Executive Committee Meeting Summary
September 30, 2020

1. Chairman Craig Hammer called the meeting to order and reviewed the important dates found in the UHSAA Ready Reference Calendars (see www.uhsaa.org).

2. Mr. Jon Oglesby reviewed the 2020-2021 calendar. Dates and sites were approved by the Committee for wrestling divisionals. Calendar information can be found on the UHSAA website. Academic All-State deadlines were reviewed.

3. There were 51 football endowment games this season. An endowment game financial report will be available for the November meeting.

4. Schools are encouraged to get involved with unified sports. The UHSAA has partnered with Special Olympics Utah to sanction track and soccer as unified sports events for the current school year. Interested schools should contact the UHSAA.

5. Mr. Brenan Jackson emphasized the importance of coaches’ certification and the responsibility of schools and districts to track the certification of coaches.

6. Mr. Marc Hunter provided a UIAAA Report and discussed the NIAAA Virtual Conference this coming December.

7. The Executive Committee has again determined that adjustments for Summer Moratorium (July 4-10) can only be made as an entire school, not per sport or activity. Schools have been given an exception for participation in non-competition service activities such as a parade.

8. Mr. Rob Cuff reminded Committee members that region nominations for distinguished service awards and school nominations for the super fan award are due to the UHSAA by November 1, 2020.

9. Ms. Jodi Parker and Mr. Corby Eason presented a USBE Report and Mr. Mark Van Wagoner, UHSAA legal counsel, provided a legal report.

10. Ms. Jan Whittaker discussed sportsmanship items, including the student leadership conference scheduled for regions in fall of 2021.

11. Emerging sports information must be returned to UHSAA in October. The Emerging Sports Committee will meet in November to discuss information submitted by member schools.

12. Mr. Jeff Cluff provided an officials’ update to the Committee.
13. Calendar adjustments were made for soccer. Rio Tinto Stadium will host the semifinals and finals in 4A, 5A and 6A and the finals in 2A and 3A. The 2A and 3A semifinals will be held at Juan Diego Catholic High School.

14. Calendar adjustments were made for volleyball. Salt Lake Community College will host the semifinals and finals in 5A and 6A. Sevier Valley Center in Richfield will host the 2A, 3A and 4A quarterfinals, semifinals and finals. Union High School in Roosevelt will host the 1A quarterfinals, semifinals and finals.

15. Calendar adjustments were made for football. The 6A semifinals and finals are listed as to be determined. Dixie State University will host the semifinals and finals in 5A and the finals in 4A. The 4A semifinals will be played at the site of the highest seed. Southern Utah University will host the semifinals in 2A and 3A and Dixie State University will host the finals in 2A and 3A.

16. Mr. Cuff shared articles regarding education based high school activities.