

# Hinman Moves 2020 Meeting and Program to 2021 – Hinman Decides to "Freeze Time" and Host 108th Meeting March 11 – 13, 2021

The Thomas P. Hinman Dental Meeting — one of the nation's largest dental meetings — announced that it will move the Hinman 2020 educational program, speakers and events to March 11-13, 2021. The 108th Meeting, which was scheduled for March 19-21 at the Georgia World Congress Center and Omni Hotel at CNN Center in Atlanta, was forced to cancel on March 11 due to the COVID-19 concerns in the U.S. and abroad.

"We are confident we made the right decision to cancel this year's meeting and happy to share that we plan to host this outstanding educational program in 2021," said Dr. Bob O'Donnell, General Chair for Hinman 2020 and 2021. "We've worked diligently over the past week to secure our speakers for next year and appreciate the opportunity to host this wonderful 'Hinman Reunion' next March. We'll have an entire year to finalize the details and focus on making it the best Hinman ever for our attendees!"

Following the 2020 Meeting cancellation, Hinman's officers discussed various options and decided that the educational program was simply too strong to abandon. "In the end, everyone agreed that the program should be moved to the already reserved March 2021 dates, which makes the planning and preparation for next year's meeting seamless," Dr. O'Donnell added.

Since the cancellation, Hinman staff have been processing refunds for registration, course and event fees. They also donated all of the supplies purchased for the Participation courses, which included 465 disposable gowns, 137 boxes of

gloves, 17 boxes of face masks and 21 bottles of hand sanitizer to a local Atlanta retirement facility. In addition, Hinman is still awarding its annual scholarships to students throughout the Southeast. These scholarships are always presented to the recipients during the Meeting's Scholars Luncheon.

The Hinman Dental Society, which sponsors the Hinman Meeting, will keep its current slate of officers, who will serve another year. Society President Dr. Sedgie Newsom said, "We are fortunate to have an outstanding membership that is willing to volunteer and help with anything and everything to make the Meeting possible and enjoyable. It's going to be a great year."

The Hinman Meeting annually attracts more than 20,000 dentists, hygienists, assistants, students and other dental professionals and industry personnel to Atlanta. In addition, more than 400 companies exhibit at the conference, which is held every March. This year was only the third time in its 108-year history that the Meeting has been cancelled. In 1931,

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Wishing all our members & their families health & safety during this time.

the Meeting was cancelled out of respect for the death of its founder, prominent Atlanta dentist Dr. Thomas P. Hinman. And, in 1933, the Meeting was cancelled due to the Great Depression.



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#### President's Message

# Looking Forward to 2021



Dr. Sedgie Newsom

This is not the President's message that I intended to write. I had planned to talk about the greatest Hinman meeting ever, Come Home to Hinman! Who could have envisioned that we would have to take the unprecedented action to cancel our meeting due to the Covid-19 crisis?

General Chair Bob O'Donnell and his Program Chairs, Jane Puskas and William Rousseau, have spent the last three years traveling around the country scouting numerous dental meetings and working tirelessly to put together an outstanding program with a tremendous lineup of speakers and activities. The pre-registration numbers were indicating that this was going to be another great meeting. Then BOOM! The pandemic was on our doorstep and a hard decision had to be made.

The Advisory committee decided, with Bob O'Donnell's input, that for the health and safety of all involved, we had to cancel the 108th Thomas P. Hinman Dental Meeting. In the end, it showed incredible courage by our leadership to make such a difficult decision just one week out from the start of the meeting, especially after devoting three years of planning to this meeting! For everyone involved, it was just so depressing.

As Coach Lee Corso is so quick to say during ESPN's Gameday each week, "Not so fast my friend!" With a suggestion from Britney Darby, Hinman's Marketing

#### 2020-2021 Membership Meeting Schedule

September 21, 2020

The Intercontinental Buckhead

November 9, 2020

The Crowne Plaza Atlanta Perimeter at Ravinia

January 21, 2021

Georgia Aquarium — Staff Lecture

Speakers will be announced soon

Manager, the idea to reschedule all of the plans for Hinman 2020 to the 2021 meeting dates came to life. The 108th Thomas P. Hinman Dental Meeting, Come Home to Hinman, will now be held March 11-13, 2021. What an appropriate theme for the meeting! We are fortunate to be able to delay our activities and events one year. All of our suppliers and partners have stepped up to accommodate us the best way possible.

