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Press Release

Elkins Mayor Proclaims February 11 WV 211 Day

WV 211 is a Free Referral Service for Vital Community Resources

Elkins W. Va., February 5, 2020: Elkins Mayor Van Broughton proclaimed February 11 as WV 211 Day in council chambers at Elkins City Hall today as representatives of the United Way of Randolph County looked on.

By dialing 211, West Virginians can access human-service referrals to vital community resources such as free and confidential crisis and emergency counseling, food resources, health care and insurance assistance, housing and utilities payment assistance, employment services, veteran services, childcare referrals, and family services.

The United Ways of West Virginia took over management and governance of WV 211 in 2019. When callers dial 2-1-1, they are asked to enter their zip code, which then directs them to the correct United Way to handle their request. During evening and weekend hours, United Way has partnered with First Choice Services as their call center. The line is available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

For more information: www.wv211.org

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