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## Buena Park SD RFP # BPSD E-Rate Cat 2 Year 25 (FY2022) 470 #220003784

### Questions & Answers

12/3/2021

1. Requirement 2, *Proposal Security*, under *Instructions to Vendors* (Page 4 of 55), states that, "Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified or cashiers' check payable to the District or a satisfactory proposal bond in favor of the District....." However, under *Submission Requirements* (Page 2 of 55) it states that, "Digital copy in PDF format is required. Digital submissions can be provided on a submitter f surnished USB pen drive, or via the following link...." If we submit a digital copy via the provided link how, and when, does the District want the Proposal Bond delivered.

The RFP states that hard copy proposals can be submitted as long as the proposal is also included digitally on a pen drive.

If vendor submits a digital proposal, it is assumed all required documents would be provided in digital format.

**Per page 4 of RFP - Proposal Security - Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified or cashiers' check payable to the District or a satisfactory proposal bond in favor of the District, executed by the vendor as principal and a satisfactory surety, in an amount not less than 10% of the maximum of the proposal. The check or proposal bond shall be given as a guarantee that the vendor shall execute the contract if it be awarded to him in conformity with the contract documents and shall provide the surety bond or bonds as specified therein within five (5) days after notification of the award of the contract to the vendor.**

**Per page 5 of RFP - Agreements and Bonds - Proposed Agreement which the successful vendor will be required to execute and the forms and amounts of surety bonds which he will be required to furnish at the time of execution of the Agreement are included in the contract documents and should be carefully examined by the vendor. If exceptions are required clearly state those exceptions by marking through the areas of concern and provide the alternative wording for District review.**

2. Will the district please confirm max fiber lengths to ensure the proper SFP modules are quoted correctly?

**On pages 10-22 of RFP, under the minimum hardware specifications the type of fiber requested is "multimode".**

3. Will the district please confirm the copper cable category type being used that would connect to the "1000BASE-T SFP to RJ45 Module"

**On pages 48-55 of the RFP, In "Attachment C", the type of data cable specified is CAT6A.**

4. Referencing Buena Park SD Form 470 #220003784. In regards to the Network Restoration Services, is the district requesting managed services?

**No managed services are being requested.**

5. Due to long lead times for hardware pricing would Buena Park School District consider an extension for this RFP Number #220003784? We are requesting a two-week extension in order to provide a cost proposal. Will the District accept this request?

**The District is firm on the RFP Due date and that adequate time is given to provide a quality bid response.**

**END OF Q&A**