President Angie Cullen called the regular meeting of the Harrison Board of Education to order at 5:30 p.m. in the Board/Conference Room located at 224 West Main Street.

Members present: Angie Cullen, Chad Hathcock, Therese Haley, Roger Peterson, Kendra Durga and Dan Pechacek.

Members absent: George Gallo

Others present: Superintendent Rick Foote, Sarah Rust, Recorder and Janice Ranck, Business Manager.

President Cullen led the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Peterson and supported by Hathcock to approve the minutes of September 9th, 2019 with the correction to state the vote for DENYING the change of Graduation date from Sunday to a weekday FAILED due to lack of majority vote. Item will be added to November Agenda. Yeas: Haley, Pechacek, Hathcock, Peterson, Durga and Cullen. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Cullen and supported by Pechacek to approve the Special Board meeting minutes of September 30th, 2019. Yeas: Haley, Pechacek, Hathcock, Peterson, Durga and Cullen. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Hathcock and supported by Peterson to approve General Fund checks as issued for the period September 1, 2019 through September 30, 2019. Yeas: Haley, Hathcock, Cullen, Peterson, Durga and Pechacek. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Under Communications, Mr. Foote has a meeting with Greg Webster on Thursday to review NEOLA Policy revisions. The Fall area school board dinner will be held in Gladwin this year in November. Invitations will be sent out.

Board President Cullen asked if anyone wished to address the Board. Richard Hansen, concerned parent addressed the board to find out what the policy is for punishment to a student for continued harassment. Mr. Foote explained the restorative practices approach that the principal and superintendent have to follow by law. Officer Oster also discussed the steps he has taken in this matter.
Under Informational/Discussion, Board President Cullen introduced Carley Young. Carley is a sophomore at Harrison High School and was recently selected to join the Blue Lake International Symphony Band. Carley was one of 2,000 applicants, of which only 250 are selected to join. Congratulations Carley.

Board President Cullen asked if anyone wished to address the Board. No one wished to do so.

Motion by Cullen and supported by Pechacek to accept from the committee to hire RHONDA SAYERS, Larson Academic Interventionist. Yeas: Hathcock, Pechacek, Cullen, Peterson, Durga and Haley. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Peterson and supported by Hathcock to accept from the committee to hire JODDIE GOULD, Middle School Cross Country Coach. Yeas: Hathcock, Pechacek, Cullen, Durga, Peterson and Haley. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Hathcock and supported by Pechacek to accept, with regret, the resignation of CHRIS FLETCHER, JV Girls Softball Coach. Yeas: Pechacek, Hathcock, Haley, Durga, Peterson and Cullen. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Cullen and supported by Hathcock to accept, with regret, the resignation of BRADLEY CARLSTROM, Varsity Boys Basketball Coach. Yeas: Pechacek, Hathcock, Haley, Durga, Peterson and Cullen. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Pechacek and supported by Cullen to accept from MATT CAVALIERI, Hillside 3rd Grade Teacher, a request for a Medical Leave of Absence. Yeas: Hathcock, Pechacek, Cullen, Peterson, Durga and Haley. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Pechacek and supported by Cullen to accept from the committee to hire AMANDA EVER, Hillside Paraprofessional. Yeas: Hathcock, Pechacek, Cullen, Durga, Peterson and Haley. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Hathcock and supported by Cullen to adjourn the meeting. Yeas: Cullen, Pechacek, Haley, Peterson, Durga and Hathcock. Nays: None. Motion carried.

President Cullen adjourned the meeting at 6:08 p.m.
Therese Haley, Secretary

Sarah Rust, Recorder