Shawnee Mission School District
RFP 24-014 – Internet Services
October 10, 2024

Addendum No. 1

The following response addresses question(s) submitted by vendor(s) on October 9, 2024; responses to the questions are indicated in **bold**. If you feel that a question has not been addressed, please contact Reed Beebe at purchasing@smsd.org as soon as possible.

1. Page 13, Item # D2.02 under the 'Internet Connectivity' section states the following: "Each Internet Access connection must support full bandwidth. Since 20GB is determined to be the required level of bandwidth for an Internet access connection from the Center for Academic Achievement Center hub and the Indian Creek Technology Center hub, then BOTH ISPs must support 20GB (2 x 10GB does not make it 20GB). That is, the connectivity infrastructure must be able to burst to 20GB on each circuit." Is the requirement to have two active, geographically diverse Internet Access connections (one to each identified network hub) with Committed Information Rate (CIR) of 10 Gbps, such that if one of the circuits goes down, the intent would be to have the capability to burst to the full requested 20 Gbps bandwidth on the remaining circuit until full service is restored? Or is the requirement for two geographically diverse circuits each with CIR of 20 Gbps?

   The requirement is to have two active, geographically diverse Internet Access connections (one to each identified network hub) with Committed Information Rate (CIR) of 10 Gbps, such that if one of the circuits goes down, the other will have the capability to burst to the full requested 20 Gbps bandwidth on the remaining circuit until full service is restored. During normal operation, the two 10 Gbps circuits are aggregated to provide the district a total of 20 Gbps.

End of Addendum No. 1