

Peoria County ROSC Meeting Minutes September 2026

Thursday, September 24th, 1pm

Microsoft Teams or Trillium Place Young Minds Center

2223 W Heading Avenue, West Peoria, Illinois – 2nd floor

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Kelli Jo McFadden – Recovery Month Speaker
3. Update on Peoria County ROSC progress
4. Nate Johnson, Survey Launch, Community Resource List

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Microsoft Teams meeting

Join: <https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/28641794315890?p=0y9eIDMpYI44uY0FIE>

Meeting ID: 286 417 943 158 90

Passcode: 5pU3jt9p

Attendees – 22 Total. Persons with Lived Experience – 11

Trillium Place/Carle Health – Jeff McFadden, Heather Howell, Gina Lynxwiler, Donna Crowder, Jaye Gold, Jaimie Anderson, Nate Johnson, Christine Pierce (Carle Health Champaign)

Galesburg Rescue Mission – Chance Uhland

PLE – Rob H, Matt W, Kelli Jo M

Gateway Foundation – Wonny Ann

Illinois Recovery – Megan McGlasson

OSF Behavioral Health – Vicki Rose

IDOC work release – Sarah Meyer

Salvation Army 360 – Tasma Palmer

Compass Health – Jamie Schnardt

Oxford House – Shelley Smith

Erica Hahn & Lucia Avila

The September meeting for the Peoria County ROSC was a huge success! We had 22 people in attendance. This included 11 people with lived experience. Kelli Jo McFadden was our monthly presenter. To honor Recovery Month, Kelli Jo expanded on her substance use and recovery journey. She highlighted the many pathways that have helped her along her journey. These pathways included Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, Celebrate Recovery and Cocaine Anonymous. Kelli Jo also noted that for the first 2 years of her recovery, her wonderful husband and her made weekly trips to Peoria, Illinois to engage in recovery meetings and events. She also discussed all the wonderful rewards that recovery has given her over the past 7 years. Kelli Jo was met with great compassion and many people celebrated and applauded her for her courage, strength, vulnerability, and story-telling abilities. Kelli Jo did a great job, and we were fortunate to have her. We announced the live launch of our survey, that will be made available in digital format on 9/25. Many council members are excited about the survey and hopes are high to generate many responses from many demographics. We discussed 2 upcoming events that align with the Peoria County ROSC. Flyers were shared and all council members present and not present were invited. PCR discussed the upcoming community resource list. PCR Coordinator has met with council members, colleagues, and superiors to discuss the strategic plan and the trajectory of the Peoria County ROSC. There is great momentum at this present time. Many future collaborations and events are in the planning process.

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