





# **Advocacy Committee**

Hilton Columbus at Easton 3900 Chagrin Drive Columbus, Ohio 43219 Lilac Room

> August 24, 2023 11:00 – 12:00

### **Welcome and Introductions**

Co-Chairs Gina Wilt and Kara Ayers

### **HB 257**

- Remote Meeting language introduced.
- SILC members share their experience and if they would like options for remote.

## **Advocacy Group Structure**

- Objective 1.4: To create and coordinate a statewide advocacy network to be proactive in responding to advocacy efforts.
- IL Network will jointly develop a statewide advocacy network structure and begin to implement a structure.
- Membership will be representatives of the SILC, CILs, and consumers of CILs.
  Presenters for the event
  - o Communication and structure discussion
  - o Focus areas and leadership of the group

#### Newsletter

- SILC is working on beginning an internal network newsletter and advocacy updates can be included.

In the event of a change in the meeting, all updates will be posted at www.ohiosilc.org

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