

Horatio Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, May 14th in the administration building.

The board approved the refresh plan with Apple for new Ipads for the high school and made a policy that any technology equipment that is going to be liquidated could be sold to seniors and faculty at fair market value. They also approved for superintendent to move forward with the band stand facility.

Board members renewed contract with K-12 Culinary Connections, approved Special Education Budget, and accepted bids from Janitorial Supply, Flowers Baking, and Hiland Dairy for the 2018-19 school year.

The board approved list of students into and out of the district by school choice and granted a transfer from Horatio to DeQueen. They voted to approve K-6 literacy program proposal with McGraw Hill Education, White River Services and Solutions for VoIP phone system, and 2016-17 legislative audit.

Personnel matters they accepted the resignations of Brandon Guinn, Rebecca Fawcett, Sandi Athey, Kayla Pettigrew and Leslie Ray, bus driver. They voted to hire Zeke Green, bus driver, Paul Morrow, assistant girls basketball coach, and Jenifer Seale, assistant boys basketball coach.

The ASBA policy recommendations were approved, minutes of previous meetings, monthly financial statements and bills.