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| **John Bel Edwards**  Governor | **Bambi Polotzola**  Executive Director  Disability Affairs  **Jessica Lewis, MBA**  SILC Program Director |

**MEETING NOTICE**

**There will be a meeting of the Statewide Independent Living Council on Thursday October 6th 2016@1pm-4pm and Friday October 7th 2016 @9am-12pm at @Louisiana State Capital, 4th floor, 900 N 3rd St, Baton Rouge, LA 70802**

**AGENDA – DAY 1**

**1:00 – 1:20** Call to Order – Gale Dean

Roll Call / Determination of Quorum – Roszella Viltz

Introductions – Members and Guests

Mission Statement

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes

Quarterly Budget Update- Steven Nguyen

**1:20 – 1:50** Update from GODA – Bambi Polotzola

Update from LRS – Mark Martin

**SPIL Goal #1: INCREASED OVERALL AWARENESS**

**Objective 1: Individuals with Disabilities are informed of IL philosophy and services**

Activity 1: CILs provide updates at each SILC meeting

**1:50 – 2:10** Update from @Southwest Louisiana Independence Center (@SLIC) –

Rocky Fuselier

Update from New Horizons Independent Living Center (NHILC) – Gale Dean

Activity 2: Ongoing orientation of SILC members through sharing effective resources and services of each Council member

**2:10 – 2:20** Video – Erick’s River of Dreams – Erick Taylor

**2:20 – 2:35** Break

Activity 3: SILC members and SILC Director report on events attended to raise awareness of IL philosophy, programs, initiatives, and Centers for Independent Living

**2:35 – 3:00** Report on NCIL Conference – Jessica Lewis

Report on AAIDD Conference – Steven Nguyen

Activity 4: SILC Director update on progress made toward SILC website

**3:00 – 3:05** Update – Jessica Lewis

Activity 5: SILC members provide updates on activities/events occurring in each member’s local community that are opportunities for dissemination of IL philosophy and services

**3:05 – 3:35** Members provide reports on recent activities/events occurring through September for 704 Report and provide dates/information about upcoming events

Activity 6: Invitation of post-secondary youth to participate in SILC meeting and their participation

**3:35 – 3:40** Introduction of youth or plans to invite

Activity 7: Plans for next annual meeting at a Center for Independent Living

**3:40 – 3:45** –Update – Jessica Lewis

Activity 8: Partnerships with other advocacy groups by including reports from other groups or presentations from other groups

**3:45 – 4:00** Report from Brain Injury and Spinal Cord Injury Association of Louisiana –

Jamie Duplechine

**4:00** Recess