We now embark on a new chapter for the Hinman Dental Society. The Executive Council adopted a resolution whereby the current officers agreed to serve an extra year in their volunteer roles to accommodate the change of the meeting dates (see page 7 for details of the passed resolution). The Annual Meeting at Grove Park Inn will now be held in June 2021, and will serve as a great reward for all of our members' hard work at the March meeting. In the "Hinman Way," I have no doubt that our selfless members will rise to the occasion and over-perform. As we move forward through this coming year, there will be requests that we'll make of many of you, and I thank you in advance for your dedication and your willingness to serve. We truly have the greatest membership of any dental organization on the planet.

Needless to say, this pandemic has created a professional nightmare for each of us. Sheltering in place, significantly limiting work in our practices and completing a myriad of paperwork and applications to seek assistance through the SBA's Payroll Protection Plan, have all proven to be quite taxing.

This practice interruption reminded me of one that Dr. Thomas Hinman experienced in his professional life, as well.

In 1914, Dr. and Mrs. Hinman traveled to London for the International Congress of Dentists. While he was there, WWI broke out. Since he was born in Canada and therefore a citizen and subject of the United Kingdom, he was forbidden to return to the States for a period of time. Talk about a forced, unplanned practice interruption. As soon as he returned home, he immediately applied for U.S. citizenship vowing never to let that happen to him again.

On the bright side, it's been great to see lots of people out walking, jogging and biking. Neighbors have gotten to know each other, at a safe 6-foot distance, and for the most part, we've all been getting to spend more time with family than we ever have.

I would be remiss if I didn't mention again what an incredible job Sylvia Ratchford and our entire Hinman Staff have done preparing for Hinman 2020, then undoing that preparation due to the cancellation of the Meeting. I spent a good bit of time with them at the office during this crisis



The Omni Grove Park Inn Annual Meeting Rescheduled! June 3-6, 2021

**WHAT:** We hope you and your family will join us for a weekend full of fun and relaxation at the Hinman Dental Society Annual Meeting!

WHEN: June 3-6, 2021

WHERE: The Omni Grove Park Inn, Asheville, NC

**PRICE:** Room rates start at \$289/night for a standard room; additional fees apply

The Hinman Trustees will reward each Hinman member who fulfills their committee assignment with complimentary member registration and one room night.

All reservation for the 2020 Annual Meeting have already been cancelled. A new booking link will be created and sent out when available.



in March and I can tell you that these ladies are organized, disciplined and cool under pressure. In the midst of the storm, they held a steady hand guiding us safely through. Our heartfelt thanks go to the entire Hinman staff.

We hope everyone has been safe and healthy over these many weeks. As always, please contact me or the Hinman office if you need more information at this time. Wishing you a great summer, and we'll see y'all in September at the Society meeting!

#### General Chair's Message

## Come Home to Hinman -The Sequel



Dr. Bob O'Donnell

As the world fights the COVID-19 coronavirus, I hope this message finds you and your families healthy and safe. It is still uncertain as to when it will be acceptable to return to our practices full time to treat non emergent patients and resume "business as usual", whatever that may be. Most of us have never been away from our profession for as long as we have these past several weeks. We're not sure how long this delay of work will last, nor what we should expect once we return to our practices full time. These are uncertain times, for sure.

I am very excited to have the opportunity to move the "Come Home to Hinman" 2020 Meeting to March 11–13, 2021. The majority of the program and committees will stay intact. Unfortunately, two speakers were unable to return. We look forward to taking full advantage of this unprecedented "gift of time" by really focusing on promoting the Meeting like never before.

