

Community Council Welcomes New CEO Sharla Myers

Licensed Attorney and Nonprofit Consultant Brings 18+ Years of Experience to the Leadership Role

DALLAS (February 1, 2020) – [The Community Council of Greater Dallas](#) Board of Directors today announced the appointment of Ms. Sharla Myers, licensed attorney and a nonprofit consultant, as the agency’s Interim CEO.

Ms. Myers has been providing legal services for Community Council for the past year and a half. She stated that she was excited about the opportunity. “Community Council has been serving the Dallas community for almost 80 years. We provide a multitude of services for many of the area’s most vulnerable citizens, with over 500,000 lives touched just in the last year. It is an honor and a privilege to lead this dedicated group.”



Sharla is certified in Nonprofit Management and has 18 years of experience in the nonprofit sector, including serving on the boards of several different nonprofits. She was President of the Board of Directors of Susan G. Komen Dallas County and was also President of the Board of the Bridge Breast Network. In 2004, she received the Macy’s Heart and Soul Award for Excellence in the Fight Against Breast Cancer and in 2017 she received the Nonprofit Consultant of the Year award from the Greater Southwest Black Chamber of Commerce.

Sharla’s practice is focused on nonprofits of all sizes and her clients range from small start-ups to multimillion-dollar charities. She has experience in many areas, including compliance, risk management, nonprofit governance, board training, strategic planning and succession planning. She also provides legal and policy advice.

With recurring support from both public and private funders, the Community Council of Greater Dallas lifts families out of poverty by connecting them with programs and resources in North Texas. Keeping its focus on community family wellness, community resources and workforce mobilization, the Community Council provides assistance to over 500,000 individuals annually. To learn more about The Community Council of Greater Dallas, their programs and resources, visit www.ccadvance.org, and follow them on Facebook.

About Community Council

The Community Council of Greater Dallas was founded in 1940, and currently offers a wide variety of programs and services for seniors, working families, health care enrollment, health education, and a major workforce development program, as well as a 2-1-1 Information and Referral Call Center which answers 350,000 callers annually. In 2017, the Council was awarded the Community Services Block Grant by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs to help alleviate poverty in Dallas County. For more information on programs and resources, visit www.ccadvance.org.