**MINUTES**

**Welcome/Mission Moment**

The meeting was called to order at 9:05 am by Chair, Dr. Woody, Chair of the Executive Council.

**Approval of March 2021 minutes**

A motion to approve the minutes was made by Brenda Snitzer and seconded by Verna Jones. All voting members approved the minutes. No nays were recorded.

**Homeless Advocacy & Legislation Update**

Daniel Roby presented an update regarding the legislation at the Texas Capitol including Texas Homeless Network’s Homelessness Awareness Day at the Texas Capitol, and various other bills including the statewide camping ban.

**Collin County Nominations**

Collin County organizations have expressed their passion to participate in making homelessness rare, brief, and nonrecurring. Three individuals were nominated including Janet Collinsworth, Sheri Messer, and Christina Coultas. MDHA reported that tabulation of votes would occur after the meeting to ensure everyone had time to vote and would report the results to the CoC Assembly.

**Updates**

Dr. Woody provided updates on the CoC Workgroups and Ashley Brundage, Chair of the Homeless Collaborative, provided updates on the MDHA CEO search, eviction prevention and stimulus funding.

**Hepatitis A Presentation**

Michelle Carruthers, an epidemiologist with Dallas County Health Department presented about the Hepatitis A outbreak and vaccination efforts.

**Announcements/Adjournment**

* Case Managers Roundtable, Wednesday, April 28, 2021, noon-1:30 p.m. Topic: Self-Care
* What Kind of Community Do We Want to Build in Dallas? A Hard Conversation with Anne Miskey, Friday, April 30, 2021, noon-1.30pm (on Zoom). Register to attend at https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\_huV35KIeTcapWUGF6izfmA
* State of Homelessness Address 2021, Tuesday, May 11, 2021, 9.30-11.30am (on Vimeo).

The meeting was adjourned at 10:36am.