QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS E-Rate proposal 470 250007072-Management and Orchestration Console

The following questions have been submitted concerning the E-Rate proposal shown above. All questions received by the posted deadline of 5:00 PM, CST, Friday, December 6, 2024 are provided verbatim from what was received and have been answered, which are highlighted.

It will be the responsibility of the Responder to determine what, if any, information from the Questions and Answers provided herein will be applicable in the submission of a proposal. As stated in Section V (Evaluation Criteria), Letter C (Proposal Evaluation Process and District's Rights and Reservations): "The submission of a proposal will be prima facie evidence that the Responder has full knowledge of the scope, nature, quantity and quality of work to be performed; the detailed requirements of the specifications; and the conditions under which the work is to be performed."

Addendum #1 to the Proposal has been issued and the Opening Date remains unchanged.

Question #1:

Is this solution on-premises or in the cloud? Does Escambia County School District have a preference?

Answer #1:

This request is for the cloud solution.

Question #2:

To truly be able to provide an alternative (equivalent) offering for USAC purposes, can you provide the model numbers to existing equipment to truly provide an equivalent offering so the matching subscription licensing can be viewed as a whole with regards to Section IX price proposal.

Answer #2:

Sufficient information is provided on page 19 of the Form 470 Acknowledgement Form under the Existing Equipment section.

Question #3:

Reviewing the 470's the district has released as I plan to submit a bid – are these all separate/different? 250007072 was posted on 11/26 and the other 4 were posted previous to that date. Would you require separate proposal submissions for each 470?

Answer #3:

Each RFP is different and will require a separate response that follows the submission requirements stated in Section IV (Submission Requirements). RFP 470 250003485 has been cancelled and replaced with RFP 470 250007072.