# **REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

#### **ERATE FUNDING YEAR 2024-25**

# FCC FORM 470 # 240013242 (PEHS 2024-C2 WAPS CMAS) CATEGORY 2 WIRELESS ACCESS POINTS

#### **APPLICANT**

Perris Union High School District (BEN: 143755) 155 E. 4th Street, Perris, CA 92570

#### Submit Questions no later than: Monday, January 29, 2024

Questions must be submitted online no later than <u>4:00 pm Pacific Time</u> on the due date listed above.

### **DUE DATE: Monday, February 19, 2024**

Proposals must be submitted online no later than <u>4:00 pm Pacific Time</u> on the due date listed above.

#### All questions and proposals must be submitted via bonfire.

Proposals received after the proposal deadline, spam, and/or automated responses via email will not be considered valid proposal responses and will be disqualified from consideration.

https://kelloggllc.bonfirehub.com/portal

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# **RFP Timeline**

Activity	Date
Questions deadline	Last Day for Questions:
	Monday, January 29, 2024, by 4:00 PM PST
	The district will not respond to phone call
	inquiries. Please submit all questions related to
	the RFP in writing.
Answers to questions posted via Addendum	Wednesday, January 31, 2024
Proposal deadline	Monday, February 19, 2024, no later than 4:00
	PM PST.
	Important: Bids must be <u>submitted online</u> no
	later than 2:00 PM Central Time on the due
	date listed in the RFP.

# Pricing Requirements □ Excel Pricing Required ☑ PDF Pricing Allowed (excel optional)

#### Offerors are required to identify:

Clearly list the cost of products and services to include the following:

- 1. Description of Services
- 2. Monthly (recurring) charges
- 3. One Time (non-recurring) charges
- 4. % Eligibility. If the product is fully eligible, show 100%. If not eligible, 0% eligible for E-Rate discount. This is NOT the applicant's E-Rate discount %.
- 5. Quantity
- 6. Unit of Measure (Each, Feet)
- 7. Bandwidth level, if applicable
- 8. Contract Term
- 9. Make, Model and part number, if applicable
- 10. Installation and Configuration
- 11. Shipping and Handling
- 12. Travel and Per Diem
- 13. Estimate of Surcharges and Fees
- 14. 25% Estimated Tariff for Manufacturer's Networking Equipment Manufactured Abroad

ATTENTION CATEGORY TWO BIDDERS: Pricing details in a spreadsheet format will be required for awarded category two products and services.

### PROPOSAL SPECIFICATIONS

# \*\* PROPOSALS REQUESTED FOR MANUFACTURER AS LISTED OR EQUIVALENT \*\*

Applicant is seeking proposals for the items listed below and estimated quantities shown. The Applicant will work with the awarded offeror to specify items per site within the Applicant's E-Rate category two budget for E-Rate FY27 (2024-2025). The Applicant reserves the right to purchase some, all, or none of the products and services awarded under this contract for E-Rate FY27 (2024-2025) and subsequent E-Rate funding years covered by the agreement.

- Offerors are requested to include all necessary installation and configuration (if applicable), cabling, licenses, connectors, components, shipping and handling, taxes and any other applicable fees.
- The applicant is requesting basic maintenance for new equipment including manufacturer maintenance support services (MSS) and bundled warranty only for equipment listed on this request.
- The applicant will consider proposals for managed internal broadband services (MIBS) for any remote management components necessary for a fully operational solution.
- Licensing may often be considered to include Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections (BMIC) or Managed Internal Broadband Service (MIBS) components.
- Partial/incomplete proposals will not be considered.

For the purposes of this RFQ, the term "Service Provider" and "Vendor" may be used interchangeably and have the same meaning, whether stated or not.

All Service Providers/vendors responding to the posted Form 470 are to be listed as California Multiple Awards Schedule (CMAS) and/or NASPO VALUEPOINT Service Providers. Public Contract Code (PCC) Sections 10290 et seq. and 12101.5 include approval for local government agencies to use CMAS for acquisition of information technology and non-information technology products and services.

A local government agency is any city, county, city and county, district, or other local governmental body or corporation, including the California State Universities (CSU) and University of California (UC) systems, K-12 schools and community colleges empowered to expend public funds.

