

## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

### **Erate proposal 470 200006793-Campus Core Switches and supporting equipment**

The following questions have been submitted concerning the Erate proposal shown above. All questions received by the posted deadline of 5:00 PM, CST, Monday, January 6, 2020 are provided verbatim from what was received and have been answered, which are highlighted.

It will be the responsibility of the proposer to determine what, if any, information from the Questions and Answers provided herein will be applicable in the submission of a proposal. As stated in Section IV (Evaluation and Award), Letter C (Proposal Format and Evaluation Criteria): "The submission of a Proposal shall be prima facie evidence that the Responder has full knowledge of the scope, nature, quantity and quality of work to be performed; the detailed requirements of the specifications; and the conditions under which the work is to be performed."

### **No Amendment to the Proposal will be issued and the Opening date remains unchanged.**

#### **Vendor #1**

I have just a one question for 470 200006793. Will you need a copy of our drug free workplace form with the solicitation?

Per Section IV (Evaluation and Award), Letter C (Proposal Format and Evaluation Criteria), Number 2(ii)(2): "Failure to return the following items MAY result in your Proposal being deemed "disqualified" and not eligible for further consideration, at the sole discretion of the District:".

Specifically, to the Drug Free Workplace form, please see Section IV (Evaluation and Award), Letter C (Proposal Format and Evaluation Criteria), Number 2(ii)(2)(b): "A signed "Drug Free Workplace" form (Attachment E). At minimum, an unsigned form must be returned as part of the entire Proposal documentation. While a signed "Drug Free Workplace" form is not required, it will be a determining factor in award between two (2) proposals that are equal in price, quality, and service."

#### **Vendor #2**

The attached RFPs for Aruba equipment have come to our attention. Would the District entertain a Ruckus solution?

Please see the information contained in Section V (Equipment to be Purchased).

#### **Vendor #3**

We saw your post on biddirect and wanted to reach out and see if we could set up a call to discuss what exactly the school is needing and how we can provide these services for you.

The District has posted solicitations for equipment purchases. The specifications for each solicitation are found in the respective RFP document. As there are State and Local Procurement Requirements, all requests for information should be emailed to Anya Klinginsmith, [aklinginsmith@escambia.k12.fl.us](mailto:aklinginsmith@escambia.k12.fl.us). Respondents must adhere to instructions listed in the RFP document located at the District webpage: <http://ecsd-fl.schoolloop.com/purchasing/bids>.

**Vendor #4**

I downloaded your RFP that is due 1/21/20. It doesn't appear this RFP is for internet content filtering?

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