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Buzz: New grocery: Triangle Residential Options for Substance Abusers (TROSA) wants to add a sixth business -- a grocery store -- to its five existing enterprises, and it's asking for donations and equipment from the community.

The nonprofit organization offering recovery programs for substance abusers is developing a grocery that will be located at the intersection of Angier Avenue and South Driver Street.

Wendy Noel, project manager on the grocery, wrote in an e-mail to the Old West Durham Neighborhood that it not only would provide a new set of job skills to TROSA's residents, who work in the organization's businesses, but also would bring a needed business to that part of the city.

"The area is what we would call a 'food desert,' where members of the community are forced to pay high prices for the unhealthy food available at the many mini-marts and convenience stores in the area," she wrote.

The store will have a full-service meat department, fresh produce, and canned and dry grocery items.

What's needed right now is financial support and donated equipment, such as cash registers, scales, meat processors and refrigerated display cases.

TROSA, which operates a moving company, can pick up anything that businesses or individuals could contribute to the grocery.

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