

Shelby County ROSC Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, September 8th, 2026

3:30pm to 4:30pm

ROSC Council Office - 155 S Morgan St., Shelbyville, IL
or via Zoom

- **Introduction of attendees –**
 - In Person – Landriah Hardiek (Shelby Co ROSC Council Coordinator), Scott McKee (Shelby Co EMA), Brenda Freeman (Celebrate Recovery), Richard Hood (Celebrate Recovery), Dusty Hanner (Chestnut Health)
 - Zoom – Taylor Jones (Shelby Co ROSC Council Recovery Navigator), Nathan Nichols (CIPT), Toni Randall (Region 4 ROSC TA), David Alvarez (Prevention First), Mariah Witmer (HOPE), Angie Durbin (Probation), Kristin Davis (Family Guidance Center)
- **Events – Landriah reviewed.**
 - Upcoming FREE Laundry Days @ Shelbyville Wash and Fold - 9am to Noon – Every second Thursday of the month
 - September 10, 2026 – HSHS Home Care & Hospice (sponsor)
 - October 8, 2026 – Shelby Co Democratic Central Committee (sponsor)
 - November 12, 2026 – Shelby Co Democratic Central Committee (sponsor)
 - Wednesday Wellness Education @ ROSC Council Office – 3pm, every Wednesday
 - Wednesday Drop in Day @ ROSC Council Office – 10am to 4pm, every Wednesday
 - Quarterly Community Discussion
 - October 15th – Lions Club Building – 5:30pm to 7:30pm
 - 325 E North 9th St, Shelbyville, IL 62565
 - Game Night
 - Sept 26th – ROSC Building – 6pm to 9pm
 - Family Fun Day - TBD
 - January – Game-On Arcade?
- **Candlelight Vigil – Wednesday, August 26th – 6pm to 8pm**
 - Landriah reviewed that the event was a success. Informal and intimate. We got to share stories and spend time together. We took a moment to light candles and say some loving words for those who passed. Landriah, Taylor, Scott, Brenda, Richard and Susie were in attendance.
- **Game Night – Saturday, September 26th 6pm to 9pm**
 - Board Games and Card Games, snacks and water provided.
 - Come out and have some fun!!
 - Kids are welcome.
- **Quarterly Community Discussion – October**
 - Lions Club Building – 5:30pm to 7:30pm

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 - Toni asked if TASC was an option to have present. Landriah commented that the Sheriff is working on that.
 - Landriah shared how there may not be panelists this time. There will be a speaker from Growing Strong to share and educate us on how Sexual Assault and Substance Use can go hand in hand. We will follow that up with a discussion as a community on how we're supporting those with SUD, what's working and what's not working.
- **FY27 ROSC Projects – Landriah reviewed.**
 - Goal 1 - The Shelby County ROSC Council will expand and strengthen the volunteer transportation network for individuals accessing residential treatment and recovery-related services by continuing to educate outside agencies and the general public about the need for volunteer transportation and add 10 volunteers and continue to update and distribute resource guides by the end of June 30, 2027.
 - Start **Transportation/Safe Passages Subcommittee Meetings** in September – Meeting scheduled for **Tuesday, September 15th at 3:30pm.**
 - Develop a list of 5 organizations in Shelby County that can help expand the network of volunteer transportation drivers.
 - Landriah has reached out to 6 churches to see if they will share before or after sermons, no response.
 - Schedule presentations to inform organizations of the volunteer transportation need in Shelby County.
 - Goal 2 - The Shelby County ROSC Council will increase access to harm reduction materials (Narcan, fentanyl test strips, other safety supplies, etc.) in Shelby County through DOPP sites and established partnerships with local pharmacies, community centers, and public health department, to distribute these materials by June 30th, 2027.
 - Host Quarterly Community Discussion by Q1; moved to October 15th, due to location availability.
 - Host Quarterly Community Discussion by Q2.
 - Host educational opportunity for town outside of Shelbyville.
 - Brenda mentioned that Findlay would be good.
 - Goal 3 - The Shelby County ROSC Council will assist stakeholders in the establishment of a Safe Passages Program in Shelby County to support individuals accessing residential treatment by educating law enforcement, community organizations, and the general public of the need for volunteer transportation and adding 10 volunteers to the volunteer driver network by June 30, 2027.

- **Start Transportation/Safe Passages Subcommittee Meetings** in September – Meeting scheduled for **Tuesday, September 15th at 3:30pm.**
 - Same Subcommittee as in Goal 1.
- **Community Survey (Options for distribution)**
 - Physical Survey
 - QR Code flyer
 - QR Code Survey Giveaway Basket flyer
 - Sharing on email
 - Sharing on social media
 - Taylor mentioned that on FB instead of sharing the QR code, we will need to post the link because you can't scan with your phone as you're on your phone.
 - Richard mentioned we could put the QR code surveys or physical surveys into the bags of food at the First Assembly of God food hand-outs.
 - Dusty mentioned that going to Food Pantries with the surveys will be very productive. As well as, beauty shops, church monitors, hand out before and after church, doctor's offices, hospitals, and in grocery bags at local grocery stores.
 - Scott mentioned dentist's offices and optometrist's offices would be a good place for survey distribution as well.
- **Needs noticed by community as of lately:**
 - Volunteer Drivers!
 - Richard said him and Brenda could take the volunteer driver flyer to New Hope church.
 - Dusty suggested plugging into the local ministerial alliance to connect deeper with the faith-based community.

Any feedback this month? What's working, what's not working?

Richard Hood and Brenda Freeman shared that a man who we connected to treatment said thank you for the resources to get further on his way into recovery.

Mariah Witmer shared that HOPE is having their Domestic Violence Survivor Letter Writing at the Shelbyville Public Library on October 5th, 10am to Noon.

Nathan Nichols shared that Effingham Transport is sending drivers to where ever they need to go, they may be open to supporting Shelby County, it would be a good idea to reach out to them to see. They have a Facebook page.

He also mentioned that the Festival of Lights and Festival of Trees is coming up again this year. There are opportunities for volunteering and sponsoring a sign or tree. Volunteering for the booth or table as people come through; the sign up will be available soon.

Kristin Davis mentioned that we could do a Recovery is Possible sign with the QR code that would go to GSU webpage.

Next Meeting: Tuesday, October 13th, 2026 at 155 S Morgan St. Shelbyville, IL or via Zoom

Invite someone for next month!!!

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