I am happy that our "Homecoming" theme seems even more appropriate, given the cancellation of Hinman 2020. I hope and pray that our new normal allows for the good feelings of being together for

Hinman next year. Along with this new normal, we may have more important duties that reach to every committee. Clinic captains and Information hosts will, no doubt, encounter questions and situations dealing with attendees', speakers', members' and exhibitors' safety as never before. As all of this is somewhat a moving target, we will communicate the best and latest information available in dealing with large meetings and conferences.

While we, as clinicians, have struggled with sporadic emergencies and mind numbing paperwork involving unemployment insurance and SBA loans, the talented Hinman staff has been remotely and diligently working to mitigate the 2020 financial and contractual obligations, transferring as much as possible to 2021. They have also been working behind the scenes to move this year's Annual Meeting to next summer. Please take the time to thank the staff for the extraordinary work they're doing on our behalf.

Unfortunately, there is no manual with instructions on how to navigate through this unique time. The Advisory Committee and the Executive Council have had many conference calls and Zoom meetings to continue the business of the Society and the Meeting. Please feel comfortable calling or emailing me with your questions and/or suggestions pertaining to Hinman 2020 or Hinman 2021. I will welcome any feedback.

Thank you for everything you do to make Hinman the special meeting that it is. I look forward to seeing you all up-close and in-person very soon.

#### **Hinman Dental Society** 2020-2021 Slate

In order to accommodate the rescheduled 2020 Hinman Dental Meeting, now taking place March 11-13, 2021, the Executive Council has voted to hold all officer positions for one year. Read the Resolution in the meeting minutes on page 7.

#### Slate of Officers

#### **Hinman Dental Society Executive Council Officers**

| President J. Sedgie Newsom                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| President-elect William H. Rousseau            |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Secretary Troy H. Schulman                     |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| 2023 David P. Marion                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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#### **Virtual Show Specials**

To help support our exhibitors and attendees, Hinman has offered exhibitors the opportunity to extend special offers, deals or company information.

By bringing their products and services to our hall floor each year, exhibitors play an important role in our event. Please visit Hinman.org to see the list and support our exhibitors (the link is located in the Hinman Highlights box).

#### 3M Oral Care Specials Apr 09, 2020 by 3M (Booth 1429) + ADS South, LLC - Practice Transitions, Appraisals, Associateship Services Mar 31, 2020 by ADS South, LLC (Booth 1324) + AMD Laser Show Special eb 20, 2020 by AMD LASERS (Booth 1157) + 15% off on All Instruments Apr 01, 2020 by ArtCraft Dental, Inc. (Booth 1450) + Cone Beam & CAD/CAM Special Offers + Cone Beam & CAD/CAM Special Offers n 28, 2020 by Atlanta Dental Supply (Booth 1315) + Visit Us in Booth 717 for an Exclusive Show Special eb 20, 2020 by Beyes Dental Canada Inc. (Booth 717) + Show Special + Epic Hygiene

#### A Little Piece of History

Did you know Dr. Hinman owned a dog? Check out this newspaper listing from the early 1900s.

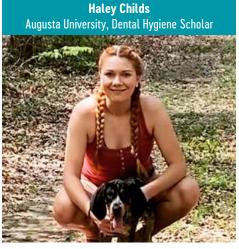
### Thank You from the 2020 Hinman Scholars!

Despite the Hinman Dental Meeting being cancelled in March, the Hinman Trustees were thrilled to continue the Society's mission and support the dental community by awarding scholarships to the 2020 Hinman Scholars. Since we could not give the 90 recipients their scholarships in person at the annual Scholars Luncheon, we dropped the checks in the mail, totaling \$183,000. Here are just a few of the messages posted on social media.



