E-RATE Year 19 (2017-2018) REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL 470 # 170048705

Anderson Union High School District Network Electronics Question and Answers

Q: Can you please forward the RFP and any relevant details including any Addendums, all hardware and installation requirements?

A: The RFP and any related documents are and will be posted to the EPC website and at the district's website as indicated in the Form 470. http://www.auhsd.net/RequestsforProposal.aspx and https://portal.usac.org/suite/

Q: Do you require a contractor's license to bid on the above mentioned project?

A: No. There will be no installation portion of this bid. We will need:

- 1. Service Provider's SPIN number
- 2. Service Provider's FCC Registration Number (FRN)
- 3. "Equipment list" completely filled in

Q: Just wondering if you're only accepting bids for APC, or if you're open to similar manufacturers also?

A: APC or equivalent. Vendors have the option and can feel free to submit more than one proposal if they offer multiple products.

Q: What are the current tax rates for each school?

A: 8.0%.

Q: Will these UPS units be managed and monitored using any type of APC or 3rd party software? If so, what software product and version is being used.

A: There has been no thought given to a centralized managed platform. Such a platform may or may not be e-rate eligible. Feel free to include a software product as part of the proposal. The cost of the product will *not* be included in the comparison to other bids. We will compare all bids equally.

Q: Is the district interested in any temperature/humidity sensors for connecting to the requested UPS units?

A: Not at this time. Our MDFs all currently have temperature sensors, and we were not planning on adding any to IDFs. Again, feel free to include sensors as part of the proposal. The cost of the sensors will *not* be included in the comparison to other bids. We will compare all bids equally.