

## **Hour House -Coles County ROSC Council Meeting Minutes**

**August 24th, 2022**

**Members Present:** Roberta Hinman, Nancy Phillips, , Karen Cook, Kyle Stutes, Dana Tell

### **Membership Sharing:**

**ROSC Update:** The ROSC Council Recovery Navigators and ROSC Council Coordinator have started. We are having the meet and greet so let's introduce ourselves.

**Dial A Ride:** The zip line is up and running now since March. It has taken some time for people to start using it again. Door to Door services are also available with an appointment made 24 hours in advance.

**Illinois Family Resource Center:** Nancy will begin in-person pieces of training come September. Nancy also discussed her groups who were able to participate in the Celebrating Families. Nancy will also promote celebrating families this upcoming year. In addition, ROSC and IFRC will plan to collaborate for webinars similar to the 6 provided last year.

**Gateway:** Roberta shared with us how she and the staff at Gateway connect people in the Hospital/emergency room with outside resources to help them in recovery.

### **Continuation of meeting with strategic goals discussion:**

#### **Community events/Anti-Stigma/Education**

Karen reminded ROSC members that August 31 is National Overdose Awareness day; The Coles County ROSC will be conducting a Candle Light Vigil for the community. The event will take place at Kiwanis park, 7 PM- 8 PM.

**Recovery Bags:** In September for Recovery Month, Coles County ROSC will be distributing bags with hygiene items, and information to organization in the community to hand out to individuals leaving jail, living on the streets or looking for recovery.

**The next Coles County meeting will be September 26th at noon at the Honey Bee Café.**