Agency Summary & Statutory Authority
The State Independent Living Council (SILC) is actively engaged in activities that assist in providing Idahoans across disabilities and ages a greater voice in obtaining services that are consumer-responsive, cost-effective, and community-based. SILC is a mandatory state agency if Idaho wishes to receive federal financial assistance under Title VII of the Federal Rehabilitation Act. As provided in Section 56-1201, Idaho Code, “[i]t is legislative intent that the Idaho State Independent Living Council operate and be recognized not as a state agency or department, but as a governmental entity whose creation has been authorized by the state, much in the same manner as other single purpose districts.”

Please see publications from the Legislative Services, Budget & Policy Analysis Division for additional details: https://legislature.Idaho.gov/lso/bpa/pubs/

- SILC is authorized 4.00 FTP
- The agency last received and expended federal funds in FY 2017, in the amount of $1,500
- Trustee and Benefit Payments were also last expended in FY 2017, in the amount of $1,700
- In FY 2022, the federal fund appropriated was reduced by half, from $117,700 to $58,900