

# WINNEBAGO ROSC

## MEETING MINUTES

**LOCATION:** Virtual - Zoom

**DATE:** 3/11/24

**ATTENDEES:** Richard Springs (Host -EDDR Foundation ROSC), Halle Berghoff (EDDR Foundation), LaQuesha Williams (EDDR Foundation), Ben Rudolph (Region 2 Technical Assistant Statewide ROSC), Lisa Sargent-Davis (CVS/Aetna Community Facing), Michelle Neuman (Aetna Community Strategist), Bahiyyah Khalilallah (SROSC Community Outreach Coordinator), Janet Campbell (Independent Contractor), Chris Burton (Rosecrance Community Outreach Specialist, Prison Works NAACP Chairman), Lanelle Gowdy (reNEST Recovery Support Services), Yolanda Smalls (reNEST Recovery Support Services), Nathaniel Bovell (Prairie State Legal Services)

**TIME:** 10:00 am -11:00 am

## AGENDA ITEMS

- I. Introductions: Name, Organization, how to stay in touch.
- II. ROSC Overview: What is the ROSC and why it is important to the community? Mission: Building a collaborative community while recognizing multiple pathways to recovery. Vision: to be a resource to the community including persons in recovery, their families, and others.
- III. Guest Introductions: We took time going around the meeting to introduce ourselves and our organizations. There was also a call to present at future meetings if anyone was interested.
- IV. Upcoming Events: EDDR is hosting a Learn to Love Yourself Speak-a-Thon on March 29<sup>th</sup> at their office. There will be speakers, refreshments, games, and plenty of opportunities to meet and speak with other community members. There is a Community Health Council happening tomorrow at the library which Michelle Neumann-Galan is hosting, it will be focusing on youth mental health. They are currently searching for a new permanent location for their monthly meetings. Lisa Sargent-Davis is hosting a Statewide Community Health Council on June 2<sup>nd</sup> which will focus on community commitment and resource allocation. Finally, Chris Burton has a Peace Rally upcoming on June 28<sup>th</sup>, hosted by the NAACP which is in search of sponsors.
- V. Strategic Initiatives

Goal 1: Increase the involvement of family members and other natural supports in the Recovery process of loved ones  
Goal 2: Decrease Stigma in the community  
Goal 3: Housing  
Goal 4: Employment  
Goal 5: Transportation  
Goal 6: Improve knowledge of recovery events in the community  
Goal 7: Build Recovery programs alongside providers  
Goal 8: Increase and Maintain ROSC Council  
Goal 9: Establish Recovery Support Services for Winnebago County

- VI.** Additional topics included EDDR providing spaces for any community events that may be hosted, and EDDR's programs they offer.