

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 167

Reps. Pavlov, Rheingans, Conlin, Woolford, Breen, Lightner, Martus, Thompson, Longjohn, Schriver, Alexander, Glanville, MacDonell, Paiz, Rogers, Schuette, Weiss and Witwer offered the following resolution:

1       A resolution to declare September 13, 2025, as Recovery Day in  
2 the state of Michigan.

3       Whereas, Approximately 638,000 Michigan residents experience  
4 substance use disorders; and

5       Whereas, Only about 127,600 receive treatment; and

6       Whereas, Since treatment only refers to a brief time of  
7 assistance, recovery provides long-term assistance and resources to  
8 individuals experiencing substance use disorders; and

9       Whereas, Recovery organizations can help play in the larger  
10 assistance of recovery, and lead those who suffer from addiction to  
11 live sober and healthy lives; and

1       Whereas, Recovery community organizations provide meaningful  
2 assistance and resources to individuals at a fraction of the cost  
3 of treatment; and

4       Whereas, Recovery community organizations provide ongoing  
5 support that significantly improves the likelihood of long-term  
6 recovery; and

7       Whereas, Recovery community organizations deserve greater  
8 respect and appreciation for ongoing support and assistance for  
9 individuals experiencing substance use disorders; and

10       Whereas, The month of September is recognized as National  
11 Recovery Month; now, therefore, be it

12       Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of  
13 this legislative body declare September 13, 2025, as Recovery Day  
14 in the state of Michigan. We support the commendable efforts of  
15 individuals striving for lifelong recovery from substance use  
16 disorders and recognize the crucial work of recovery community  
17 organizations throughout our state; and be it further

18       Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the  
19 Blue Water Recovery and Outreach Center with our highest esteem.