FOR CMAS: In addition to the requirements outlined in this RFQ, service providers may be subject to additional requirements as outlined in the CMAS Program:

https://www.dgs.ca.gov/Error-Pages/404?item=%2fpd%2fabout%2fpage-content%2fpd-branch-intro-accordion-list%2facquisitions%2fcalifornia-multiple-award-+schedules&user=sitecore%5cAnonymous&site=website

For NASPO VALUEPOINT: All proposals must be submitted by NASPO VALUEPOINT Authorized Resellers that have been approved by the State Contract Administrator.

Public Contract Code sections 10298-10299 allow the Department of General Services, Procurement Division (DGS-PD) to enter into cooperative purchasing agreements with other states. Cooperative agreements are available to all State of California governmental entities (State departments, agencies, cities, counties, school districts, universities, etc.) that expend public funds for the acquisition of both goods and services.

The DGS-PD has elected to participate in the following multi-state cooperative agreements established by other states participating in the NASPO ValuePoint Cooperative Program and other cooperative programs as specified in the link below.

https://www.naspovaluepoint.org/

It is the responsibility for service providers to familiarize themselves with CMAS and/or NASPO VALUEPOINT requirements.

SPECIAL NOTE: It is the expectation of Perris Union High School District "PUHSD" that any respondent to this solicitation familiarize themselves with the impact that any as yet unknown tariff(s) imposed upon particular manufacturer's products and are appropriately accounted for in the respondent's fee proposal. PUHSD presumes a 25% tariff will be imposed on any manufacturer's networking equipment manufactured abroad and will be applicable at the time of purchase throughout the term of any agreement resulting from this solicitation (including any mutually agreed upon extensions). PLEASE INCLUDE THIS 25% TARIFF AS A SEPARATE LINE ITEM WHEN COMPLETING THE PRICING ATTACHMENT AS PRESENTED. It is also the expectation of Perris Union High School District that should the presumed tariff be LESS than 25% or not ultimately be imposed upon the manufacturer's product, the cost saving will be passed along to PUHSD and, in turn, the FCC's E-Rate program as well. It should also be presumed by respondents that should any tariff imposed upon a particular manufacturer's product be higher than 25% at the time of purchase, PUHSD will appropriately compensate the service provider for the full cost incurred at the time of purchase without regard to E-Rate eligible invoicing.

# LIST OF REQUESTED EQUIPMENT

Perris Union High School District is looking to purchase 13 Wireless Access Points and related components. The make and model of the access points is listed below.

Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections (BMIC) and MIBS for new equipment – Licenses that include services such as software upgrades and patches, (including bug fixes and security patches), and online and telephone-based technical assistance and tools that are typically standard fixed priced offerings or manufacturer maintenance support services (MSS) are sometimes classified as Managed Internal Broadband (MIBS) or Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections (BMIC) by USAC. MIBS and BMIC have been included in the 470 for new equipment requests for this purpose.

Part A: Meraki Wireless Equipment or Equivalent

Туре	Part Number	Description/Line Notes	Quantity	
Wireless Access Point	Meraki MR76	Meraki	Meraki MR76 Wireless Access Point	13
Antennas	Meraki MA-ANT-20	Meraki	Meraki MA-ANT-20	26
License	Meraki 5 Year AP License	Meraki	Meraki 5 Year AP License	13

# **RECIPIENTS OF SERVICE**

Entity Name	Entity Number	Address	City	State	Zip
Perris High School	105328	175 E Nuevo Rd	Perris	CA	92571
Heritage High School	16036564	26001 Briggs Road	Menifee	CA	92585
California Military Institute	16029806	755 N A Street	Perris	CA	92571

# **PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS (C2)**

#### **Proposal Requirements**

1. **E-Rate Program Compliance.** Service providers (offerors) must comply with E-Rate program rules as set forth by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and administered by the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC).

<u>Disqualification – FCC Form 498 ID Status.</u> If the offeror is under FCC red light status or does not have an FCC Form 498 ID (service provider identification number), the offeror may be disqualified by the applicant school or library.

If at any time during the contract period the service provider is red lighted, debarred, or otherwise no longer eligible to participate in the E-Rate program, the applicant reserves the right to terminate the contract.

