## State of California Department of Rehabilitation Independent Living and Assistive Technology Section Systems Change Network Hub Program Request for Applications (RFA) - IL-24-02

DATE: November 7, 2024

The California Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) intends to award the Systems Change Network Hub Program grant under the authority of Title VIIB, section 713 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and as laid out by the 2025-2027 State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL), to the following organization for the period of February 1, 2025, through September 30, 2027 (with the potential to amend for two additional one-year periods).

The awardee will receive the following allocations for funding consistent with the information published in the RFA:

February 1, 2025, to September 30, 2025, funding is \$234,000.

October 1, 2025, to September 30, 2026, funding is \$350,000.

October 1, 2026, to September 30, 2027, funding is \$350,000.

## **Systems Change Grant Awardee:**

Marin Center for Independent Living (MCIL)

## NOTES:

- The application scoring for the grant was performed by an Evaluation Panel that included two individuals from outside the department and one from within the department. All evaluators have experience with program administration, contracts/grants management, working with individuals with disabilities and budgets.
- 2. As published in the RFA, applicants must have a minimum score of 60 points to be considered for funding.
- 3. Applicants have 30 days to request a review of the funding decisions, in accordance with California Code of Regulations, Title 9, § 7334 (d) and

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

Section 9 of the RFA. Consequently, the funding is not guaranteed until there has been a final determination of any such appeals.

4. The **DOR's website** contains guidelines for requesting public records.

For further information, please contact the DOR via email at: <a href="mailto:grants@dor.ca.gov">grants@dor.ca.gov</a>.