

DeWitt ROSC Council Meeting Minutes

DeWitt Piatt Bi-County Health Department

Date: May 18, 2026

Time: 1:00 PM

Location: Clinton Health Department

1. **Attendees – Maggie Memmott (DeWitt County ROSC Coordinator); MinutesMinutesMinutesTia Schum (PCMHC); Tony Kirkman (PCMHC); Cory Baxter (Heritage Behavioral Health); Sharon Mills (DeWitt County Mental Health Bord); Teagan Skull (Heritage Behavioral Health); Victoria Dahman (Medical Assisted Treatment); Jamie Porter (PCMHC); Kristen Davis; Linda Coleman (Advocate); Tedd Lowers (Health Department); Ben Lowers (Clinton Police Department)**

1. Introductions & Community Updates

The council opened the meeting with standard introductions and moved into general community awareness strategies.

- **Naloxone Training & Distribution:** The group discussed expanding the reach of Naloxone training and finding new community touchpoints to spread awareness. This remains a vital step in successfully introducing ROSC initiatives into new areas.
- **Train the Trainer Groups:** An update was shared regarding "Sobriety B-Days" initiatives.
- **Naloxone Boxes & Training Needs:** * It was noted that there is an ongoing need for outside Naloxone boxes to be installed in **DeWitt** and **Lane**.
 - Upcoming Naloxone training sessions are being planned for **Baums** and the **Farmer City Library**.

2. Family Day Picnic

The council reviewed ongoing planning for the upcoming Family Day Picnic. The discussion focused heavily on logistics and entertainment, specifically brainstorming:

- Musical entertainment options.
- Types of games and activities for attendees.
- What kind of guest speaker would be the best fit for the event?

3. Wellness Fair

- **Update:** It was officially announced that the previously scheduled Wellness Fair has been canceled.

4. Speaker Jam

- **Event Recap:** The council celebrated the success of the recent Speaker Jam. The event saw a fantastic turnout of approximately **60 people**. Attendees enjoyed great food, and the guest speakers provided excellent, impactful presentations.

5. Guest Speaker: Tony Kirkman

The council welcomed Tony Kirkman as the afternoon's guest speaker.

- Mr. Kirkman gave an informative presentation on **Kratom**, focusing on its adverse side effects and the severe withdrawal symptoms individuals can experience.
- The presentation also covered current advocacy efforts surrounding the substance, specifically the push for banning its sale from local gas stations.