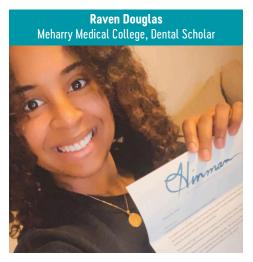
ceceravelo Everyday since my journey of distant socializing (my take on it, since were blessed to live in a time where we can connect SO many different ways (a) I've found a multitude of things to be grateful for... literally every single day has given me more and more gratitude towards life. Today's gratitude didn't let me down either @! A few months ago I found out that two classmates and I were recipients of the #hinman scholarships for dental hygiene students. Due to the changes made because of COVID19, the convention this year was cancelled. While we were all disappointed, it was understandably the right decision. Today I received my scholarship award in the mail, along with a letter from the Chairman of the board. While hygiene school has been moved to online instruction, I'm thankful for being a #hinmanscholar and can't wait to return to our awesome clinic at #laniertech 🦷





hdchilds Dolly and I are taking a break from social distancing to post about how proud I am to have recieved the Hinman scholarship this year. I love being in clinic and can't wait to get back to caring for my patients.

In the mean time: brush, floss, and swish, y'all!



ravenedouglas With all of the rapid changes and stresses in dental school currently happening due to COVID-19, today has truly lifted so many burdens I couldn't even begin to explain. This vear, I was chosen to be a Hinman Scholar! Being a Hinman scholar means so much more than being in the top 10% of my class. It also means that this girl, meaning me, is able to quit 1 of my 2 jobs I work while in school. It also means I will be able to apply to the 2020 PASS/Match cycle for future residency programs AND pay for my licensure examination when eligible. I am beyond grateful, beyond excited, and beyond motivated to continue my journey in dentistry. Thank you so much for the opportunity to fulfill my dreams and goals. W #myhinman



\_hannahelizabeth98 • Honored to have been chosen as a 2020 Hinman Scholar for my senior year of Dental Hygiene school • Although I wasn't able to attend the ceremony last weekend due to the virus it doesn't change how grateful I am to have been chosen for this award. So thankful for the Hinman Dental Society who is willing to invest into students like me to make it possible for us to live out our dreams. It's hard to believe that in a few short months I'll have a degree doing what I love.



Despite the cancellation of the Hinman 2020 meeting due COVID-19 pandemic, I have still received my Scholarship check of \$1000 as a Hinman scholar last week. I am very grateful to and appreciative of the cash support from the Chair of the board of Trustees of Hinman Dental Socieity to all awardees. The scholarship will go a long way in helping me pay for school expenses for my final semester.

# **Society News**

Richard and Becky Weinman welcomed their grandson Leo Benjamin on February 15. Leo's proud parents are Melissa and lan Fralick.



Dan Hodges and his wife Marsha welcomed their granddaughter Charlotte Ruth on April 10. The proud parents are Matt and Haley Reynolds.



# In Memoriam

**Dr. Dennis Shinbori** February 18

Send any member news to Jackie Sarvis, jsarvis@hinman.org

# **Hands-on Course Supplies Donated**

During COVID-19, Drs. Seth Stewart and Brett Schroder jumped in to help a local nursing home facility that was running short on supplies. Hinman was able to share all of our hands-on course supplies, which included 465 disposable gowns, 137 boxes of gloves, 17 boxes of face masks and 21 bottles of hand sanitizer to a local Atlanta retirement facility. Every little bit helps!



# January Membership Meeting



Dr. Hal Crossley entertained nearly 600 attendees while providing important information on "Pharmaceutical and Street Drug Abuse and their Impact on You, Your Family and Your Dental Practice".



President Sedgie Newsom presents Hal Crossley with his plaque and honorarium.



The Hinman membership voted to induct 29 new members into the Society. Front Row (L to R): Drs. Reid Popple, Kazra Nezafat, Andy Suresh, Amier Lamei, Dharmesh Parbhoo, Todd Cox, Sadja Gaud, Sarah Miles, Monica Sharma. Middle Row: Drs. Paul Hanna, John Hann, Adam Goldberg, Wendy Holder, Karen Tartt-Callier, Casey Shuster, Eleanor Patterson, Chip Patterson and Angela Johnson. Back Row: Drs. Eric Bailey, Clay Cannon, Shahrokh Bagheri, Jenna Burke, David Kim, Ron Smith, Jeff Waters and Scott Tate.

Not pictured: Amiee Hu, Christy Keyser and Dave Lane.



Trustee Eddie Pafford presents Dean Carol Lefebvre with a financial gift for the Dental College of Georgia.

