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## **September is National Recovery Month – Several events planned for local communities.**

September has been designated as *Alcohol and other Drug Dependency Recovery Month* and many local municipalities have issued proclamations in honor of the month. Macomb County; the Village of Armada; Townships of Clinton Township and Lenox; and the Cities of Warren and Center Line and St. Clair Shores recognize that many people enjoy long term recovery from addiction and they are able to contribute in ways that build stronger, healthier communities.

Many events are planned to celebrate the recovery movement. A local advocacy group, Macomb County Project Vox and their friends and families will join people from around the state to walk across the Belle Isle Bridge on Saturday, September 8 in a show of unity. Free food, activities and entertainment will round out the day's events. The Walk starts at 9:30 a.m.

Mt. Calvary Church in Warren will host a recovery open talk on Sunday, September 23 at 9:00 a.m. Jim Fisher, a person in long term recovery will discuss his journey and share information on the national recovery movement and local activities.

*Recovery is a Family Affair*, a dinner celebration will be held on Friday, October 5 at Mac & Ray Harbor Banquet Center in Harrison Township. People in recovery recognize the impact that the disease of addiction has on families and know that recovery means the return to wholeness for all family members. Project Focus, a children's program offered by CARE will be recognized.

Call the CARE office at 586 541-0033 for information on any of the above events.

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