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

September 26th, 2022 Noon

Members Present: Laura Bollan, John Parks, Nancy Phillips, Leanna Morgan, Kyle Houser, Kyle Stutes, Dana Tell

**Read over the strategic goals.** Everyone agreed that most have been met. Mentioned needing more faith based support. Dana explained she is already collecting contact information and will be meeting with church representatives soon. Nancy mentioned there was a group of pastors who met outside of ROSC Council since they were so many.

Discussed Activities. Resource Bags for Recovery Month have been distributed to Mattoon Police Dept., Charleston Police Dept., Coles County Sheriff's Office, Wingman Ministry, The Salvation Army, Gateway, The Haven, and the Hour House. Hour House 50th Celebration Sept. 30th 2022 4-6pm. Flyers were disturbed to the council members. Laura said she would ask Sarah Bush Lincoln Health Center to post on their Social Media. Next Event- Working with other agencies in the community like One Stop Community Christmas. Hidden in Plain Sight, we discussed working with another agency possibly SBLHC Healthy Communities. Our November and December meetings- fall in holiday weeks so it was suggested and agreed upon that we should meet the first Monday in November for a combined meeting for November and December.

## **Membership Sharing:**

**ROSC Update:** We are distributing Community Assessment Surveys to complete a needs assessment and update our goals.

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:** John shared with us how he and the staff at Gateway connect people in the Hospital/emergency room with outside resources to help them in recovery. Nancy asked John if infants born positive with substance are referrals- John hasn't seen one so far.

Please, fill out and turn in the Community Assessment Survey.

The next Coles County meeting will be October 24th at noon at the Honey Bee Café.