

**Clark County ROSC Council
Meeting Minutes**

Date: Oct 21st, 2025

Location: HRC Forsythe Center and via Zoom

Facilitator: Bobbye Scott, Clark County ROSC Coordinator

Council Members Present: Bobbye Scott-Coordinator, Jessica Parrill-Recovery Navigator, Michelle Edwards, Brandi Rhoads, Beth Anne Wright. Deb Buchannan

The Clark County ROSC Council convened to discuss ongoing initiatives focused on strengthening community support for individuals affected by substance use and mental health challenges.

Bobbye Scott facilitated introductions among attendees.

A major topic of discussion was the upcoming National Drug Take Back Day, emphasizing the importance of safe medication disposal and environmental protection. Bobbye also reminded the group that the Medicine Shop offers year-round drop-off services for expired medications.

The Council discussed current challenges with survey participation, leading to brainstorming of new outreach strategies. Bobbye reported collaboration with probation to distribute surveys and shared plans to increase visibility at the Trunk or Treat event hosted by the Marshall Area Chamber of Commerce. Creative outreach ideas were proposed, such as distributing stickers with QR codes on the boxes during Amazon deliveries to encourage public participation.

The need for Council growth was emphasized, with particular attention to engaging faith communities and law enforcement to broaden representation and strengthen community collaboration.

Bobbye proposed changing the council meeting day and time. The council felt that could make our meetings more accessible and improve attendance. New meeting date and time options will be sent out to the council via survey to determine the best choice.

Bobbye highlighted the importance of establishing a recovery-safe space within the community and integrating housing support through church partnerships. She also expressed readiness to begin providing support within local jails and discussed the need to develop a subcommittee & structured plan for this initiative, which will include discussions on Drug Court & bridging the gap between jail and treatment.

Recovery Navigator, Jessica Parrill, announced the start of an education group at the Marshall Public Library beginning in November, designed to support recovery and community awareness.

To enhance community engagement and participation, Bobbye proposed coordinating future meetings and outreach events, including the creation of gift baskets as incentives for survey participation.

Action Items

- Continue collaboration with probation to distribute surveys.
- Participate in the Marshall Area Chamber of Commerce Trunk or Treat event for outreach.
- Explore partnerships with local churches and law enforcement for Council growth.
- Continue offering recovery support in jails.
- Distribute QR-code flyers for survey promotion.
- Search out donations for gift baskets for future outreach and incentive efforts.

Next Meeting

Date: November 18th, 2025

Time/Location: HRC Forsythe Center 5 pm