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Safe Harbor Recovery Center Holds Grand Opening

(PORTSMOUTH, VA – March 13, 2019) – Members of the Portsmouth City Council, city officials and staff will participate in a grand opening ceremony for Safe Harbor Recovery Center, located at 2700 London Blvd., Friday, March 22, at 11 a.m. Safe Harbor Recovery Center serves men and women who have been diagnosed with substance use disorders.

According to the National Survey on Drug Use and Health, approximately 21.5 million American adults (aged 12 and older) battled substance use disorder in 2014. Drug abuse and addiction cost American society close to \$200 billion in healthcare, criminal justice, legal and lost workplace production/participation costs in 2007, according to the Office on National Drug Control Policy. Many of Safe Harbor Recovery Center's clients struggle with the addiction to alcohol, prescription opioids, heroin, methamphetamines, cocaine and a variety of other drugs. The World Health Organization estimates the global burden of disease related to drug and alcohol issues to be 5.4 percent worldwide.

The Safe Harbor Recovery Center's clinical staff and other professionals recognize the basis for substance use disorders and believe in providing compassionate care without judgment. They are committed to helping their clients find a foundation for lasting recovery and tailor specific treatments to meet the needs of each individual.

For more information or to RSVP for the grand opening ceremony, email Jessica McGraw at jmcgraw@summitbhc.com. The deadline to RSVP is Monday, March 18.

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