#### **Executive Council Meeting Minutes**

**DATE:** Thursday, January 2, 2020

TIME: 6:00 p.m. PLACE: Pricci

**PRESIDING:** Dr. William Rousseau, President-Elect **INVOCATION:** Dr. Sedgie Newsom, President

OFFICERS: Sedgie Newsom, William Rousseau, David Anderson, Troy Schulman (absent), Slade Lail, Andy Ramsey, Darryal McCullough EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: Jeremy Ward, Matt Mazzawi, Patrick French, Donnie Brown (absent), David Marion, Randy Phillips TRUSTEES: Max Ferguson, Eddie Pafford, Allen French, Brad Greenway, Dave Lee (absent), Jim Roos (absent) HINMAN CHAIRS: Bob O'Donnell, Kate Robinson, Roy McDonald ADVISORY BOARD CHAIR: Jonathan Dubin STAFF: Sylvia Ratchford, Jackie Sarvis

**CALL TO ORDER:** President-elect William Rousseau called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m.

MINUTES: Assistant Secretary/Treasurer Andy Ramsey presented the minutes from the November Executive Council Meeting and November Membership Meeting as printed in the January Hinman Preview Review. Both sets of minutes were approved (Ramsey/Rousseau).

**FINANCE:** Treasurer Slade Lail presented the current Year-to-Date Society Financial statement. The statement was approved as follows [Lail/Ramsey]:

Beginning Balance: \$ 149,562.18

Net Income: \$ [11,398.72]

Ending Balance: \$ 138,163.46

HINMAN 2020: General Chair Bob O'Donnell shared his excitement as Hinman 2020 approaches. He thanked Lynn Leidel, along with the editors, for their great job with the pre-registration brochure. He thanked everyone for their help with this year's meeting and looks forward to seeing everyone at their upcoming committee meeting.

**HINMAN 2021:** Chair-elect Kate Robinson has been busy planning with her program chairs, Jim Roos and Randy Phillips. They are scheduled to travel to both the Yankee and Chicago dental meetings to scout speakers. She will also be attending the Jumpstart Meeting later this month. She is in support of Dr. O'Donnell and Hinman 2020.

HINMAN 2022: Vice Chair-elect Roy McDonald began scouting for Hinman 2022 at the ADA meeting with his program chairs Brad Greenway and Troy Schulman. They plan to continue their scouting at the Yankee Dental Meeting. Dr. McDonald also plans to attend the Jumpstart Meeting this month. At this time, his main focus is to support Bob O'Donnell and the 2020 Meeting.

**ADVISORY:** No Report

**TRUSTEES:** Chair Max Ferguson shared that the Trustees have increased the financial gift to the Dental College of Georgia to \$250,000. In addition, the Dental College of Georgia will receive an extra \$5,000 from last year's General Chair, Jonathan Dubin. The check presentation will take place at the January Membership Meeting. The remainder of the Trustees' scholarships will be gifted at the Scholars' Luncheon at the 2020 Hinman Dental Meeting.

OLD BUSINESS: None
NEW BUSINESS: None

**MEMBERSHIP REPORT:** Chair David Anderson reviewed the names of all new member applicants with the group. A motion was made and approved to enter executive session [Rousseau/Newsom]. There was a motion to come out of executive session [Ramsey/Ferguson].

Dr. Anderson made a motion to approve the following applicants as a slate: Drs. Shahrokh Bagheri, Eric Bailey, Jennifer Burke, Clay Cannon, Todd Cox, Sadja Gaud, Adam Goldberg, Paul Hanna, John Hann, Wendy Holder, Aimee Hu, Angela Johnson, Christine Keyser, David Kim, Amir Lamei, David Lane, Sarah Miles, Kasra Nezafat, Dharmesh Parbhoo, Chip Patterson, Eleanor Patterson, Reid Popple, Monica Sharma, Casey Shuster, Ronald Smith, Andy Suresh, Karen Tartt-Callier, Scott Tate and Jeffrey Waters. The motion was approved [Anderson/Newsom].

