.5 MILLION GOAL!

(Thunder Bay, ON – May 27, 2004) **WE HAVE REACHED OUR GOAL!!** After many months of hard work the "Campaign for Hogarth Riverview Manor" has reached its \$2.5 million goal!

Don Caron, Campaign Chair, stated "I am pleased to report an overwhelming response to our appeal for donations. We received generous financial assistance from St. Joseph's family, local businesses, national corporations and foundations, service clubs and organizations, and many private citizens."

"Throughout this project, I was privileged to work with an outstanding team of volunteers. I wish to extend my personal thanks to the dedicated members of the Campaign Committee without whose direction, advice and hard work, this Campaign would not have been successful."

The Campaign Committee includes:

John Atwood Karen Beck Bob Chambers Pat Charlebois Paulina Chow Mark Colosimo Chris Hacio Sharon Hacio Sandy Harkes Sister Bonnie MacLellan Guy O'Brien Carl White

Hogarth Riverview Manor is a new 96-bed, single-storey, long-term care facility built and operated by St. Joseph's Care Group (SJCG) on the Hogarth Westmount site in Thunder Bay.

The facility fully supports a range of programs and services, including conventional longterm care for elderly and physically disabled adults and has the space and staff complement to support specialized Alzheimer's/dementia care and those residents with high-intensity medical requirements. The facility incorporates "best practices" and is designed to meet, or in many cases exceed, the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care's facility design requirements.

In closing, Don stated, "This display of generosity has enabled us to reach our goal of \$2.5 M to furnish and equip the new facility despite a highly competitive fund raising climate in our community. For this we are extremely grateful to our donors, and we thank them most sincerely for their support."

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