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1	Question:	800 drops CAT 6a total. Do you have a breakdown as to the counts at each school site?
	Answer:	Yes, we can get that.
2	Question:	Can you confirm if we are providing patch cords, if so, what length?
	Answer:	No
3	Clarification	Hosler Middle School Site Update
	Answer:	Hosler Middle School site will not be required for upgrading at all for this project and is removed from the list of school sites to be upgraded for this RFP.
4	Question:	Are you going to break up the installation within the three years with the Cabling and the Hardware?
	Answer:	The project is to be completed within 6-12 months.
5	Question:	So you requested an APC UPS's but you didn't mention a load needed
	Answer:	The load needed to maintain our equipment in the event of a power outage is at least 30-40 minutes.
6	Question:	Can you provide a picture or details of the current model that you currently have?
	Answer:	Participants took pictures during the initial walk through. See pictures attached as Exhibit 1, Exhibit 2 & Exhibit 3
7	Question:	How much battery run time is necessary?
	Answer:	At least 30-40 minutes
8	Question:	Related to SFP modules with the switches, is single mode or multi mode needed?
	Answer:	A Single Mode is required.
9	Question:	Related to the license of switches and access points, is a rubber central license required?
	Answer:	The district will purchase all equipment/licenses from RFP-selected vendor, one time purchase (3-Year License)
10	Question:	Related to a license, will a cloud license be considered?
	Answer:	The district will purchase all equipment/licenses from RFP-selected vendor, one time purchase (3-Year License)



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11	Question:	Is there a cable manufacturer that you want to use for this project?
	Answer:	We do not have a particular vendor. As long as the vendor meets the specs, that would suffice.
12	Question:	Is it possible to separate the AP quote from the cabling and just provide a cabling quote?
	Answer:	No, not possible. A quote for Cabling and Switches must be included together in one quote.
13	Question:	What color cable is required?
	Answer:	Green color cable is required
14	Question:	Is a cat 6A required?
	Answer:	Reference pg. 10 of the RFP document, Both Component A & B (Description/Notes)
15	Question:	Will site maps be provided?
	Answer:	Yes, we will provide the site maps to the awardee.
16	Question:	Is there a need for detailed pricing sheets?
	Answer:	Reference page 4, Section 1.1 Submission Deadline & Instructions, No. 6.
17	Question:	Who is configuring the new access points?
	Answer:	Lynwood Unified School District will configure the new access points.
18	Question:	Who will be configuring the UPS's?
	Answer:	The awarded contractor will be configuring the UPS's.
19	Clarification	Replacement of the APs
	Answer:	In regards to the replacement of the APs, we currently have labeling on the APs which is the device name. So that's something that we are going to require.
20	Clarification	AP replacement
	Answer:	We're replacing the AP with the same labeling that we have on our current agents.



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21	Question:	The Ap's and Switches require a license to function correctly but nothing is mentioned in the RFP about License or part numbers?
	Answer:	The district will purchase all equipment/licenses from RFP-selected vendor
22	Question:	Is the District going to purchase the Network equipment ALL upfront? If not, how do we handle price increases over the life of the contract?
	Answer:	The district will purchase all equipment/licenses from the RFP-selected vendor, one time purchase (3 Year License).
23	Question:	The RFP says: Daily Contractor Work Time Schedule: Monday through Friday/7:00 am - 9:00 pm is that just over summer break? What would be the work hours during the school year?
	Answer:	The hours during the school year would be after school lets out, 3:30pm-9:00pm.
24	Clarification	BID Bond Amount
	Answer:	BID Bond Amount must be 10% of the total amount proposed.
25	Question:	What is the anticipated Contract Time to complete the project?
	Answer:	6-12 Months from the start date.
26	Question:	Do we have to have a Bond for the equipment since it's being sent directly to you?
	Answer:	Yes, this is a public works project and labor, installation, equipment have been bundled together in this RFP
27	Question:	Can we just bond the cabling portion and drop ship the Ap's and Switches?
	Answer:	The entire project proposal bond amount should be based on the total project proposal fee to include equipment, labor, installation etc. This specific RFP is not a Labor Only contract for bonding.
28	Question:	Bid Components / E-Rate, Please clarify how Components A (UPS) and B (network cabling/switches) are to be bid and awarded. Can vendors bid A only, B only, or A+B together, and does E-Rate require cabling and switches to be bid as a single package?
	Answer:	Vendors can Bid A, B or A+B together. Only one RFP response can be submitted by the interested Companies.



