



Memorandum

To: Senate Institutions Committee
From: Chadd Viger, CEO, Recovery House, Inc.
Date: February 5, 2026
Re: Capital Budget Adjustment

Recovery House, a residential substance use treatment provider, is a critical part of the state's continuum of care. We have been serving those in need for over 50 years. We offer a myriad of services within our campus, including: ASAM 3.7 Medically Monitored High-Intensity Inpatient Treatment at Serenity House (typically a multi-week course of treatment), ASAM 3.1 Clinically Managed Low Intensity Residential Services at Grace House and McGee House (typically a 90-day course of treatment), and Public Inebriate programming for Rutland and Addison Counties (co-located at Grace House).

For 50 years, Recovery House has put clients first. This has meant prioritizing clinical and medical services, programming, staffing, and quality of care. We have not had the financial capacity to keep up with much needed capital improvements.

While we are a non-profit organization, 98% of our work is supported by the state through Medicaid and other grants.

We have identified a number of capital improvements that will positively and significantly impact client care and services provided, increasing the longevity of the facilities and preventing higher costs in the future if we address them now.

Our total capital improvement request is for \$220,000 for repairs and renovations for Serenity House, Grace House, and McGee House, which includes roof repair, siding and window replacement, and structural repairs.

Thank you for your consideration.