

NEW MEXICO STATEWIDE INDEPENDENT LIVING COUNCIL  
QUARTERLY MEETING

**Date/Time:**

Wednesday August 16, 2023, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

**Location:**

Santa Fe Division of Vocational Rehabilitation  
2935 Rodeo Park Drive East  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

- I. Welcome/Call to Order: Chair Coby Livingstone
- II. Roll Call of Board Members: Chair Coby Livingstone
- III. Introduction of CIL Directors, State Agencies/Partners and Other Guests: Chair Coby Livingstone
- IV. Action Item: Approval of Agenda
- V. Action Item: Approval of Minutes

OLD BUSINESS

- VI. Comments from the Chair Coby Livingstone
  - a. SPIL Amendments accepted by ACL
  - b. Seeking nominations for new Council members
  - c. ILRU Training for Council Members
  - d. Updating SILC tab on the NM Division of Vocational Rehabilitation page
    - i. Re-write the text; include current SILC membership
    - ii. Add phone or email contacts
    - iii. Less text and more space for improved readability
    - iv. Add Hyperlinks to each CIL; CILs write text for their link

NEW BUSINESS

- e. Discussion: Establish dates for Public Hearing
  - f. Confirm meeting Dates for 2024: Third Wednesday of each month
    - i. February 14, 2024
    - ii. May 15, 2024
    - iii. August 1, 2024
    - iv. November 20, 2024
    - v. December 2024 will be a Special meeting for writing the report for ACL
- VII. Action Item: Revised NM Statewide Independent Living Council Bylaws Jim Salas and Peggy Hays
- VIII. Discussion: SILC Coordinator position
- IX. Discussion: SPIL and review of current goals and objectives: Marlencia Chee
  - a. Assignment of a SPIL Committee
- X. Discussion of a proposed budget
  - a. Salary of SILC Coordinator
  - b. Identify appropriate current goals/objectives
  - c. New items if necessary
- XI. Agency Reports/Updates

- a. NM Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (NMDVR): Director, Casey Stone-Romero
  - b. NM GCD: Deputy Director, Lisa McNiven
  - c. NM Commission for the Blind: Executive Director, Greg Trapp
  - d. Jemez Vocational Rehabilitation Program: Marlencia Chee
  - e. Navajo Nations OSERS: Paula Seanez
- XII.** Comments from Council Members
- a. HoZo Center in Gallup: Ken Collins
  - b. Laguna Pueblo: Petra Solimon
  - c. Comments from CIL Directors (written reports submitted to Chair prior to meeting)
- XIII.** Public Comments
- XIV.** Next SILC Meeting date, time, and location: Chair, Coby Livingstone
- XV.** Adjournment: Chair, Coby Livingstone

If disability-related accommodation is required for your attendance, please contact the SILC Chair, Coby Livingstone, 505-259-3672 at least 5 days prior to the meeting.