## LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA

## ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE

## FIRST SESSION

## **LEGISLATIVE BILL 381**

Introduced by Cook, 13.

Read first time January 16, 2015

Committee: Appropriations

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state intent relating to
- 2 appropriations to the Department of Health and Human Services to
- provide housing services as prescribed.
- 4 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

- 1 Section 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to appropriate
- 2 \$200,000 to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of
- 3 Behavioral Health, Program 38, Behavioral Health Aid, for the purpose of
- 4 providing housing services to support persons recovering from substance
- 5 <u>abuse disorders.</u>
- 6 Funds appropriated under this section shall be used to:
- 7 (1) Support evidence-based practices that conform to nationally
- 8 <u>recognized standards for residential treatment for persons recovering</u>
- 9 from substance abuse disorders;
- 10 (2) Increase access to residential treatment for persons recovering
- 11 <u>from substance abuse disorders in geographic areas of the state with</u>
- 12 <u>demonstrable need; and</u>
- 13 (3) Support the administrative need of providing housing services to
- 14 persons recovering from substance abuse disorders.