2. Kellogg & Sovereign® Consulting (K&S) authorized.

The applicant has engaged the services of K&S to assist with the E-Rate filings for the applicant. The applicant has authorized K&S to act on its behalf regarding this procurement. K&S may request information directly from Proposer(s) as well as conduct the competitive bidding process on the e-procurement site, https://kelloggllc.bonfirehub.com.

- 3. **Equivalent products and services.** Proposals are requested for the specified manufacturer, part, model number OR EQUIVALENT.
- 4. Mandatory Offerors' Conference or Walk Through.

☐ APPLIES TO THIS RFP	☑ DOES NOT APPLY FOR THIS RFP	

<u>Disqualification – Mandatory Offerors' Conference</u>. If the offeror does not attend a mandatory offerors' conference, walk through, or other mandatory meeting listed in the Offerors' Conference section, the offeror may be disqualified by the applicant school or library.

- 5. **Questions**. Questions must be submitted online <a href="https://kelloggllc.bonfirehub.com/portal">https://kelloggllc.bonfirehub.com/portal</a> prior to the end of the question period.
- 6. **Proposal Acceptance.** The applicant school or library reserves the right to accept some, all or none of the items included in the proposal. Notification of proposal acceptance or proposal rejection will be provided at the discretion of the applicant school or library.
- 7. **Modification or Withdrawal of Proposal:** Vendors are advised to consult the Bonfire Vendor Help Center to obtain the most current guidance for submission, revision, and withdrawal of proposals. https://vendorsupport.gobonfire.com/hc/en-us
- 8. **Clarifying Questions** The applicant may choose to ask clarifying questions or request additional information from the offerors. All communications within the proposal and evaluation stage will be within the bidding portal.
- 9. **Late Proposals**. Responses submitted after the due date and time noted in this RFP shall not be considered and will be disqualified. Responses must be submitted through the bidding portal. Proposal submitted through fax or email will not be accepted.

- 10. Financial Responsibility. Offeror shall pay all costs related to the preparation and submission of its Proposal.
- 11. **All Costs.** Pricing proposed by the offeror must include all costs associated with the requested products/services to the applicant but not limited to taxes, shipping, etc. Offeror must provide unit pricing for each item. Incomplete/partial proposals will not be considered. Price increases will not be allowed during the term quoted. Prices may be lowered based on market conditions.
- 12. Cost Allocation. Offerors must clearly separate E-Rate eligible costs from ineligible costs.
- 13. **Contracts**. Offeror for services other than tariff or month-to-month arrangements, must include a contract or legally binding agreement in response to this RFP with signature block for both service provider and applicant. The agreement should be provided in form only and will not be completed and executed until after proposals are awarded by applicant and negotiations completed as applicable. *Quotes are not considered a legally binding agreement*.
- 14. Contract Terms. Offerors must clearly define contract terms for all pricing submitted. The applicant school or library may consider multi-year contracts featuring voluntary renewals. The district reserves the right to order quantities in any size lot or lots of quantities. Pricing much remain firm for the period of April 1, 2024, through September 30, 2025. The district reserves the right to extend the intent to purchase for an additional annual term through September 30, 2026. The applicant will reserve the right to extend or abbreviate the contract period if such extension or abbreviation is necessary to make the Contract term coincide with an E- Rate "program year" or an extended service end date for an E-Rate program year pursuant to a "service delivery deadline extension," as those terms are defined by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and/or the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC).

The applicant will reserve the right to extend or abbreviate the contract period if such extension or abbreviation is necessary to make the Contract term coincide with an E- Rate "program year" or an extended service end date for an E-Rate program year pursuant to a "service delivery deadline extension," as those terms are defined by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and/or the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC).

