

**ILLINOIS ADVISORY BOARD FOR SERVICES FOR
PERSONS WHO ARE DEAF-BLIND**

Agenda

September 10, 2015

DRS

2901 Finley Ave

Suite #109

Downers Grove

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Conference call in #: 1-888-494-4032

Access code: 991-531-1402

I. Minutes of April 2, 2015 Meeting, corrected February 5, 2015 Minutes [vote required]

II. Old Business

1. Bemyvoice.com website review [vote required]
Write note to ask school district to assist?
Change platform to allow Eliza to make changes?
Find someone who knows how to work with current platform? IT assistance or partner?
2. Vacant Board Positions

III. New Business

1. El Vista presentation by Gail Olson
2. Deaf-Blind to be used, per code
3. TeleBraille funded by ITAC presentation by Joanne Rushing
4. Deaf-Blind Awareness Week [vote required]
5. Cogswell Macy Act- Michelle Clyne
6. New Legislation

IV. Standing Reports

1. LeCOBDA- distributed by Catherine Klein 8/12/15
2. SSP Task Force
3. IDHHC
4. IADB

V. Agency Reports

1. ISBE
2. PRC/Project Reach
3. EI
4. DHS/DRS
5. DHS/OMH/ODD
6. DCFS
7. ICRE Wood
8. DOA
9. CLH Deaf-Blind Program
10. Helen Keller
11. CPS

2015-2016 Meeting dates:

September 10, 2015
November 12, 2015
March 10, 2016
May 12, 2016