

COLLABORATIVE MEETING MINUTES



Date: 9/19/25

White County Board of Education

Attendees

WCFC 5
DOJ 1
9th District 2

Agency Announcements

- Ninth District still enrolling in street outreach.
- Next Wednesday is free Food Distribution.
- Warrior Connection has set open hours: Tuesdays 8-10 a.m., Wednesdays/Thursdays 2-4 p.m.
- White Christmas info coming soon.
- New REACH Scholars will be announced

Presenter: Annese Norman with Social Security Administration

Presentation Recap

- Explanation of Supplemental Security Income (SSI), a federal needs-based program that provides income to individuals who have limited income and few resources with little or no work history. Maximum monthly benefit is \$967 a month for 2025. Resource page to find answers to questions about SSI topics: www.ssa.gov/ssi/links-to-spotlights.htm
- Explanation of disabled adult child (DAC) qualifications and benefits.
- Can take more than 12 months to be approved for SSI or DAC.
- Review of application process: contact local representative or or call 1-800-722-1213.
- Summation of survivor benefits for children.

Next Meeting:
Oct. 17, 11 a.m.

Dr. Virginia Dick with Georgia Family Connection will present our annual data review, which helps drive our scope of work for the upcoming year. Plan to attend so we can have your input on how to better service our community.