- 15. **Description of Proposal.** The offer will provide a description of their proposal for all services and solutions. Description will include an overview of the proposal, any deviations from the requested architecture, design or requirements, assumptions made, and any other details that may be useful or necessary for proper evaluation of the proposal.
- 16. **Authorized Signatures** Proposals must be signed by an individual or officer of the firm authorized to legally bind Vendor when submitting the proposal. Unsigned proposals will not be accepted.
- 17. **Addenda** In the event revisions to this document become necessary, addendum will be provided by upload to the relevant Form 470 and the bidding portal.
- 18. **Required Notice to Proceed and Funding Availability.** The applicant will follow the purchasing policies of their governing board and the requirements and procedures of the FCC's E-Rate program as administered by USAC to be eligible for all available funding. The implementation of any associated contracts resulting from this competitive proposal process will be dependent on the applicant's issuance of a written Notice to Proceed. E-Rate funding notification alone will not signify Notice to Proceed. The applicant will have the right to allow the contract to expire without implementation if appropriate funding does not become available.
- 19. Proposals for Category Two products and services.
- Proposals for equipment should clearly list the location where the equipment will be installed if that has been specified in the proposal.

- Proposals should meet industry standards and comply with applicable local, state and federal codes and regulations. For
  example, network wiring/cabling should meet or exceed EIA/TIA standards and national Electrical code standards.
- Equipment should be properly configured, installed and tested.
- Include all items necessary for equipment to be fully operational including necessary cabling, connectors, components, installation, configuration, travel, per diem, and any other applicable fees.
- All installed equipment and cabling should be labeled.
- In addition to standard labeling (i.e. patch panels labeled with cable number), equipment should be labeled with E-Rate information as follows:

Funding Request Number (FRN) Form 471 Application Number Purchase Order Number Installation Date

- Proposals for ON-SITE maintenance services must include the quantity, make, and model number of all E-Rate eligible equipment to be maintained.
- Proposals for managed internal broadband services must specify whether or not the equipment is owned by the applicant or the provider
- Offerors must include a statement of work (SOW)
- Proposals for new equipment should include standard manufacturer's warranty (up to three years)
- Proposals for firewall appliances or firewall services must clearly cost allocate the ineligible portion.
- The value of any free products and/or services must be deducted from the cost of the proposal.
- Proposals should include installation and configuration unless otherwise noted
- Proposals should clearly describe all costs including installation, configuration, shipping and handling charges on a per site basis unless otherwise noted.

#### 20. Site and Service Substitution (Contract Modification).

The applicant hereby provides notice to all interested vendors that site and/or service substitutions may be necessary during the term of the contract. Any agreement signed as a result of this RFP should contemplate the possibility of the applicant changing products or services within the guidelines set forth by the FCC. All vendors are also hereby provided notice that the applicant may add new locations to its network during the life of the contract, and existing sites may move or close. The contract(s) entered into as a result of this RFP should allow for said site/service substitutions. Vendors are to describe their process for amending the contract to accommodate site/service substitutions during the contract term.

#### 21. Category Two Budget Requirements.

During the E-Rate application process and prior to issuance of E-Rate funding, the applicant may need to make changes to the quantities and items selected in order to stay within their category two budgets. The applicant may contact the awarded offeror to adjust quantities in order to meet the Category 2 budget.

The selected service provider is expected to respond timely with revised proposals and contracts for the applicant to ensure that the selected products and services are at or below the applicant's budget cap. The selected service provider will need to provide all information necessary regarding reduction in quantities and associated installation, configuration, shipping and handling charges.

#### 22. Documentation and Audit Compliance.

• Service provider shall provide all warranty and product documentation related to products or services sold to the applicant.

- Service provider shall retain all documentation related to the purchase and payment, including Forms 474 and receipt of payment from USAC, for all products and services provided to the applicant. Related documentation must be retained for a period of TEN years from the last date of service.
- If the applicant is audited by the Administrator of the program, the service provider shall fully cooperate with the applicant to provide any documentation related to the provision of discounted products and services as requested.
- The service provider and/or applicant is solely responsible for verifying the accuracy of information submitted to Kellogg & Sovereign® Consulting (K&S). K&S disclaims and makes no warranty, express or implied, nor assumes any legal liability or responsibility for the validity, accuracy, correctness, or completeness of any information that is provided by the service provider or applicant to K&S.
- By submitting proposals for K&S client schools & libraries, the service provider agrees and understands that K&S will forward the information to USAC, and the service provider is responsible for verifying the accuracy of information submitted to K&S.
- Kellogg & Sovereign® Consulting shall not be liable for any direct, indirect, incidental, consequential or exemplary damages, including but not limited to, damages for loss of profits, data or other intangible losses (even if K&S has been advised of the possibility of such damages), resulting from the service provider's non-response or incomplete response and/or the service provider's inaccurate, invalid, incorrect, or incomplete provision of information.

