



**Together We Thrive.**

## **Northwest Suburban ROSC/Kenneth Young Center**

**Tuesday, February 24<sup>th</sup>**

**10:30am – 12:30pm via Zoom**

### **February Minutes**

#### **Attendees:**

Kenneth Bell – TA – State ROSC  
Teila DeSarno – Elk Grove Village Police Department – Law Enforcement  
Natalie Bonner – Talented Teens – Youth Serving Org  
Lieutenant Tony Rigano – Elgin Police Department – Law Enforcement  
Lovinna Fields – Kane County Circuit Court – Judicial  
Donald Kauffeld – Interfaith Community – Faith Based Org  
Daryl Pass – RSS Senior Manager – Kenneth Young Center

#### **Discussion:**

##### **Members discussed the following:**

Members continued an overview and definition of what a ROSC council is. Our short and long term goals. Community Needs Assessment, and what resources and information each council can have on the community and council initiative.

Through trainings that have been offered by our state ROSC and guidance by our ROSC TA Kenneth Bell, we at Kenneth Young Center have a better understanding of our ROSC purpose. We understand that our mission is to build a robust ROSC council within our community sectors. In doing so we are to provide and assist our ROSC council with the education training resource and access to fulfill the community needs assessment that has been established. We also understand that with the resources we have, we are not to provide direct service. However, we are to infuse our ROSC council with the ability to address the needs withing our community when it comes to our youth and families who struggle with substance use, trauma, and menta health. As we move forward, we are committed to this purpose.

#### **Pannel Expert:**

Natalie Bonner CEO of Talented Teens continued her three-part series “Safe Choices, Strong Futures for Adolescent / Youth.”

#### **Q & A Session**

**Meeting adjourned at 12:30pm**

**Next meeting will be Tuesday March 24<sup>th</sup>**