

Lee/Whiteside ROSC Minutes
03/19/2026
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Attendees- Gerald Lott (SVVOR Executive Director), Elliot Grace (Assistant ROSC Coordinator/Outreach Mgr) Ben Rudolph (ROSC TA), Jake Albers (Ogle/DeKalb ROSC Coordinator), Brandi O'Rorke (SVVOR Recovery Coach Supervisor), Monica Allen (YWCA), Jordan Keene (SVVOR Recovery Coach), Allen Przysucha (First On Site), Lauren Metzler (SVVOR C.O.O) , Michelle Sanders (ROE 47, SVVOR Board Member)

RCO Report - Gerald Lott

- We had 21 intakes in February which is on par with last year at this time. There were also several failed intakes. We are working to streamline the process to lose less.
- Primarily alcohol, and then meth. OSF was our biggest referrer.
- Upcoming Easter Egg Hunt in DeKalb on 4/12/2026 @ Hopkins Park Shelter
- Cledy's House of Hope in need of community support such as grants, fundraisers, awareness, employment opportunities for clients, donations, etc.
- SVVOR was awarded funding to purchase a fully loaded recovery van. The plan is to create a set schedule and park the van in areas of opportunity to support and educate people on the resources SVVOR provides and for onsite recovery coaching.
- Recovery High School continues to push for fall 2027 opening.
- Gerlad shared info on all of the current support groups and upcoming events. PLEASE follow us on FB. We have information on EVERYTHING going on with SVVOR and it's always current!

Recovery High School- Gerald Lott (SVVOR Executive Director), & Michelle Sanders (ROE 47, SVVOR Board Member)

- We have a lot of "perfect" candidates in the tri-county area.
- Recovery High School provides a secure, supervised environment with recovery coaching available to students.
- Students receive an accredited official high school diploma. Certified teachers working with students while they receive support in recovery.
- Students are provided with an environment that allows them to be comfortable in their own skin.
- Students are more willing to be vulnerable and trusting. Working on growth and facing issues at hand.
- There is a strong inclusion element full of support and encouragement among students/peers.

What Can ROSC Do For You? Ben Rudolph (ROSC TA)
Monica Allen (YWCA)

- Wellness in Recovery Event coming up, but don't quite have all the details ready yet, will share when available.

Allen Przysucha (First On Site)

- First time joining ROSC, no current needs.

Michelle Sanders (ROE 47, SVVOR Board Member)

- Continued support for Recovery High School.