

St. Clair County ROSC

Monthly Council Meeting Minutes

- Date: 6/17/26
- Time: 10am-11am
- Location: **Hybrid, BV office, conference room 158,**
- 12 N 64th Street, 62221 and **Teams**, [Join the meeting now](#)
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Attendees

- Lead ROSC Agency
 - Angella Holloway
 - Cheyney Evans
 - Conswala Jones
- Statewide ROSC
 - Beverly Holland
- Members: **Via Teams**
 - Ashley Ramos, CORS/Gateway
 - Dustin Percy, Oxford House, Inc.
 - Jen Nagel-Fischer, Porchlight Collective SAP
 - Jovana Herron, Metrolink team, CHS
 - Marva Rucker, Urban League, Save our Sons + Sisters
 - Michele Wasser, SORS/Gateway
 - Patrice White, Bond Co ROSC
 - Paul Fischer, Porchlight Collective SAP
 - P.D. Van Klaveren, Fifth Street Renaissance
 - Recie Wilson, BASE/CHS
 - Sheena Langhauser, BJC Medical Stabilization
 - Sheridan Jordan, Clinton Co ROSC/CHS
- Members: **Via In-Person, BV office**
 - Chris Stanford, TASC Inc.
 - Daryl Rice, Comprehensive Behavioral Health Ctr.
 - Mark Knott, MERC/CHS
 - Megan Hall, Violence Prevention Center
 - Meagan McGlasson, IL Recovery Center
 - Melanie Williams, PREP/CHS
 - Michele Sturm, Touchette Hospital

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- Ramone Collins, United Congregation of Metro-East
- Rick Richardson, Amare, NFP
- **Guests/Visitors:**
 - Aisha Esquivel, IL Helpline (via Teams)
 - Andrea Cooper, ROE50 (via Teams)
 - Annette Frawley, Chestnut Health Systems (In-person)
 - Deedra Mager, Violence Prevention Center (In-person)
 - Delisha Richards, Urban League (via Teams)
 - Diandra Hall, Brightpoint Services (In-person)
 - Edwin Sargent, Chestnut Health Systems (In-person)
 - Elyse Schoen, Montgomery ROSC, Macoupin Co Health Dept. (via Teams)
 - Ellen Mossman, Safe Families for Children (In-person)
 - Heather Creasy, Hoyleton Youth and Family Services (via Teams)
 - Jaci Steltenpohl, Amare, NFP (via Teams)
 - Jennifer Bagwell, Jewel Ride (via Teams)
 - LaKetia Beasley, EMBRACE, E. St. Louis PD (In-person)
 - Latosha Curry, Humana Insurance (In-person)
 - Larita Barnes, MEOC, Inc. (via Teams)
 - Lindsay Minor, Macoupin/Montgomery ROSC, St. Francis Way Clinic
 - Logan Gardner, Marshmallows Hope (via Teams)
 - Mary Mueller, Touchette Hospital
 - Morgan Goymer, The Gathering (In-person)
 - REDEPLOY (9) students, CHS (In-person)
 - Renae Bauer, Grand Canyon University (In-person)
 - Rikkathon James, Our Brother's Keeper (In-person)
 - Tina Nguyen, Chestnut Health Systems (In-person)

Agenda Items/Next Steps:

1. **Welcome: Who's New?** Angella welcomed/introduced Council/Community friends. Each partner introduced themselves, agency represented and (1) update to share. Thanked current council members and community partners for supporting the ROSC council; encouraged members to reference ROSC overview (via table/previous attachment/email) to provide details for Impact report and Q4 summary. Encouraged Council to visit the GSU website to review Strategic Plan and previous quarterly summaries; [Recovery Coaching Network at GSU](#).

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- 2. ROSC updates, i.e., 1. Impact Report:** The ROSC thanked the council for sending their feedback to add to the end-of-the-year report, highlighting efforts of the council/program since July 2025. Members of the council inquired about how these efforts will help strengthen FY27 goals and create additional collaborations with providers. Discussed ways to increase participation to include Persons with Lived Experience (PLE), Youth, and Faith-based entities on council and in community events. We explained this report will be completed yearly and moving forward, we would like community input as well as the council. In addition, we mentioned the community survey will be distributed in September; requested council to send questions that they would like to be included in survey- we would discuss/review in August's meeting. **2. ACTion teams/Peer Advisory council (PLE):** To date, both teams/PLE have completed one group meeting and six team meetings (separately) to gather information to include in Q4 summary from community changes/efforts that face stigma re: harm reduction, recovery and access to services. Each group agreed to meet every 7 weeks, due to availability and goal plans. Each agency was encouraged to report on specific areas of concern and ways to support/improve work re: stigma and harm reduction perceptions. **3. ROSC Community event:** ROSC team reported that plans are being made to schedule a community event in September within area; logistics/details-TBD.
- 3. Who's Who...Updates...Let's "table/teams" talk!** Due to scheduling conflicts, three of the four speakers were unable to attend today's meeting. Renae Bauer, Development Counselor, Grand Canyon University, presented educational resources, financial information and enrollment process for new/returning students. Renae provided a copy of the current certification/degree plans to reference. Council had an opportunity to ask questions and receive feedback re: community members who are seeking GED/H Diploma and testing supports while in transition/unhoused or receiving limited income. Secondly, Edwin Sargent, Behavioral Juvenile Justice Health Specialist, and (8) summer leadership students from Redeploy attended event and obtained educational resources to further their educational goals. The students met with in-person council members, to explain their program, summer plans and future goals. Finally, Daryl Rice, Comprehensive Behavioral Health, presented updates on programs; i.e., Living Room and Crisis Unit, referral process and how to contact center for immediate mental health needs,

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after hours. Mr. Rice provided folders for the ROSC team to disseminate to council and reference when attending community events.

4. **Community partners: “Share out” upcoming events/training opportunities:**

Each council member provided (1) update re: their program, staff changes or self-care regimen for group. Council reported changes in staffing changes, and recent grant funding cuts to SNAP/medical benefits from state and trauma-informed care training. Council discussed the impact of these recent cuts and how SU/MH issues may be on the rise, if communities are lacking access, funding and transportation.

5. **Closing remarks/thank you:**

Reminded council to find time to connect and follow up with community friends when time permits. Requested council to continue reporting on their meeting takeaways to “share out” at the beginning of each meeting.

Due to end time, we thanked the virtual members for attending and assured them that we would follow-up with meeting minutes, but they were free to log off if needed; In-person council members were encouraged to network, share resources and exchange contact information with new partners for continued collaboration, next steps, and increase community awareness.

Final thoughts:

Next meeting date will be **July 15th, 10am, in-person; City of E. St. Louis City Hall!** We will continue to update the committee on program changes as we continue to grow.

Thank you for attending and staying engaged!

Mission: “Build and empower recovery ready communities”

Vision: “A community working together to embrace recovery and connecting with those who seek it.”

7/2/26
AH & CJ