



Erate 470 #240004149

Bidder Q&A

Q1: As your current vendor for your Internet, will you require financial records and/or references? Most existing customers say no but I have to ask and we are happy to provide numerous PA large WAN customer references if desired.

A1: Yes, as part of a complete submittal for this RFP, we would need all of the requested documents to be provided.

Q2: Lastly, I wasn't able to find any 471's for WAN service in the last several years. FY 2015 Crown Castle being the only year applied for. I was wondering if you could clarify if the services were pre-paid, no charge or E-rate funding not previously sought out or if this is to be a new network?

A2: E-rate was not recently requested

Q3: Can you the District please confirm if a pre-bid meeting has been scheduled. Section 1.10 mentions such a meeting, but it is not listed in the timeline in 1.9.

A3: A notice was posted on the district website at <https://www.haverford.k12.pa.us/departments/business-office/available-bidsrfps> as well as being added to teh 470 on 12/22/23 cancelling the Prebid meeting. This notice was also sent to bidders who had emailed the district prior to that date.

Q4: The pricing spreadsheet does not have a tab for Dark Fiber. Please advise where you would like to see this pricing.

A4: We have posted a new excel file with an additional tab for a Dark Fiber option to both the District website at <https://www.haverford.k12.pa.us/departments/business-office/available-bidsrfps> as well as attaching it to the 470.

Q5: The word document mentioned in Section 5.1.3 is missing. Can the District please provide?

A5: It has now been added to the district website at <https://www.haverford.k12.pa.us/departments/business-office/available-bidsrfps> as well as being attached to the 470.