



**Meeting of the Board of Education  
Laraway Community Consolidated School District 70C  
1705 Richards St.  
Joliet, Illinois 60433  
Tuesday, January 19, 2016  
Oak Valley Staff Center - 6:30 p.m.**

**Board Agenda**

- I. Roll Call School Board President
- II. Pledge of Allegiance Student Recognition
- III. Modifications to the Agenda
- IV. Introduction of New Staff Members Introduced by Mr. Aaron Ventsias, Principal
- V. Public Comment – Per Board Policy 2:230
- VI. Closed Executive Session: If necessary, Closed Executive Session is to discuss and consider student discipline, negotiations, acquisition of land, pending legal matters, and/or personnel for the appointment, employment, pay, discipline, performance, or dismissal. Motion to adjourn into Closed Executive Session should include Board’s intent to return to Open Session for Board action, or to return with no Board action.
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