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Greene & Scott County Recovery Council

Date of Meeting: 9/16/2025

Time of Meeting: 3:00 PM

Location of Meeting: 205 S Morse St Roodhouse, IL 62082

Format: Hybrid

Attendees:

AM- GCHD
BB- GCHD
MB- Bright Futures
AN- ROE 40
BK- Gateway Foundation- PLE
AS- Crisis Center Foundation
NT- Crisis Center Foundation
KC- Birth to Five
DS- Americorps
RR- SUPS/Prevention Coordinator
DB- Chestnut
DS-PLE
BB-PLE
MM- GCHD

Key Approvals

- Without objection, the meeting minutes from March were approved
- No approvals required

Support groups, upcoming events, and ROSC member updates.

- Life Skills Class for Life and Work every Tuesday from 9AM-10AM at 205 S Morse St, Roodhouse
- Together we are Stronger Support Group every Thursday at 1 at 205 S Morse St, Roodhouse

- ROSC's upcoming event Harvesting Hope- Recovery family fall festival



- **The Crisis Center Foundation-** October 14th the Crisis Center is providing a lunch and learn for us at noon for domestic violence awareness month.
- **Rita Robertson: JCAD Coordinator-** shared that the Jersey County Against Drugs is hosting a Trivia Night Fundraiser Saturday, September 27th at 6:15 PM at Life Church Youth Building 300 Bluebird LN, Jerseyville, IL

New Initiatives and Updates:

- **Homelessness Support Initiative:**
The ROSC Council discussed continued efforts to support individuals experiencing homelessness within Greene and Scott Counties. Local churches and ROSC members have been dropping off food donations at the Roodhouse office, and the Roodhouse Police Department has agreed to host a weekend **"Bounty Box"** in their lobby for individuals in need. This collaborative effort between the faith community, law enforcement, and ROSC members provides 24/7 access to food and essential items while connecting individuals with recovery resources.
- **Faith & Community Engagement:**
Council members recognized and expressed appreciation for local churches, organizations, and volunteers who

have contributed to this effort. Additional outreach will continue to strengthen these partnerships and identify expansion opportunities in other communities.

- **New Planning Committee:**

To improve coordination and ensure consistent progress across initiatives, the Council voted to establish a **ROSC Planning Committee**. The committee will meet **on the 3rd Wednesday of each month from 12:00–1:00 PM**. The focus will include event planning, initiative tracking, and preparation of deliverables for quarterly reporting. Meeting details and invites will be shared with all interested members.

- **Next Steps:**

- Develop a restock schedule for the Roodhouse Bounty Box.
- Continue collecting data on donations and individuals served.
- Prepare a “Community Impact Snapshot” for distribution at the next council meeting.
- Confirm membership and first agenda for the Planning Committee’s kickoff meeting.

Supply Closet & Donations:

- The ongoing need for donations to stock our supply closet was emphasized. This resource remains essential to breaking down everyday barriers that hinder recovery by ensuring individuals have access to basic hygiene and personal care items.

Additional Council Actions and Discussions:

- Planning has begun for interagency meetings in both Greene and Scott Counties. These meetings aim to strengthen cross-sector collaboration and improve service coordination across agencies.
- The Council agreed to begin publicly displaying monthly ROSC service data through Facebook posts and printed flyers. This move is intended to enhance transparency and community engagement.
- A monthly ROSC Council Planning Committee meeting will be scheduled at the beginning of each month to organize efforts, establish priorities, and increase the overall effectiveness of our initiatives.