

**MHSA Steering Committee
Co-Chair Seat Nominations
May 21, 2020**

The MHSA Steering Committee elects two (2) Co-Chairs, to serve staggered two-year terms. The Co-Chairs facilitate the MHSA Steering Committee (SC) meetings and are seated members of the MHSA SC Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee is a 6-member committee charged with developing the MHSA Steering Committee meeting agendas. Executive Committee members will also step in to help facilitate meetings when a Co-Chair is absent. The Committee is comprised of the two Co-Chairs, the Mental Health Director, and three (3) elected Steering Committee members.

The current Executive Committee membership is:

1. Emily Bender, Co-Chair – *Terming out*
2. Leslie Napper, Co-Chair
3. Ryan Quist, Behavioral Health Director
4. Karen Cameron, Elected Member
5. Daniela Guarnizo, Elected Member
6. Gordon Richardson, Elected Member

The MHSA Steering Committee is asked to put forth nominations for a Co-Chair position with emphasis on Consumer and/or Family Members.

All Members and Alternates will have an opportunity to vote on the nominations via online survey. The result will be shared at the next MHSA Steering Committee meeting.