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(Prior to June 7, 2021)

This Proposal is for a supportive recovery housing facility for treatment of substance abuse. The facility will have a maximum of 40 residents, including 10-20 employees. Our target population are those seeking treatment for abuse of alcohol and/or drugs, ages 18-64. This a voluntary program. We are a faith-based ministry and believe in freedom through Jesus Christ, training and teaching Biblical doctrine.

Recovery housing facilities must meet the requirements of Article 4, Section 4.105 (Standards for use-on-review of recovery housing) in the Knox County Zoning Ordinance. This requires that there be no other recovery center within 1,320 feet. To the knowledge of staff and the applicant, there no other facility within this distance.

- 1. Our focus is helping people become free from life-controlling issues in order to be successful members of society
- 2. Our training includes Biblical doctrine, work ethics, home structure and relationships, etc.
- 3. Students will not be driving personal vehicles to be dropped off at treatment. They will be dropped off by family, friend, or by other means. During any transit to/from this location, they will be accompanied by staff or interns in ministry vehicles. Our transit plans are monitored by staff and they will not be taking any other routes other than with approved individuals.
- 4. Residents will be accompanied by staff or interns at all times. Staff are present during day hours; interns are present and monitor during evening/night hours.
- 5. Minimal traffic is expected, including going to work detail, grocery store, gas station, church, events, etc.
- 6. We are a one-year residential program and do ask that one year is completed.
- 7. The two back rooms include double bunk beds with senior dorm leaders in said area and interns in the area leading out, allowing for monitoring and accountability.
- 8. If any significant changes occur during daily operation, we will notify adjacent property owners via Facebook, Nextdoor, and a personal delivery of the copy of any and all changes in operation.

Current resident schedule as follows:

Monday-Thursday		<u>Friday-Saturday</u>	<u>Sunday</u>	
Wake-up	0600-0640	Outreach - away from Center	Church offsite 1000-130	0
Breakfast	0640-0700	(fundraising)		
Worship-devos	0700-0750			
Chores	0750-0830			
Class	0830-1130			
Worship	1130-1200			
Physical training	1200-1230			
Lunch	1230-1300			
Work detail	1300-1600			
Showers/phone calls	1600-1700			
Dinner	1700-1730			
Night devos/lights out	2130-2200			

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In regards to the request for further information pursuant to requirements of 4.105.01, please note the following:

- A. Requirements already met.
- B. Residents will arrive onsite by family drop-off or by staff pickup at the Knoxville bus terminal. All vehicles owned by Soul Savage Ministries carry proper insurance and are registered by the State of Tennessee. Said vehicles are operated by only licensed and insured drivers and are used to transport residents to church, fundraising, grocery store, work detail, etc. Residents will not leave the premises without being accompanied by staff and will be monitored at all times.
- C. Soul Savage Ministries will not accept sex offenders into the program.
- D. Sufficient information already submitted.
- E. The two back rooms include double bunk beds with senior dorm leaders in said area and interns in the area leading out, allowing for monitoring and accountability. Current resident schedule as follows:

Monday-Thursday

Wake-up	0600-0640
Breakfast	0640-0700
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Friday-Saturday

Outreach – away from Center (fundraising)

Sunday

Church offsite 1000-1300

(Please see attached staff schedule.)

- F. As of today, Mike is looking into our need for this.
- G. Alcohol and illegal drugs are prohibited on Soul Savage Ministries premises. Random drug screens are performed.
- H. If any significant changes occur during daily operation, we will notify adjacent property owners via Facebook, Nextdoor, and a personal delivery of the copy of any and all changes in operation.
- I. Sufficient information already provided.