#### 23. Service Provider Responsibilities

- The agreement herein is contingent upon the approval of funding from the Universal Service Fund's Schools and Library Program.
- The applicant requires that Service Providers make themselves thoroughly familiar with any rules or regulations regarding the E-Rate program. https://www.fcc.gov/consumers/guides/universal-service-program-schools-and-libraries-e-rate
- Service Providers are required to be in full compliance with all current requirements and future requirements issued by the SLD throughout the contractual period of any contract entered into as a result of this RFP.
- Service Providers are responsible for proving a valid Service Provider Identification Number (SPIN) at the time the RFP is submitted. https://www.usac.org/e-rate/service-providers/step-1-obtain-a-spin/
- Service Providers are responsible for providing a valid Federal Communications Commissions (FCC) Registration Number at the time the RFP is submitted. https://www.fcc.gov/wirelss/support/universal-licensing-systems-uls-resources/getting-feeregistration-number-frn
- Service Providers are responsible for providing evidence of FCC Green Light Status at the time the proposal is submitted. Any
  potential offeror found to be in Red Light Status must provide an explanation of the steps it is undertaking to be removed to
  Red Light Status and the expected timeframe for resolution. A Service Provider's sustained Red Light Status may be grounds
  for contract termination as it could prohibit the Service Provider from providing E-Rate discounts in a timely manner which
  would cause harm to the Applicant. https://www.fcc.gov/general/red-light-frequently-asked-questions
- Products and services must be delivered before billing can commence. At no time shall the Service Provider invoice before July 1, 2024.
- Prices must be held firm for the duration of the associated E-Rate Funding Year(s) or until all work associated with the project is complete (including any contracts and USAC approved extensions)
- The default method of invoicing for all Funding Requests (FRN) created as a result of this RFP will be the Form 474 Service Provider invoice (SPI) unless the applicant explicitly requests Form 472 Billed Entity Applicant Reimbursement method.

- The Service Provider agrees to bill and receive a portion of the payment for the provisions of goods and services described herein directly from USAC via the Form 474 Service Provider invoice (SPI). The maximum percentage the applicant will be liable for is the pre-discount amount minus the funded amount as shown on the FCC Funding Commitment Decision Letter (FCDL) and any identified ineligible costs. Upon the successful receipt or posting of a Funding Commitment Decision letter from the SLD and submission, certification and USAC approval of Form 486, the applicant shall pay only the discounted amount beginning with the billing cycle immediately following said approval.
- O All Service Provider invoicing to USAC must be completed within 120 days from the last day of service. Should the Service Provider fail to invoice USAC in a timely manner, the Applicant will only be responsible for paying its non-discounted share. Service Providers shall retain all documentation related to the purchase, payment, delivery and/or installation, including Forms 474 and receipt of payment from USAC, for all products and services provided to the applicant. Related documentation must be retained for a period of 10 years from the last date of service.
- Within one (1) week of award, the awarded Service Provider will provide the Applicant with a bill of materials suitable for the Form 471 item 21 attachment. Approval for any deviation from the item 21 attachment must be obtained from the Applicant. Subsequent schedules of values and invoices for each site must match Item 21 attachment or subsequent service substitutions. https://www.usac.org/wp-content/uploads/e-rate/documents/Forms/471i fy05.pdf
- In the event of questions during an E-Rate pre-commitment review, post commitment review and/or audit inquiry, the awarded Service Provider is expected to reply within three (3) days to questions associated with its proposal.
- No change in the products and/or services specified in this document orders will be allowed without prior written approval from the Applicant and a USAC service substitution approval with the exception of a Global Service Substitution.
- The Service Provider acknowledges that all pricing and technology infrastructure information in its proposal shall be considered as public and non-confidential pursuant to 47 CFR §54.504 (2) (i) (ii)
- The Service Provider acknowledges that its offer is considered to be the lowest corresponding price pursuant to §54.511 (b).
   Should it not be the lowest corresponding price, the Service Provider must disclose the conditions leading to the applicant being charged in excess of lowest corresponding price.
- This offer is in full compliance with USAC's Free Services Advisory. There are no free services that would predict an artificial
  discount and preclude the applicant from paying its proportionate non- discounted share of costs. The Service Provider agrees
  to provide substantiating documentation to support this assertion should the applicant, USAC, or the FCC request it.
  https://www.usac.org/e- rate/applicant-process/competitive-bidding/free-services-advisory/
- The awarded Service Provider is required to send copies of all forms and invoices to the Applicant prior to invoicing USAC for pre-approval. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the Applicant placing the vendor on an "Invoice Check" with the USAC. https://www.usac.org/e- rate/applicant-process/invoicing/invoice-check/
- The contract must provide cancellation of services without financial penalties if a school is closed. Applicant may cancel services to a school without penalties after a 30-day notice to Service Provider.
- Goods and services provided shall be clearly designated as "E-Rate Eligible". Non-eligible goods and services shall be clearly
  called out as 100% non-eligible or shall be "cost allocated" to show the percentage of eligible costs per SLD guidelines.
- Within one (1) week of award, the awarded Service Provider must provide the Applicant a bill of materials using the most currently available "Bulk Upload Template" located at https://www.usac.org/e-rate/applicant-process/applying-fordiscounts/fcc-form-471-filing/. Subsequent schedules of values and invoices must match the Bulk Upload Template or subsequent service substitutions.

