HOUSE BILL NO. 4780

August 20, 2025, Introduced by Reps. Pavlov, Fox, DeBoer, Neyer, Woolford, Frisbie, Thompson, Linting and Fairbairn and referred to Committee on Government Operations.

An act to designate the second Saturday of September of each year as Michigan's Day of Recovery.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

Sec. 1. (1) The legislature recognizes that approximately
638,000 Michiganders experience substance use disorders and only
about 127,600 receive treatment. Treatment refers only to a brief
time of assistance, but recovery community organizations provide
long-term assistance and resources to these Michiganders. Recovery
community organizations provide ongoing support that significantly
improves the likelihood of long-term recovery, yet these recovery

- 1 community organizations are significantly underfunded in comparison
 2 to treatment programs and facilities throughout this state.
- 3 (2) In recognition of Michiganders going through the recovery
- 4 process and the work of recovery community organizations, the
- 5 legislature declares that the second Saturday of September of each
- 6 year shall be known as "Michigan's Day of Recovery".