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2022-2023 E-rate Switch Project

Description	Extreme Part #	Qty
Extreme Networks 5420M 24port 802.3bt 90w PoE Switch (or equivalent)	5420M-24W-4YE	50
Extreme Networks 5420M Switch with 16 x 100Mb/1Gb/2.5Gb 802.3bt 90W PoE ports plus 32 x 10/100/1000BASE-T full/half duplex 30W PoE ports, includes 4 x 1/10/25Gb SFP28 uplink ports, 2 x Stacking/SFP-DD ports (or equivalent)	5420M-16MW-32P-4YE	600
Extreme Networks ExtremeCloud IQ Switch License (or equivalent)	XCIQ-PT054-C-EW-5YK12	650
Extreme Networks 920W AC PoE Power Supply (or equivalent)	XN-ACPWR-920W	650
Extreme Networks PWR CORD,15A,USA,NEMA5-15,C15 (or equivalent)	10099	650
Extreme Networks 20G Passive DAC SFPDD 1m (or equivalent)	20G-DACP-SFPDD1M	550
Extreme Networks 20G Passive DAC SFPDD 3m (or equivalent)	20G-DACP-SFPDD3M	60

Notes:

- This request is based on Extreme Networks products. The table above contains the Extreme Networks part numbers for reference. Proposed equipment must be highly equivalent to these Extreme Networks products.
- Pricing should be for hardware/software only and ***should not*** include setup/configuration or installation.
- OPSB reserves the right to adjust quantities depending on proposal results and the amount budgeted.
- Please include Louisiana State Contract information if applicable.
- Vendor shall invoice the district only for the non-discounted amounts due and simultaneously invoice the Universal Service Administrative Company for the balance.
- All proposals are due on or before March 22, 2021 at 10:00 AM CST. Proposals must be provided in electronic format and should be emailed to erate@opsb.net.
- Questions should be sent to erate@opsb.net. Questions and answers will be posted at https://www.opsb.net/213274_2

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Proposals will be evaluated using the following rubric:

1. **Cost of eligible equipment……..…….40 points**

   Cost of the e-rate eligible equipment in the proposal.

2. **Compatibility with district's existing devices……...…20 points**

   The district has spent significant resources to standardize our network devices. Therefore, compatibility with these existing devices is very important. Zero (0) points will be awarded for non-compatible devices, and twenty (20) points will be awarded for full compatibility.

3. **Product features and capabilities……..…..…20 points**

   All documented features and capabilities of the proposed devices will be evaluated and points awarded as such. Points will not be awarded for features and capabilities that are not included in the cost of the device as proposed.

4. **Louisiana state contract preference…….……..20 points**

   The district prefers to purchase using the Louisiana State Contract when possible. Zero (0) points will be awarded for proposals that *are not* based on the Louisiana State Contract, and twenty (20) points will be awarded for proposals that *are* based on the Louisiana State Contract.

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Questions & Answers:

- **Question:** The first listed switch is described as a 24 port switch, but the SKU listed 5420M-48W-4YE is for a 48 port switch. Need clarification on your requirements for this line item.

  Answer: The listed part number for "Extreme Networks 5420M 24port 802.3bt 90w PoE Switch (or equivalent)" was incorrect. It has been updated to reflect the correct part number (5420M-24W-4YE).

- **Question:** Contingent upon USAC funding, when does the district plan on making this purchase? Will it be in phases or all at once?

  Answer: We would most likely issue a purchase order for the full project on or after July 1, 2022 as soon as e-rate funding and our local budgets have been approved.

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Updates:

- 3/7/2022 – Updated the following item

Extreme Networks 5420M 24port 802.3bt 90w PoE Switch (or equivalent)	5420M-48W-4YE	50

to read

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because the originally listed part number was incorrect.

- 3/7/2022 – Questions & Answers section added
- 3/10/2022 – Question & Answers section updated