State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL) Public Hearing

The Washington State Independent Living Council (WASILC) is partnering with the Edith Bishel Center for the Blind and Visually Impaired to host a public hearing. The public hearing will gather information to develop a three year (2017-2019) State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL) that addresses Independent Living needs in your community. Kennewick is one of fourteen cities designated for public hearings from August until December. The purpose of the meeting is to:

* Inform the public about the responsibilities of WASILC and the Centers for Independent Living (CILs) in our communities.
* Provide an overview of the duties and responsibilities of

WASILC, as they relate to systemic advocacy and education.

* Provide an overview of the duties and responsibilities of the CILs and the core services they provide in our communities.
* Understand how the local community is serving individuals in regards to housing, transportation, and all issues pertaining to people with disabilities living independently in our community.
	+ Light snacks and beverages will be provided.

Where: Mid-Columbia Libraries, 1620 South Union Street, Kennewick, WA 99338

When: Monday, December 7, 2015 from 3:00 P.M. – 5:00 P.M.

Call to RSVP and request accommodations for this event at (800) 624-4105. Accommodations must be made two weeks in advance.