**INDIANA​
STATEWIDE​
INDEPENDENT LIVING ​
COUNCIL​**

# **INSILC** **Board Membership Application**

## **What is the Indiana Statewide Independent Living Council (INSILC):**

The INSILC is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting Independent Living for people with disabilities throughout the state. INSILC members are appointed to board membership by the Governor of Indiana. Federal regulations require at least 51% of INSILC members to be people with significant disabilities. The INSILC believes that people with disabilities should:

* Be accepted, respected, valued members of society.
* Have equal opportunities to live, work and participate in their communities.
* Be expected to be productive, active, and responsible citizens.

## **What is the Application Process:**

Once your application has been received and reviewed by the Nominating Committee, a representative of INSILC will contact you. Your application will be reviewed by the members of the full INSILC Council during a closed (non-public) Executive Session meeting for final selection and approval for appointment shall be voted upon at the next open (public) business meeting.

## **What is the Appointment Process:**

If the application is approved by the full INSILC council, the nominated appointee will then apply directly to the Governor of Indiana’s office for appointment to the INSILC. Your application will be sent directly to the Governor of Indiana’s office along with a recommendation for appointment provided by INSILC. A link to additional forms to be completed and returned to the Governor’s Office will be sent to you. Once all the information they requested is received, reviewed, and approved by the Governor’s Office, you will be notified in writing of your appointment by the Governor of Indiana.

## **How to submit a completed INSILC Membership application:**

Please submit the completed application one of the following ways:

1. Complete "Submit" below for this online Microsoft Forms version of the application

 Form Link: <https://forms.office.com/r/TMyxDPekBx>

2. Email an electronic version of the application and documents to Nominating Chair:

 kweldy@indianasilc.org

a. Email subject line: ATTN: INSILC Nominating Committee
b. A completed full scan or copy of the application.
c. Any supplemental documents or files to be submitted with the application.

3. Mail a paper version of the application and documents to:

 Indiana Statewide Independent Living Council

 615 N. Alabama Street, Suite 140​

 Indianapolis, IN 46204​

ALL application submissions must be received by **September 15, 2023** for consideration during this open nomination period.

***Thank you*** for your interest in serving on the Indiana Statewide Independent Living Council (INSILC). Please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions or request for accommodation or assistance to complete this application.

If you need accommodation or assistance to complete this application, please contact us.

INSILC office: 1-844-446-7452

INSILC Chair: Abigail “Abby” Fleener at Chair@indianasilc.org

Nominating Chair: Kacie Weldy at kweldy@indianasilc.org

Sincerely,

The INSILC Nominating Committee