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Re: Acadiana Area Human Services District
Substance Abuse Treatment Center
in Lafayette, Louisiana

Dear Friends:

I write this correspondence in support of the Acadiana Area Human Services Substance Abuse Center. I recognize the serious problems that we have with substance abuse in Acadiana. Treatment and care will go a long way in addressing the opioid and drug problem that we face. I recognize the need for additional beds to fully meet the need of the indigent and medicaid population.

Acadiana Area Human Services District is seeking State assistance for the funding of a 78 bed substance abuse treatment center in Lafayette, Louisiana within Lafayette Parish. The facility will provide Acadiana Area Human Service District levels of care consisting of Inpatient Detox and Co-Occurring Inpatient, and Inpatient Residential Treatment.

This medicaid funded facility will go along way in helping our constituents in addressing their substance abuse problems. This will provide a vital tool to law enforcement and the judicial system.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,


Donald D. Landry
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