

DuPage ROSC Council Meeting Minutes

September 9th, 2026

0:00-16:25

DuPage County ROSC Coordinator Jarrett Burton welcomed everyone to the meeting and to the hosts of the September meeting, Wheaton Public Library and then went over the agenda for the meeting

DuPage ROSC Coordinator Jarrett Burton explained what a ROSC is for any newcomers and laid out the sectors and areas that the ROSC engages with. Jarrett mentioned that the sector of the month is persons with lived experience, and the guest on today's meeting has a great recovery story.

DuPage ROSC Coordinator Jarrett Burton asked today's icebreaker question – how are you celebrating recovery month? Here's what folks said:

- One person will be celebrating 23 years of sobriety and talked about seeing some of his former clients out in the world doing well
- A couple of members spoke about their own recovery journey and how it made them who they are today

Jarrett previewed some upcoming meetings and trainings:

Jarrett started by explaining what a ROSC is what DuPage ROSC does for anyone who is there for the first ROSC meeting

20:20-24:45

ROSC Coordinator Jarrett Burton then introduced the new Ampact Recovery Corps service members for the 2026. He first welcomed back Kelsey Chavez, who is returning for her second service term, this time as a Recovery Navigator. She was previously a Project Coordinator, and she is excited to attempt this new side of things. Kelsey was instrumental in getting the donation drives started for the Serenity House mobile outreach teams.

Jarrett then introduced Daniel Ligouri, who will be starting a service term as Project Coordinator. Daniel has a background in public health and epidemiology, and is looking to bring that background to data collection and other projects for the ROSC.

24:45- 30:50

ROSC Coordinator Jarrett Burton then introduced Scott Kaufmann from the DuPage County Health department, to discuss the changes happening at the DuPage Narcan Program, including new options for Naloxone and Naloxone dispensers. Scott also promoted the post-overdose survey that is being run through the Behavioral Health Collaborative

34:50-End

Jarrett then introduced Don Phelps, who runs Awakenings With Don, a recovery website, and Don also chairs Dharma Recovery meetings in the suburbs. Don is a former pastor who had a different kind of spiritual awakening, and realized he needed more to enrich his recovery life. The full interview can be seen here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mMb-s6kQd8o&t=1241s>

Attendance:

Jarrett Burton	DuPage ROSC, Serenity House, PLE
Annette Villareal	Kane County ROSC, Serenity House, PLE
Kelsey Chavez	Ampact, PLE
Daniel Ligouri	Ampact, PLE
Marissa Thompson	OMNI, PLE
Matthew Ashley	Way Back Inn, PLE
Mimi Doll	DuPage Federation
Scott Kaufmann	DuPage County Health Department
Roger Stefani	Hope For Healing, PLE
Jennifer Trivelli	Linden Oaks Behavioral Health
Dr. Stephen Holtsford	DuPage Crisis Center, PLE
Brianna Haug	Oxford House Inc, PLE
Mark Matthews	Greater Family Health, PLE
Winter Lane	DuPage Probation
Judith Lukas	DuPage County Coroner

Cristyna Ramirez	Existential Counseling
John Skocz	Central DuPage Hospital
Matilda Faria	Healthcare Alternative Systems
Alexandra Brouwer	PLE, Serenity House
Ezra Fisk	360 Youth Services
Carissa Feiber	Live 4 Lali
Najeeb Khan	Live 4 Lali
Paul Meccia	PLE
Susan Cho	Turning Point, CRSS
Avery Murphy	Avery Speaks, PLE
Scott Shirley	PLE, COD student
Don Phelps	PLE, CRSS, Alpharus