



BB2L September 2025 ROSC Meeting

Call to Order by Apostle Carl White

Date: September 17th, 2025

Time: 9:30 am – 12:00 pm

Location: Abundant Life Christian Center, 14540 Lincoln Ave, Dolton, IL 60419

MEETING AGENDA

Introduction of Agencies/ Attendees Apostle Carl White

Why ROSC is important...Araina Mickens

Keynote speaker: Angela Russell from Envision (Bridging the Gap between Mental Health and Faith)

Community Change Initiatives:

Jessie Jackson Junior

Senator Willie Preston

Representative from COMED.

Announcements & Upcoming Events

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Next Meeting Date: 10/15/2025



BB2L BOUNCE BACK 2 LIFE RECOVERY NETWORK

Meeting Minutes - BB2L ROSC Council

Date: September 17, 2025 Time: 9:30 am

Location: Abundant Life Christian Center, 14540 Lincoln Ave, Dolton, IL 60419

Call to Order:

- The meeting was called to order by Apostle Carl White at 10:00 am.

Welcome and Introductions:

- Apostle Carl White welcomed all attendees, introducing the purpose of the discussion.
- Araina Mickens explained what ROSC is and introduced the guest speaker.
- Angela Russell from Envision spoke about their initiative to improve the mental health state of the community
- Guest Speakers gave suggestions on services for community initiatives.

Summary

We experienced some technical issues with the WiFi at the location that we were hosting. The internet could not be connected therefore the online viewers did not have access to the meeting.

Meeting attendees passed out pamphlets, brochures, flyers and business cards concerning their community businesses and initiatives. They spent the first half hour introducing

themselves and telling others about their businesses, the resources they provide, and plans to improve the community.

Dawn Parani Broomfield who serves as a pastor for the United Church of Hyde Park and is also the director of the cultural faith-based empowerment program for Envision Unlimited. Envision Unlimited is an organization that serves people who have intellectual and developmental disabilities, but they also have a mental health division. They are the newest program in the mental health division which is designed specifically to assist clergy people in getting the resources. She talked about mental health first aid. It is just like CPR except it's for mental health. It is a national evidence based training that gives everyday people, not just clinicians, who are interested in obtaining the confidence and the skills to recognize when someone is struggling. It teaches you how to listen with compassion and help connect folks to the services and resources that they need.

Jessie Jackson Junior spoke about his desire to change the southside of Chicago. His plan is to reverse the rush hour traffic by bringing jobs to the south side of Chicago. He is advocating for adding another 10000 ft runway airport in the south suburbs to reduce the traffic going to O'Hare airport and bring hotels, convention centers, and more jobs to the south side of Chicago.

State senator Willie Preston from the Second congressional district came to speak. He spoke about his desire to reduce gun violence, increase unity in the community, and increase jobs.

A representative from ComEd spoke to the group explaining the reason behind the exponential increase in electrical bills. Attributed the increase to infrastructure costs and delivery cost being passed on to the customers.

Upcoming Events:

BB2L Next Meeting – October 15, 2025.

Meeting Adjourned: The meeting was adjourned by Apostle Carl White at 12:00 pm.



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