LEGAL NOTICE

The New Mexico Statewide Independent Living Council (SILC) is gathering public input on proposed amendments to the current State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL). The proposed amendments would decrease by $9,600 the amount of Part B independent living funds received by the New Mexico Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) to serve as the Designated State Entity. The proposed amendment would also provide $9,600 in Part B independent living funds to the New Mexico Commission for the Blind (CFB) to be used by CFB to provide Part B independent living services during Federal Fiscal Year 2027. Comments may be submitted in writing and also at the following public meetings:

The first public meeting will take place on Monday, November 30, 2026, from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM. It will be held at the New Mexico Division of Vocational Rehabilitation located at 5200 Oakland Ave, NE, Albuquerque, NM. The second public meeting will take place over Zoom on Monday, December 7, 2026, from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm. The Zoom Information for the December 7 public meeting is:

Meeting ID: 824 3298 1425
Passcode: 510856

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If you are an individual with a disability who needs a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate, please contact Ms. Angelina Montoya at angelina.montoya@dvr.nm.gov at least five business days in advance or as soon as otherwise possible. Written comments may also be submitted to Ms. Montoya. Questions about participating or Request for copies of the current SPIL should also be sent to Ms. Montoya.