

Executive Director Report
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State Independent Living Council
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1. **State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL).** Continuing

- a. **SPIL Public Forum for Deaf- Blind, Deaf, and Hard of Hearing IL Outreach Committee.**
 - April 1, 2010. Planned meeting with Barbara Hathaway and participated by conference call and CART-Stream
- b. **Transportation-** none
- c. **Increasing Capacity/ Legislative.**
 - Participated in three conference calls with NCIL Rehabilitation Committee. The reauthorization of the Rehabilitation Act is central to the mission of this committee. In addition, a great deal of discussion has centered around the allocation of Part C ARRA funds and the relationship of RSA to the SILCs/ CILs.
 - Active participation in GCDE legislative core group. Teleconference calls: **All Fridays during the session (seven total)**
 - **RSA/ SPIL Amendments:** Finished SPIL Amendments. Received approval letter from RSA on March 29, 2010
 - NCIL Rehabilitation Committee Calls: February 12, February 16, and March 16**
- d. **Assistive Technology.**
 - Continuing work with Washington Assistive Technology Foundation (WATF) in capacity of board president. Meetings **January 25 (phone), February 22 (in-person), March 22 (phone)**
- e. **Deinstitutionalization.** Roads to Community Living Update. January 28, 2010
- f. **Emergency Preparedness-** No activity

2. **Marketing/ Presentations:**

- Emceed the February 24th IL Rally Day at the Capitol
- Short Presentation about Public Forums and SILC activity at DVR State Office Pot Luck Lunch, March 2

3. Youth Leadership Forum-

- **2010 Dates:** Event has been cancelled due to staffing issues.
- Attended March 26, 2010 meeting

4. Miscellaneous

- a.** On-Line Trainings sponsored by CCER:
 - 1. Disability (Romel Mackelprang)
 - 2. Olmstead (Helen Roth): April 15, 2010
- b.** Region X SILC Director Calls: January 26, March 16
- c.** SPIL Webinar, hosted by RSA. Learned about the new on-line SPIL submission process, March 3, 2010
- d.** ACIL-WA Conference Calls: March 16, April 8
- e.** Attended Provail Open House. New TBI Clubhouse