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New Leaf Resources Announces Closure and Transition of Counseling Services

Dear Friends of New Leaf Resources,

After more than 40 years of providing professional counseling from a Christian perspective to the Chicagoland and Northwest Indiana communities, we are deeply saddened to announce that New Leaf Resources is preparing to dissolve. This was a difficult decision driven by significant financial strain and made with careful consideration and prayer.

However, this does not mean the important work that happens at New Leaf is finished. We are pleased to share that we have structured a transition plan with Family Concern Counseling (FCC) to take over our Crown Point and Wheatfield locations, and Your Turning Point, PLLC to take over Lansing location.

Our primary goal is to ensure a seamless handover of our client care and a clear employment transition for our staff over the next 90 days.

What's Next

Our final day of services will be December 31st, 2026. Our priorities as we go through this transition are continuity of care for clients, support for our staff, protection of confidential records, compliance with regulatory requirements, and careful stewardship of the agency's assets and obligations.

How You Can Help During this Transition

We are grateful for the support of our community. If you would like to help during this time, here are a few ways: Pray: Please keep our staff and clients in your thoughts and prayers. Encourage: If you feel led, please share notes of encouragement with our staff. Reach out with questions: Please direct questions to our official channels if you need more information.

Thank You

Thank you to our past and present staff, clients, supporters, donors, and board members who have supported New Leaf Resources since 1984. We are grateful for each of you. Though our agency is dissolving, we are thankful that the hope, help and healing so many have found here will live on.

We also want to offer a special thanks to the family of Dr. Marty Doot, New Leaf Resource's founder. The Doot family's time, dedication, and support throughout the years have left a lasting impact on so many people and our communities.

Finally, we thank our good and gracious God for calling and equipping New Leaf Resources to provide professional counseling services. As we move forward, we take comfort in His blessing: "May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who has loved us and given us eternal encouragement and good hope by grace, encourage your hearts and strengthen you in every good work and word." 2 Thessalonians 2: 16-17

Sincerely,
The New Leaf Resources Board of Directors.

