

Minutes February Meeting T4A 2025

T4A Business Meeting Notes

1. TEA Time & Helpdesk Updates

- TEA Time has been implemented by OAAA as a resource outlet for help desk support.
 - Helpdesk Communication:
 - It was requested that HHSC improve their communication.
 - In response, HHSC has expanded both TEA Time and Helpdesk services.
 - These enhancements will be promoted in upcoming T4A updates.
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2. Announcements

- Viola Monrreal is retiring.
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3. T4A Update

- AiTC 2025 – Tentative Location & Schedule:
 - 2025: Waco, TX
 - 2026: San Angelo, TX
 - 2027: South Padre, TX
 - 2028: Tarrant, TX
 - 2029: Rio Grande, TX
 - 2030: Dallas, TX
 - 2031: Capital Region, TX
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4. Roundtable Discussion: Area Agency on Aging Policies & Procedures

- Meals on Wheels:
 - There is a need for more diverse discussion around program expansion and options.
- Direct Purchase of Services (DPS) Model:
 - The Houston-Galveston Area Council (HGAC) has requested to explore the implementation of a DPS model for in-home services.