#### **VENDOR REGISTRATION**

**Vendor Registration Link:** <a href="https://kelloggllc.bonfirehub.com/login">https://kelloggllc.bonfirehub.com/login</a>

Bonfire Vendor Help Center: <a href="https://vendorsupport.gobonfire.com/hc/en-us">https://vendorsupport.gobonfire.com/hc/en-us</a>

#### **Registration steps:**

Enter your organization name, email and password to create your account.

Once an account is created you will need to provide:

- Contact information
- SPIN Form 498 ID. https://slweb.usac.org/Spin/Search
- FCCRN FCC registration number. https://apps.fcc.gov/cores/userLogin.do
- OUSF-Certified Service Provider for Oklahoma (CCN) indicate Yes/No/Pending (NOT required for Category Two RFPs)

#### **COMMODITY CODES:**

K&S will be using the following UNSPSC Codes (classifications) for RHC or E-Rate eligible services. Note that when you are entering UNSPSC Codes, Bonfire leaves off the zeroes. For example, 83112200 is 831122. Additionally, the higher-level code is used in some cases instead of listing all the individual codes. For example, 4322 is the commodity code used instead of the code specifically for routers, antennas or network switches.

#### **INTERNET ACCESS**

81112101-Internet Service Providers (ISP – all modes of Internet delivery)

#### **TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES**

831122-Enhanced Telecommunication Services (non-fiber broadband data connections including T1, DS3, SMDS, DSL and cable modem)

831123-Fiber Telecommunication Services (Lit Fiber broadband data connections)

83112301-Dark Fiber (dark fiber broadband data connections)

26121616-Telecommunications Cable (self-provisioned broadband networks)

#### **NETWORK EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE, MANAGED SERVICES:**

2612-Electrical wire & cable & harness (network cabling)

39121011-Uninterruptible Power Supplies (UPS equipment)

4322-Network Equipment (network switches, routers, antennas)

43222607-Cache Engine Equipment or Service (Caching equipment or caching service)

43223108-Wireless access network equipment and components (access points, controllers)

43222501-Firewall Network Security (Firewall appliance or firewall service)

4323-Operating Software (operating software)

43231512-License Software (software license required for operation of eligible equipment)

43223306-Network System cabinet or enclosure

43223308-Network system equipment rack

811118-Computer Services (Erate Managed Internal Broadband Services, RHC network monitoring)

81111803-Local Area Network LAN maintenance or support

### **EVALUATION CRITERIA**

Applicants will select the most cost-effective proposals with the price of the E-Rate eligible products and services being the primary factor (most heavily weighted).