Dr. Anderson made a motion to table the application for one applicant until the September Executive Council Meeting. The motion was approved (Anderson/Newsom).

Dr. Anderson made a motion to extend membership to three applicants. The motion was defeated (Anderson/Ramsey).

MEMBERSHIP NEWS: Chair Patrick French gave the membership news report.

**REMARKS:** The upcoming membership meeting will take place on January 16 at the Georgia Aquarium. The next Executive Council meeting will be Tuesday, May 5 and Nominating Committee meets on January 14.

ADJOURNMENT: Dr. Newsom adjourned the meeting at 9:13 p.m. (Rousseau/Newsom).

#### Hinman Dental Society Membership Meeting Minutes

DATE: Thursday, January 16, 2020

**TIME:** 6:45 p.m.

PLACE: The Georgia Aquarium

PRESIDING: Dr. Sedgie Newsom, President

**CALL TO ORDER (in ballroom):** President Newsom called the meeting to order at 6:45 p.m. President Newsom thanked Dr. Hal Crossley for his lecture and presented him with an honorarium and plaque. He announced the completion code for the lecture, then invited all members to move over the pre-function area for the business meeting following Dr. O'Donnell's update on Hinman 2020.

HINMAN 2020: General Chair Bob O'Donnell extended a personal invitation to everyone in the room to attend Hinman 2020 and invite their friends and colleagues to join in the Hinman Homecoming. Dr. O'Donnell, along with his program chairs Drs. Jane Puskas and William Rousseau, are looking forward to their program which includes 25% new speakers, auxiliary tracks on Thursday, the Go-Track for new dentist and the SILVER track for close-to-retirement dentists. He encouraged all members to attend their upcoming committee meetings (which will secure them an invitation to the General Chair and President's Reception) and to sign up for a workday. He hopes to see everyone at the Keynote Session with Col. Nicole Malachowski and at Hinman's Night Out at the Tabernacle on Friday. He thanked everyone for their continued support, stating that our members are the "key to Hinman's Success".

**CALL TO ORDER (continued in Business Meeting):** Dr. Newsom welcomed everyone to the meeting, reported an attendance of just under 600 attendees, and thanked the hospitality committee, led by Dr. Laura Dameron. Dr. Newsom thanked the Trustees for their continued generosity through Society subsidies.

MINUTES: Secretary Troy Schulman presented the minutes from the November Executive Council Meeting and November Membership Meeting, as printed in the January Hinman

Preview Review. Both sets of minutes were approved (Puskas/Anderson).

FINANCIAL REPORT: Treasurer Slade Lail presented the following Society YTD financial report as presented at the January Executive Council meeting:

 Beginning Balance:
 \$ 149,562.18

 Net Income:
 \$ [11,398.72]

 Ending Balance:
 \$ 138,163.46

The report was approved (Anderson/Puskas).

**TRUSTEE REPORT:** Trustee Eddie Pafford shared that the Trustees were able to increase their overall giving due to the success of the Hinman 2019 Meeting. He presented a \$255,000 financial contribution to the Dental College of Georgia. Dean Carol Lefebvre accepted the financial gift and shared the impact it makes on the students in the dental school. She also shared that the three \$1,000 scholarships presented at the November Membership Meeting in honor of Hinman's 60-year members have been awarded, based on academics and leadership, to three dental students in their senior year. Finally, she announced that Hinman member Mike Pruett has been named the Director of Continuing Education at the Dental College of Georgia.

**EXHIBITS REPORT:** None

ANNUAL MEETING REPORT: Chair Brett Schroeder announced that the Annual Meeting will take place May 29-31 at the Omni Grove Park Inn in Asheville, NC. He shared that we'll offer plenty of fun activities (golf, tennis, brewery tour, etc.), and also invited everyone to book spa appointments early. The Saturday night dinner will take place at Taylor Ranch, with lots of entertain for both children and adults. He reminded members that the Trustees will pay for each member's registration and one night's stay if they fulfill their commitment to work at the March Meeting. He encouraged everyone to make their hotel room reservations early.

