Executive Committee Meeting Summary March 11, 2020

- 1. Chairman Craig Hammer called the meeting to order and reviewed important dates found in the UHSAA Ready Reference Calendars (see <u>www.uhsaa.org</u>). Academic All-State deadlines were also discussed.
- 2. Mr. Cuff provided the Committee with a list of winter state champions and a basketball endowment game financial report. The endowment money will be transferred to the Endowment Fund by a Board of Trustees motion next week. The endowment money is currently used to supplement schools' annual catastrophic insurance.
- 3. The UHSAA staff reviewed winter activities, which included wresting, basketball, drill team and swimming.
- 4. Mr. Jeff Cluff reviewed the winter ejection reports for coaches and players. The emphasis in sportsmanship has helped the respect and relationships between coaches and officials improve.
- 5. The 2020-2021 tentative calendar (<u>www.uhsaa.org</u>) was discussed.
- 6. A reminder that the UIAAA Conference for athletic administrators is April 16-18 in St. George.
- 7. The Executive Committee voted to change the format for the UHSAA Dare2*LEAD* Student Leadership Conference. The Conference will now be held in the fall by region or on a multi-region basis. More information will be provided by the UHSAA staff at the beginning of the school year.
- 8. "Show" will be the third category along with military and dance at the 2021 State Drill Team Competition.
- 9. It was approved by the Committee that all varsity volleyball contests in Utah will be best 3 out of 5 matches.
- 10. A recommendation by the Executive Committee will be forwarded to the Board of Trustees for approval to change the volleyball contest limitations to 18 matches and 0 tournaments; 17 matches and 1 tournament; or 16 matches and 2 tournaments. The following guidelines pertain to the tournaments: no more than 6 (3 of 5) matches in a tournament, no more than 4 (3 of 5) matches in a given day; and tournaments may not exceed three days in length. If a region tournament is held it would have to be counted as one of the two tournaments allowed.

- 11. The Executive Committee discussed the upcoming realignment of member schools. Format and procedures were reviewed and discussion items will be provided to the Board of Trustees.
- 12. Mr. Brenan Jackson reported on Unified Sports for soccer and track & field. The UHSAA and SOUT (Special Olympics Utah) are once again joining together to provide this outstanding experience for student athletes.
- 13. Mr. Mark Van Wagoner, UHSAA legal counsel, provided a report to the Committee.
- 14. Mr. Cuff provided the Committee with articles reflecting the great things that are happening through education-based high school activities.