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29	Question:	BID COMPONENTS, Please clarify if bidding A/B network cabling/switches the contractor is tasked to demo UPS only and will not provide and install any new UPS equipment?
	Answer:	If contractor is identified for project B only (cabling/APs), they will not worry about the UPS equipment (Project A) as it would be awarded to another contractor.
30	Question:	AP/ Switch Configuration Responsibility, Please confirm whether Lynwood USD Technology will perform all logical configuration of the new HP 6300 switches and Aruba APs (VLANs, SSIDs, security policies, routing, etc.), with the contractor responsible for physical installation, cabling, patching, labeling, and basic connectivity testing only?
	Answer:	Lynwood USD Technology will perform the logical configuration of the switches and APs.
31	Question:	AP MAC / Location Documentation, Please confirm that the contractor must record and submit MAC addresses and physical locations (site, building, room/area) for each new or swapped AP and indicate any preferred spreadsheet format/fields.
	Answer:	Contractor will need to log the name of the AP, location, patch panel port connected to, and MAC address of the new AP
32	Question:	AP Naming / Labeling, Should new APs carry the same device name / labeling convention as the APs being replaced, and is the contractor responsible for updating physical labels to match District standards?
	Answer:	Yes, the contractor will be required to relabel the new AP with the same name as the old AP.
33	Question:	UPS INFORMATION/RUNTIME REQUIREMENTS, Please provide make/model and photos/specs of the existing UPS units and confirm required runtimes and acceptable battery technology (e.g., VRLA vs. lithium).
	Answer:	Required runtime would be 45-50 minutes
34	Question:	UPS Scope When Bidding A & B Together: If a vendor bids both Components A and B, does the scope include demo/disposal of the existing District Office UPS only, or other sites as well, and will the new UPS equipment be furnished under this contract or by others?
	Answer:	Project A (UPS) is for the removal, disposal of two UPSs (Datacenter 1 and Datacenter 2); and for the purchase, installation of two new UPS under this contract.



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35	Question:	Interior AP Installation Responsibility, For interior APs, please confirm whether the contractor or District IT will mount, cable, and patch the AP hardware.
	Answer:	The vendor will mount, cable and patch the AP
36	Question:	EXTERIOR AP INSTALLATION RESPONSIBILITY, For exterior APs, please confirm whether the contractor or District IT will be responsible for mounting, weather-proofing, cabling, and patching, and whether any special enclosures or hardware are required.
	Answer:	The contractor will be responsible for mounting, weather-proofing, cabling and patching. In the gym areas a cage will be required to protect the AP
37	Question:	USE OF ON SITE STORAGE, Will contractors be allowed to use school site storage rooms or other secure spaces for material and tool storage during the project? If yes, please note any limitations.
	Answer:	Yes, a designated area will be available to you
38	Question:	CONDUIT ALLOWANCE-EXTERIOR APS, Does the District have a standard conduit footage per exterior AP that should be used for estimating, or should conduit be based solely on actual field routing?
	Answer:	Conduit should be based on actual field routing
39	Question:	PLASTIC RACEWAY-INTERIOR APS, Does the District have a typical plastic raceway footage per interior AP it wants used for estimating, and are there any preferred raceway types/brands/colors?
	Answer:	District does not have raceway footage per interior. Raceway should be standard beige or white in color
40	Question:	STANDARDS CABLE LENGTH PER AP, To support consistent bidding, will the District provide a standard or typical horizontal cable length per AP (interior and exterior) to be used in estimates? Are we installing one (1) Cat6A cable per AP location?
	Answer:	Interior AP's in classrooms will use existing data drop in the ceiling. Additional drops will be installed by vendor. The cabling will be 6a.
41	Question:	LABELING STANDARDS, Please confirm that all labeling (APs, cabling, jacks, patch panels) should match existing District standards and provide any available labeling guidelines.



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	Answer:	Yes, new labels should match existing label naming conventions on the old AP. Labels should be the same color scheme and font size
42	Question:	AP SWAP LOG REQUIREMENTS, For AP replacements, please confirm the required fields for the swap log (e.g., old AP name/location, new AP MAC, serial number, new location).
	Answer:	AP Name, Room Location, Mac Address, Port Number
43	Question:	E-RATE ELIGIBILITY, Please confirm if the district office and the community adult school are E-rate ineligible or in -eligible?
	Answer:	The District Office is Erate eligible. The Community Adult School is not Erate eligible.
44	Question:	PRICING SHEET, If requesting detailed pricing sheets, we are to separate the network equipment and access points from the cabling portion. Will e-rate ineligible need their own pricing sheets?
	Answer:	Yes, E-RATE eligible will need their own pricing document .

End of Addendum 003