

Statewide Independent Living Council

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Please come prepared to participate in dialogue, listen, learn, ask questions, provide feedback, and share ideas.

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605.494.3613 or cwagoner@bhssc.org

SILC Quarterly Meeting

Wednesday, December 17, 2025
9:30 AM (Central Time)

Virtual Meeting Held Via ZOOM

The Mission of the SILC – to advocate for and help to create local and state support systems which assist persons with disabilities to determine, achieve and maintain independence, productivity, and integration into community life.

Meeting related information can be found on South Dakota's Board and Commissions Portal at: <https://boardsandcommissions.sd.gov/Meetings.aspx?BoardID=56>

The public may participate in the meeting by computer or by mobile device. If you would like to attend the Zoom meeting, via computer or by phone, please contact SILC staff to request the Zoom meeting link and password or the telephone number, prior to the scheduled meeting date.

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A conference room at the Department of Human Services (DHS) state office is available for people who want to participate in the Virtual Meeting. DHS is located at Hillsvew Properties Plaza; 3800 E Hwy 34, Pierre, SD.

Agenda Item	Lead Person	Information or Action Item
9:30 AM (Central Time) Opening Actions: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Housekeeping Items/Review of Voting ProcessWelcome & IntroductionsReview & Approval of AgendaReview & Approval of Meeting Minutes<ul style="list-style-type: none">SILC September 30, 2025 Meeting MinutesExecutive Committee Mtg Minutes/November 24, 2025	Ryan Groeneweg Chairperson	Action Items
Public Comment If you are interested in providing public comment, please send notification to cwagoner@bhssc.org or call (605) 494.3613	Ryan Groeneweg	Information

Executive Session (if there is a need for closed discussion regarding a sensitive or confidential matter.)	Ryan Groeneweg	Information
Announcements	Ryan Groeneweg	Information
10:00 AM Division of Rehabilitation Services (DRS) Independent Living (IL) Specialist Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overview of IL Funding Sources Centers for Independent Living (CILs) Quarterly Reports 	Jennifer Lewis	Information
10:30 AM Centers for Independent Living (CILs) Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Western Resources for Independent Living (WRIL) Independent Living Choices/ILC (formerly known as ILC South, ILC North and Native American ILC) 	Codi Erickson Matt Cain	Information
10:50 AM SILC Program Performance Report/PPR Submit to ACL prior to January 30, 2026	Colette Wagoner	Action Item
11:10 AM Board of Vocational Rehabilitation (BVR) Update	Eric Weiss	Information
11:15 AM Division of Service to the Blind and Visually Impaired (DSBVI) Update	Tricia Eggers	Information
11:20 PM Board of Service to the Blind and Visually Impaired (B/SBVI) Update	Ryan Groeneweg	Information
11:30 AM Council on Developmental Disabilities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Council mission/focus/purpose Current activities Council's State Plan Development & Survey Findings 	Jessica Lamb	Information
12:15 PM State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Current SPIL Goals & Objectives - Monitoring 2028-2030 SPIL Development Activities 	Colette Wagoner	Information
12:30 PM SILC Staff Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Disability Employment Awareness Month (NDEAM) Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Volunteers needed to serve on the 2026 NDEAM Review Committee Governor's Awards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Volunteers needed to serve on the 2026 Governor's Awards Review Committee Budget Update 	Colette Wagoner	Information
12:45 PM Other Business	Ryan Groeneweg	Information
12:50 PM (Tentative End Time) Closing Actions		Information

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Future Agenda Items ➤ Next Meeting – Doodle poll will be disseminated to determine meeting date ➤ Adjournment 	<p style="text-align: center;">Ryan Groeneweg</p>	
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Need for Auxiliary Aids or Services

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Please request these auxiliary aids and services no later than **10 days prior to the meeting** in order to ensure requested auxiliary aids and services are available.