Factor	Possible Points	Description
Price-E-Rate eligible items	35	Price of E-Rate eligible products & services (primary factor)
Price-Other Costs	5	Other costs (items not eligible for E-Rate discount)
Prior Experience and	10	-Experience with similar projects and references (5 points)
Knowledge		-Experience with this applicant (5 Points)
Strength of Vendor and	10	-Qualifications of management (5 points)
References		-Qualifications of staff (5 points)
Proposal	10	-Responsiveness of the offeror-replied promptly to emails, attended
		optional on-site walk through if applicable (5 points)
		-Proximity of sales and service offices (5 points)
Scope of Work and	30	Proposal meets or exceeds all technical requirements (10 Points)
Specification Compliance		Compatibility with existing systems (10 Points)
		Ease of interoperability with existing systems (10 Points)

In order for applicants to properly evaluate your proposal, please provide details specific to the evaluation criteria areas along with your proposal.

## **REQUIRED FORMS**

#### **BID REQUIREMENTS:**

- 1. FCC Form 498 ID (Service Provider Identification Number)
- 2. FCC registration Number (FCC RN)
- 3. Service Providers must comply with local, state, and federal requirements including agreement to fully cooperate with audit and ten-year document retention requirements.
- 4. Proposal submitted online <a href="https://kelloggllc.bonfirehub.com/portal">https://kelloggllc.bonfirehub.com/portal</a> in compliance with instructions
- 5. Supporting detail and documentation may be submitted online.
- 6. Contracts or legally binding agreement for all products and services must be submitted with the proposal. (Exception for tariffed or month to month service.) Agreements will be completed AFTER proposal award and final negotiations are completed. Quotations are not acceptable.
- 7. Must attend mandatory offerors' conferences IF applicable to this RFP.
- 8. Must complete Attachment A Pricing
- 9. Must complete Attachment B Certifications, Experience and References
- 10. Proposals submitted after the proposal close date/time or outside of the bidding portal will be rejected/disqualified.

# ATTACHMENT A Pricing Authorizations

Name of Company:	
Name of Applicant:	
Form 470#	
Pricing submitted by:	
TOTAL AMOUNT PROPOSED \$	
Signature acknowledges review of the e-bidding program for the issuance acknowledges the signatory is authorized to provide this pricing:	of any related addenda and further
Signature:	
Title:	
Date:	

Combine this completed cover page with your proposal along with Attachments, B and C (if required) as one .pdf file, then upload to Bonfire.

# **ATTACHMENT B Certifications, Experience & References**

Name of Company:			
Address of principal location:			
Phone:	Fax:		
FCC Form 498 ID (SPIN)1:			
FCC Registration Number <sup>2</sup> :			
Responsible contact personnel:			
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How many years has your company been i  How many years has your organization bee  Under what other or former names has yo	en in business under its preser		
During the last five (5) years, has the Vend Federal Communication Commission E-Rat Yes:	•		pating in the
Does the Vendor's FCC Registration Number ha	ave RED light status? Yes:	No:	
Attach a printout of your FCC Registration Nur	mber red or green light status fro	m the FCC's Red Light Display System (	RLDS) <sup>3</sup>
During the last five (5) years, has the Vend services performed or not performed?	dor been a party to a lawsuit i	nvolving any existing or prior cont	racts as it relates to

https://slweb.usac.org/Spin/Search
 https://apps.fcc.gov/cores/userLogin.do
 iproposal

				Yes	s:				No:							
If	the	Vendor	responds	yes	to	any	of	the	prior	three	questions,	please	provide	information	concerning	the
in	vestig	ation/lav	vsuit/gover	nmei	nt ac	ction a	as ar	n atta	chmen	t to this	s form.					

If the Vendor responded yes to the last question, please provide information pertaining to any monetary damages or exchange of property or services and the state in which the lawsuit was filed.

#### **Experience:**

Vendor shall provide a list of three (3) projects of similar type, size and complexity. State project (customer) name, description of work, dollar value, public entity, yes or no, and date using the format below. Projects listed must have been performed within the last five (5) years. Please include additional information with proposal if available.

Project Name	Description of Work	Dollar Value	Public Entity Yes or No	Date

#### **References:**

Proposal shall provide three (3) references from company owners or management personnel from projects listed above. There must be at least one (1) reference for each project listed.

REFERENCE #1	
Company Name	
Project Name	
Contact Person Name	
Title	
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	Company Name	
	Project Name	
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