Membership Committee

April 16, 2013

Members Present: Teresa Staley, Jennifer Overfield, Sierra Royster

Members Absent: Dorothy Frye, Zach Commander, Sandy Ogburn

Staff Present: Will Miller, Debbie Hippler

Meeting was called to order at 11:01am

Thursday, April 25 agenda

* 12:30 – 2:45, Presentations by Holly Riddle and John Marens on their organization with a 15 minute break
* 3:00, Sierra host a time of brain storming to find out what issues are front and center for those with disabilities. From this information future trainings will be based. Position papers and/or tips will help train the SILC to learn about the skills needed. This information will also be posted on the website
* 4:00 – 5:00, Rene Cummins and possibly Barbara Davis will present on Centers for Independent Living and Independent Living

Friday, April 26, 2013

* Two new members will be presented at the Friday meeting
  + Mitzi Kincaid
  + Sandra Hooks
    - Sierra will contact Sandra to make sure she is still interested
* Will Miller mentioned, Monique Johnson as another candidate.
* Another application was sent to Scott Broadway on March 27
* Application was received from Edward Glass
  + Interview will need to be scheduled sometime after 4:00pm,
    - Possible dates are Thursday May 2nd , Tuesday May 7th, Wednesday June 5th @ 4:00
* Current Members whose terms expire. Two, Jeff and Dorothy have served the maximum number of terms. Kimlyn Lambert, Zach Commander, Sandy Ogburn and Ping Holt.
  + Procedure needs to be finalized. Will and Sierra will set up a meeting with the Governors Board and Commissions.
* Discussion followed regarding the percentage requirements of members who work for CILS or the state and those who have a disability.
  + Title 7 of the Rehab Act, Sec. 705, states "A majority of the voting members of the Council shall be... (i) individuals with disabilities... and (ii) not employed by any State agency or center for independent living.”

Meeting was adjourned at 11:39