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Join the Voices for Recovery...Now!
15th annual Recovery Month celebration Advocacy Materials Available

(Washington, D.C., August 17, 2004) – Materials and tools to help inform the public and policymakers about the hope of recovery from addiction to alcohol and other drugs are now available to individuals and organizations celebrating the 15th annual National Alcohol & Drug Addiction Recovery Month this September. Local recovery community organizations and their allies are organizing walks, rallies and other gatherings across the country. Faces & Voices of Recovery released a flyer to reach the goal of recruiting 100 more members of Congress in the Congressional Caucus on Addiction Treatment and Recovery, a new button that reads “Another Voice for Recovery!” and other materials. Information is available at

http://www.facesandvoicesofrecovery.org/resources/recoverymonth_advocacytools.shtml

“We laud the tens of thousands of Americans who will be speaking out during Recovery Month, said Campaign Coordinator Patricia Taylor. “Millions of Americans are in long-term recovery from addiction to alcohol and other drugs and tens of thousand more get well every year.” Faces & Voices of Recovery is working to mobilize, organize and rally the families, friends and allies of the millions of Americans in recovery from addiction to alcohol and other drugs in a campaign to: end discrimination; broaden social understanding; and achieve a just response to addiction as a public health crisis. For more information, please visit: www.facesandvoicesofrecovery.org.

For information about Recovery Month events and activities around the country, please visit: www.recoverymonth.gov.