

Sauk Valley Community College
January 24, 2022

Agenda Item 3.1.5

- Topic:** **Mission, Vision, Values, and Strategic Plan Update**
- Mission:** **Sauk Valley Community College is dedicated to teaching and scholarship while engaging the community in lifelong learning, public service, and economic development.**
- Vision:** **Sauk Valley Community College will be a leader in student achievement while expanding access to higher education across the Sauk Valley region.**
- Values:** **Sauk Valley Community College respects the worth and dignity of all people; stands for integrity and fairness; and encourages responsibility, accountability, and persistence in a caring, supportive environment.**
- Presented By:** **Dr. David Hellmich and Joe Strabala-Bright**

Presentation:

Each year, Sauk seeks to reaffirm its mission, vision, values, and strategic plan to ensure that they still reflect the needs of the community that Sauk serves and the direction of the Board of Trustees. Supporting documents also show Sauk’s strategic plan. The strategic plan is presented in three distinct sections:

- Goal 1: Increase Access to Educational Opportunities
- Goal 2: Increase Academic Achievement
- College Health Metrics

Sauk’s Organizational Planning and Improvement Committee (OPIC) has nearly completed the process of collecting data and feedback from internal and external stakeholders. The committee has begun drafting Sauk’s new strategic plan with a first draft expected in early March. The new strategic plan will represent a vision of where the institution will need to be in five years in order to best serve our students and communities.