

ROCKFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL ON SUPPLIES, MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT OR SERVICES FOR SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 205 ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS

RFP No. 21-05 Administration Building A/V Upgrades

DATE: November 16, 2020

RE: ADDENDUM NO. 5

To All Bidders:

Included are modifications, clarifications and/or corrections for the Project Manual and are hereby made a part of the contract documents. Please attach this addendum to the Project Manual(s) in your possession. Please note the receipt of this addendum on the bid form. Bidders shall review changes to all portions of this work as changes to one portion may affect the work of another.

If you plan to hand deliver your RFP submission on the due date, please note you must check in on the 2nd floor prior to coming to the bid opening. Please allow time for this as late submission will not be accepted.

Refer all questions relative to the business aspect, Instructions to Bidders, Special Conditions, and questions concerning the technical aspect of the documents to the Director of Purchasing by email at purchasingdeptstaff@rps205.com.

CLARIFICATIONS

This addendum included requests for information (RFI) to date and corresponding answers.

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By: Dane Youngblood Director of Purchasing

Clarifications

Below are requests for information (RFI) along with corresponding answers.

- 1. Since originally this system was not at all in our scope and we were told onsite that all we needed was to provide a video and audio feed can we get a list of equipment that needs to be rewired including what remote equipment needs to be cabled/terminated.
 - a. The equipment that mat need to be re-terminated is the TriCaster Mini with six ethernet cables. The following equipment will be staying in the rack:
 - i. TriCaster Mini
 - ii. Blackmagic 2U Monitor Bank
 - iii. Nexus-HD X5
 - iv. Radiant Communications Fiber Transmitter
 - v. Comcast Fiber Box
 - vi. 24 Port Network Switch for A/V Gear
 - vii. Eight Port Network Switch for Sony PTZ (unless it can be connected to the current 24 Port Network Switch
 - viii. Synology 16 Bay NAS
- 2. In the current two post rack there are numerous non-A/V items that are part of the IT infrastructure. Are those (switches, patch panels, etc) staying?
 - a. All other equipment in rack will be removed. The patch bay is for the old CATV cameras for the building and the network patch bay is also for old ethernet video. Currently the Sony PTZ are connected to the patch bay.