

MINUTES
TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE MEETING
Administration Building – 745 Clifton Avenue
Board Conference Room
Wednesday – October 10, 2018 – 7:00 p.m.

-Board Meeting Technology

Committee discussed use of “Board Docs” in order to go paperless as well as deciding upon a common portable computer for the BOE members. Administration is researching additional information including cost of software, and staff development necessary for implementation

-TV Broadcasting System Update

Mr. McCunney requested a series of equipment upgrades to improve BOE broadcasts at a cost of roughly 29K.

-Update on Mounting of Existing Projectors

Approximately 20% of the installations are complete. The expected completion date of this project is early spring 2019.

-District App

Mr. Anderson is recommending we explore the use of “Parent Square” a communications software company that can significantly upgrade and expedite our parent/community interactions including but not limited to robo calls, parent portholes, staff communications, social media utilizations, web-site updates and more.

-Phone Conversation with Verizon

We will hold this item until our next meeting to have our Director of Buildings and Grounds report on his outreach to Verizon to provide service upgrades for our former POTS phone lines.

-Additional Chrome-books for CHS (One-to-one ratio)

It would take an additional 2,200 Chrome Books at a cost of approximately 1 million dollars to accomplish this goal. It would further entail the hiring of additional tech support staff to be determined. The committee agreed upon at least three additional technicians and a technical secretary (new job description needed, approximately at cost 300K annual).