**SILC Quarterly Report**

**Submitted by the Division of Services for the Blind**

**January 2015 – March 2015**

During the third quarter, the NC Division of Services for the Blind has served 239 individuals through the ILR program. The Older Blind Independent Living Program has served 413 individuals this fiscal year for a total of 652 individuals being served thus far this fiscal year.

**IL Service breakdown**

Advocacy 22

Assistive Technology 156

Guidance and Counseling 68

IL training 134

Orientation and Mobility 45

Transportation 45

During the fiscal year, 21 mini center classes were held in local communities providing training to 255 participants. Mini centers are community based learning programs in which individuals receive instruction in adaptive living skills, safe travel, safety, money management, labeling, cooking, meal planning, computer technology, peer support, and adjustment counseling and much more.

DSB successfully participated in the completion of one nursing home transition.