GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

DEPARTMENT ON DISABILITY SERVICES

NOTICE OF QUARTERLY PUBLIC MEETINGS

District of Columbia Statewide Independent Living Council (SILC) Quarterly Meetings

The Department on Disability Services Rehabilitation Services Administration 1125 15th St., NW Conference Room 9A Washington, DC 20005

The District of Columbia Statewide Independent Living Council (DCSILC) announces the 2013 General Meeting schedule. DCSILC meetings are open to the general public and will take place as scheduled by the Department on Disability Services (DDS); Rehabilitation Services Administration (RSA) at 1125 15th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20005, in the Ninth floor Conference Room 9A from 12:00noon -2:00pm.

Meetings will occur quarterly on the third Thursday of the selected month. The dates are as follows:

Thursday, January 17, 2013

Thursday, April 18, 2013

Thursday, July 18, 2013

Thursday, October 17, 2013

All SILC General Meetings are open to the public. Individuals who wish to attend and need accommodations should contact Ms. Dahlia Johnson, Administrative Assistant, DCSILC at desilc@msn.com or call 202 442-8748 at least seven (7) days prior to the schedule meeting date.

SILC Resource Planning 2013

Computer Software: JAWS, OptiScan, Windows 7 for 2 computers@ 2,000 ea

Equipment & Machinery

Adaptive Equipment (1 Microphone, 1 Brailing Machine, 1 Audio Loop for Bo

Office Supplies

Paper, pens, file folders, envelopes, binders, etc

Other Services & Charges

Professional Service Fees & Contracts

CART, Interpreter & Transcription Service fees for Council Members attendi Contract for Web design

Contract to develop, distribute and evaluate Needs Assessment of underser Contract to develop, distribute and evaluate Client Satisfaction Survey Interpreter Services for 2 SILC Outreach Workshops (ADA Rights; Community

Advertising

TV, Radio, Newspaper Announcements as Outreach activities to increase puk

Postage

Mailing of engagement invitations, community event announcements, advoc

Membership Dues

SILC dues

NCIL Membership

Printing

Professional printing of brochures, letter head, surveys, needs assessments,

Travel-Local

12 general meetings (21 members@ 25/day transportation)

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- 6 @ SILC Subcommittees 8 members @ 50/day transportation & setup
- 1 NCIL Annual Meeting (4 members @125/day
- 1 NCIL Annual Meeting (4 members @ 300 registration fee) at the Grand Hya Public Hearing for SPIL - Cart & Interpreter Sevices (5,000) 25-Jun-13

Youth Summit and Consumer Forum (2(Kellogg Center 25,000 co-sponsorshi)

Travel-Out of City

- 1 Annual SILC Congress (Airfare, PCA, Hotel & Registration) x 2 members @ 3
- 1 Annual Regional Meeting (Train, PCA, Hotel & Registration) x 2 staff memb

Contractual Services-Other

Contract for Web maintenance & networking @500 month x 12 months Contract for 1 FTE (Full Time) Executive Director Contract for 1 FTE (Full Time) Administrative Assistant

Working in partnership with the advocacy organizations and government agencies including, but not limited to:

- Arriba Center for Independent Living
- DC Center for Independent Living
- DC Department of Education
- DC Department of Employment Services
- DC Department of Health and Human Services (Medicaid)
- DC Department of Recreation
- DC Developmental Disabilities Council
- DC Housing Authority
- DC Office on Aging
- DC Rehabilitation Services Administration
- Disability Rights Council of Greater Washington
- Metro Access
- National Rehabilitation Hospital
- University Legal Services
- Washington Area Metropolitan Transit Authority
- DC Department on Disability Services
- Aging and Disability Resource Center
- Department of Behavioral Health
- Office of Latino Affairs

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: WHO WE ARE

The District of Columbia's Statewide Independent Living Council (DCSILC) is one of the 55 Independent Living Councils organized across the U.S. in each of the 50 states plus American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. It is the policy of the Council to represent all District of Columbia residents with disabilities.

The Council is comprised of members who:

- Provide District of Columbia-wide representation in independent living services and programs
- · Represent cross-disabilities
- Are knowledgeable about independent living services
- · Are persons who have disabilities

: OUR MISSION

The mission of the District of Columbia's Statewide Independent Living Council is to use its collective advocacy power and legal mandate to develop and secure public policies that ensure civil rights and expand options for all people with disabilities and to promote a philosophy of Independent living.

Our goals are to promote needed systems changes to improve independent services and programs for the civil rights, self-empowerment and full integration for people with disabilities into mainstream society.

The DCSILC is dedicated to a program of positive change through advocacy for people with disabilities in the following areas:

- · Systems advocacy and its outcomes
- Health care
- Housing
- Transportation
- Education
- Employment
- Leisure and Recreation
- Diversity



WHAT YOU WILL RECEIVE BY JOINING US...

- Notice of meetings of the District of Columbia's Statewide Independent Living Council.
- Notification of advocacy opportunities at local and national levels.
- Calendar of upcoming workshops and conferences concerning independent living.

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