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OLD BUSINESS: None NEW BUSINESS: None

MEMBERSHIP NEWS: Chair Dr. Patrick French gave a report of the latest member news.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: Membership Chair David Anderson presented the following names for membership: Drs. Shahrokh Bagheri, Eric Bailey, Jennifer Burke, Clay Cannon, Todd Cox, Sadja Gaud, Adam Goldberg, Paul Hanna, John Hann, Wendy Holder, Aimee Hu, Angela Johnson, Christine Keyser, David Kim, Amir Lamei, David Lane, Sarah Miles, Kasra Nezafat, Dharmesh Parbhoo, Chip Patterson, Eleanor Patterson, Reid Popple, Monica Sharma, Casey

Shuster, Ronald Smith, Andy Suresh, Karen Tartt-Callier, Scott Tate and Jeffrey Waters. The proposed names were approved for membership (Anderson/Kerr).

PRESIDENT'S REMARKS: President Sedgie Newsom reminded all members that the Trustees are covering parking for the Membership Meeting and to get their ticket validated before leaving. He drew two names for Hinman Cash. The winners were Drs. Paul Hanna and Vanessa Phan. He also drew three names for gift card prizes. The winners were Drs. Michael Ward, Chad Dodge and Narissa Cramer.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Dr. Newsom adjourned the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

#### Executive Council Meeting Minutes (Conference Call)

DATE: Friday, March 20, 2020

TIME: 11:30 a.m.
PLACE: Conference Call

PRESIDING: Dr. William Rousseau, President-Elect

OFFICERS: Sedgie Newsom, William Rousseau, David Anderson, Troy Schulman, Slade Lail, Andy Ramsey, Darryal McCullough EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: Jeremy Ward (absent), Matt Mazzawi (absent), Patrick French, Donnie Brown, David Marion, Randy Phillips TRUSTEES: Max Ferguson (absent), Eddie Pafford, Allen French, Brad Greenway, Dave Lee, Jim Roos HINMAN CHAIRS: Bob O'Donnell, Kate Robinson, Roy McDonald ADVISORY BOARD CHAIR: Jonathan Dubin STAFF: Sylvia Ratchford, Jackie Sarvis

CALL TO ORDER: President-elect William Rousseau called the meeting to order at 11:33 a.m.

ADVISORY: Chair Jonathan Dubin shared an update on the discussions and decisions made by Sub Committee #1 and the Advisory Committee. He acknowledged that we are in extraordinary times and in order to avoid disruption, we must consider moving the 2020 Hinman Dental Meeting to 2021. He presented an analysis of the financial benefits of moving the meeting forward. It was decided that it was in the best interest of Hinman to move the 2020 Meeting forward, due to the strength of the program and the substantial financial savings from rescheduling the meeting. This decision was approved at a 10 a.m. conference call by the Advisory Committee.

This decision would require each of the 2020, 2021 and 2022 General Chairs to hold their position for one year. As a result, the members of the Executive Council will need to hold their current position for one extra year. The Hinman staff will review the Hinman Bylaws and work with the attorney to address the best way to carry out this change while maintaining Bylaws compliance.

President-elect William Rousseau asked for an acknowledgment of the recommendations of the Advisory Committee (Rousseau/Pafford). The recommendation was unanimously acknowledged.

ADJOURNMENT: The Meeting was adjourned at 11:58 a.m.

#### Executive Council Meeting Minutes (Conference Call)

**DATE:** Wednesday, April 1, 2020

TIME: 3:00 p.m.
PLACE: Conference Call

PRESIDING: Dr. William Rousseau, President-Elect

OFFICERS: Sedgie Newsom, William Rousseau, David Anderson, Troy Schulman, Slade Lail, Andy Ramsey, Darryal McCullough EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: Jeremy Ward, Matt Mazzawi, Patrick French, Donnie Brown (absent), David Marion, Randy Phillips TRUSTEES: Max Ferguson, Eddie Pafford, Allen French, Brad Greenway, Dave Lee (absent), Jim Roos HINMAN CHAIRS: Bob O'Donnell, Kate Robinson, Roy McDonald ADVISORY BOARD CHAIR: Jonathan Dubin STAFF: Sylvia Ratchford, Jackie Sarvis

