What's Good, Power House?



October 2025



Powered by grace & grounded in gratitude

As we enter this season of gratitude, my heart is full witnessing the evolution and energy at Power House. Our beds are full - not just with men maintaining sobriety, but with their hope, courage, and shared commitment to recovery.

We were deeply moved by the turnout at our recent Open House. Thank you to every friend, neighbor, and supporter who walked through our doors, asked questions, took a tour, and offered encouragement. Your presence affirmed that we are not alone in this mission.

Shout out to Community
Church Movement, especially
Pastor Kevin McPeak, who sent
a professional camera crew to
capture new video testimonials
for us! I also want to thank
Pastor Mark from Venice
Church for coming to bless the
new property and all who are
served here. Thank you!

We also launched a new initiative that has already taken root - quite literally! Power House's urban garden has been planted. The guys are already in

a friendly competition to see who can grow the most shareable produce. More than just a garden, it's a symbol of growth, nourishment, and the fruits of steady, patient labor.

As 2025 draws to a close, we invite you to consider including Power House in your year-end giving. Your generosity helps us provide not just shelter, but dignity, purpose, and a path forward.

Every gift—large or small—is a seed sown into the soil of recovery. With your support, we can continue to cultivate a place where lives are restored, families are reunited, and hope is harvested daily.

Thank you for walking this journey with us. May your holiday season be filled with peace, purpose, and the quiet joy of knowing you make a difference.

Have a Blessed Day,

Paul Jones

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Guest Spotlight: Robert









Robert has lived at Power House for over 3 years, a testament to his commitment, growth, and leadership in active recovery.

When he first arrived, Robert was anxious and nervous, stepping into a new chapter of life. But he was also prepared. He found comfort in familiar faces, men he knew from treatment and alumni, who welcomed him with warmth, not just words. Their guidance helped him settle in and begin the work of truly rebuilding.

Today, Robert describes Power House as a blessing. For him, it's not just a place to live, it's become a place to lead and serve. He's grateful for the opportunity to help guide other men, as one of the two House Leads, toward a better way of living.

Life at Power House isn't without its challenges. Robert calls it "a peaceful chaos" describing the dynamic energy of ten men living busy lives, each on their own recovery journey. But through humility and openness, the community thrives. "Iron sharpens iron," he explains. "Sometimes you get sparks, but if we stay humble and open to new perspectives, we keep growing into better men."

Power House has given Robert a stable foundation from which to build his own recovery from the inside out. He feels safe to speak freely, ask for help, and receive constructive feedback without judgment. That freedom has helped him confront deeper issues and embrace positive change.

For Robert, the best part of sobriety is clarity from the disease of addiction. "To be free from myself and my destructive thinking," he shares, "and to know I'm never alone as long as I stay with God." His accomplishments reflect that clarity. Robert has completed all court requirements and old charges have

been dropped. He's maintained steady employment for over two years, rebuilt family relationships, and celebrated over three years of clean time.

Looking ahead, Robert is focused on deepening his relationship with God, himself, and the broader recovery community.

"Without Jesus Christ, Power House Sober Living—especially Mr. Paul Jones—Venice Church and its congregation, Phoenix House and its alumni, Clare Matrix and its staff, my recovery family, my sponsor, my therapist, my grandma, and especially my dad, I would not be the man I am today," he says.

"I strive to grow every day spiritually, mentally, emotionally, and physically. I've had **A LOT** of help. I could not have done this alone, and I thank them all with all my heart."







Power House Testimonials



"Power House helped me make real progress. I've become a better father and husband, finished probation, got my class A license, and pressed into God."

- Ariel L.



"Power House helped me move forward in my personal and spiritual development. With the help and support of my brothers, I know that I have people who have my back."





"This place really did it. It saved a life. My life. I couldn't have done it without Power House." - Henry H.



"Power House made initial recovery 1000% easier than past attempts, living with family or on my own. Early recovery is difficult. Here I've learned useful habits. The best part of my sobriety today is how solid it is."

- Matthew H.



"Power House has helped me build and practice coping skills and learn with other men in recovery what I do and don't want in life. It's made me a better man."

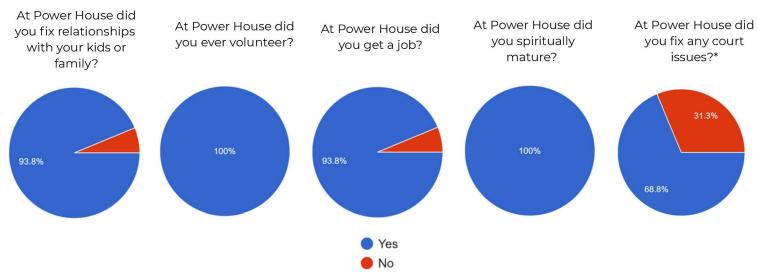
- Robert R.



"Having a safe place like Power House has just been a great foundation to set for myself and my future. Now I work at Phoenix House, where I was a client at, which has made me real humble and feels great."

- Jesus A.

Alumni & Guest Feedback Survey Results



*Not all guests have justice system involvement.

Introducing our New Treasurer: Rea Frazier



Rea Frazier is an experienced tax professional with a strong background in tax resolution, financial management, and client advocacy. She holds a Bachelor's Degree in Business with a concentration in Management.

Rea works at a law firm specializing in tax law, where she assists individuals and businesses in navigating complex tax matters with state and federal agencies. She also volunteers with the IRS Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program, helping those in need navigate tax obligations.

Her passion for Power House's mission is rooted in her life experiences. Growing up, Rea often accompanied her godfather as he ministered at sober living homes, instilling in her a deep respect for the life changing work being done in faith-based recovery programs. Serving on the Board feels like a full circle moment, allowing her to give back to a cause that has been close to her heart since childhood.

More Beds = More Hope Act Today

We're out of room and people are running out of time! Every one of our beds are filled.

The inn is full so to speak.

Every day someone finishes treatment ready to rebuild their life, only to face a heartbreaking reality: **there's nowhere safe to go.**

Without stable housing, too many return to toxic relationships, unsafe environments, or even the streets. Their cycle of relapse begins not from a lack of will, but from a lack of supportive sober housing.

We see it. We feel it. And unless we expand, we can't help.

We want to open a new home and offer more beds, and **we need your help now**. Expansion is an urgent response to the serious crisis happening today.

Your donations will help create space for someone who's fought hard to get clean and just needs a safe place to keep going. Don't let a lack of beds be the reason someone falls through the cracks.

Please consider giving now. Help us open another door before it's too late.

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www.powerhousesoberliving.org -> Donate



Launch a GoFundMe Campaign

GoFundMe has made it easier than ever to raise money that will come directly to Power House. Go to the link below for Power House specific templates that take just a few easy steps to begin a campaign worthy of sharing with your friends and family!

gofundme.com/charity/power-house-sober-living-corporation → Start a fundraiser



Employer Matched Donations

Many employers offer charitable matching programs to employees. Some programs allow employees to choose a qualifying 501(c)(3) non-profit charity for corporate matching.



Qualified Charitable Donations (QCD)

If you are over 70.5 years old and have an Individual Retirement Account (IRA), you may be able to donate via QCD. These tax-free donations are made from the IRA itself and are excluded from the donor's taxable income. Rules do apply, so please connect with your retirement advisor to see if this is a good fit.



Stock Donations

If you have owned a stock for over one year and its value has appreciated, you may be able to donate that asset as an income tax charitable donation for its full fair market value. Donating the stock removes capital gains tax implications for the original owner. Rules do apply, so please connect with your financial advisor to see if this is a good fit. Instructions for transfer are available upon request.