**CALL TO ORDER:** President-elect William Rousseau called the meeting to order at 3:04 p.m. *Prior to the report, Executive Director Sylvia Ratchford reviewed the list of voting members* 

**ADVISORY:** Chair Jonathan Dubin reminded everyone that the Advisory Committee voted to move the 2020 Hinman Dental Meeting program to 2021. As a result of this decision, the Hinman Society slate of officers will need to hold their current positions one more year. All the current officers were contacted in advance to confirm their willingness to serve the additional year. Dr. Dubin read the following options provided by Hinman's attorney:

One, Hinman's Executive Council can exercise its discretion over the business of the Society and pass a resolution extending the terms of the current officers, Executive Council, and Trustees for one year and eliminating the need for Hinman to make alternative plans for an election in lieu of its cancelled annual meeting. This option would not include any formal amendments to the Bylaws. Two, Hinman can put the question to a vote of its active members in a series of two emails sent over about two weeks' time, using the president's power to call a special meeting and the authority contained in the Georgia Code to take action in lieu of a special meeting by electronic vote. This option would not include any formal amendments to the Bylaws. Three, Hinman can put the question to its members in a vote in principle as well as a formal vote including a Bylaws amendment in a series of three emails, plus the Hinman Preview/Review, that would conclude with an email in lieu of the Annual Meeting in late May.

Trustee Chair, Dr. Max Ferguson, made a motion to move forward with option one, accepting the following resolution (Ferguson/Schulman). The motion was approved without dissent.

RESOLUTION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OF THE HINMAN DENTAL SOCIETY OF ATLANTA, INC.
TAKEN: April 1, 2020

A quorum of the members of the Executive Council of The Hinman Dental Society of Atlanta, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Georgia [the "Corporation"], met at a duly called meeting on April 1, 2020, and took the following action on behalf of the Corporation:

WHEREAS, The Thomas P. Hinman Dental Meeting [the "Meeting"] scheduled for March 19-21, 2020, was forced to be cancelled due to the COVID-19/coronavirus pandemic that has spread across the world; and

WHEREAS, the 2020 Meeting program and plans were fully developed when the 2020 Meeting had to be cancelled and thus will be shifted until the 2021 Meeting; and

WHEREAS, the shifting of the fully developed 2020 Meeting program and plans to the 2021 Meeting will require many of the Corporation's officers, Executive Council, and Trustees to use or rely on work already done or knowledge already gained in preparation for the 2020 Meeting when planning for the 2021 Meeting; and

WHEREAS, the annual meeting of the members of the Corporation (the "Annual Meeting") scheduled for May 28-31, 2020, has had to be cancelled due to the pandemic and its unknown duration; and

WHEREAS, officers, Executive Council, and Trustees are typically elected at the Annual Meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Corporation's Bylaws provide that officers serve for one year or until a successor has been elected and installed, that Executive Council members succeed members who have vacated their seat, and that Trustees succeed retiring members; and

WHEREAS, the 2021 Meeting can be put together most efficiently by leaving the Corporation's 2019-2020 officers, Executive Council, and Trustees in place through the 2020-2021 Corporation board year so that steps are not having to be retraced by newly elected individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Council believes that leaving the Corporation's 2019-2020 officers, Executive Council, and Trustees in place through the 2020-2021 Corporation board year is reasonable under these unprecedented circumstances and in the best interest of the Corporation;

NOW THEREFORE, the members of the Executive Council have unanimously voted to adopt the following resolutions:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the term of office of each of the Corporation's 2019-2020 officers, Executive Council, and Trustees shall be extended for one [1] year, until May 31, 2021; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that because the extension of such terms of office eliminates the need for an election at the 2020 Annual Meeting, the Corporation will not seek to reschedule the vote that would otherwise have taken place at the 2020 Annual Meeting.

The Secretary of the Corporation is hereby directed to place these minutes in the appropriate order in the minute books of the Corporation.

ADJOURNMENT: The Meeting was adjourned at 3:20 p.m.



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