

FCC Form 470 - Funding Year 2016

Form 470 Application Number: 160030603 ALJP2016LSPAN SMC

Billed Entity

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Billed Entity Number: 128090

FCC Registration Number: 0011690674

Application Type

Applicant Type: Consortium **Statewide State:** AL

Recipients of Services: Juvenile Justice; Main Branch; New

Construction Library; New Construction School

Contact Information

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Number of Eligible Entities: 1727

Statewide Application Represents: All public schools/

districts in the state; All libraries in the state

Consulting Firms

Name	Consultant	Phone	Email
	Registration Number	Number	

Consultants

Name		Phone Number	Email
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RFPs

Id	Name
13082	ALJP2016LSPAN
13083	ALJP2016LSPAN SMC

Category One Service Requests

								Installation	Maintenance	
			Minimum	Maximum				and Initial	and Technical	
Service Type	Function	Other	Capacity	Capacity	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Configuration?	Support?	Associated RFPs
Internet Access and/or	Transport Only - No ISP		100 Mbps	10 Gbps	1727	1727	Circuits	Yes	Yes	13082, 13083
Telecommunications	Service Included									
Internet Access and/or	Self-provisioning		Detailed	Detailed	1727	Detailed	Detailed	Yes	Yes	13082, 13083
Telecommunications			in RFP	in RFP		in RFP	in RFP			

Description of Other Functions

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	Id	Name			

Narrative

This ITB/Form 470 will result in State Master Contracts for both Fully Managed Lit Fiber Services and equivalent Fully Manage Self Provisioning of Fiber. These services will be available for all school districts and their schools as well as all public libraries for a period of 5 years beginning July 1, 2016. We expect there will be multiple providers for the services requested.

Interested vendors must follow the instructions indicated in the attached Invitation to Bid ALJP2016LSPAN.pdf and the accompanying spreadsheet for details. All questions concerning this ITB and Form 470 must be through our online website available at http://aljp.alsde.edu. Calls or emails concerning ITB content will not be accepted. General Contractor's License is required along with other requirement that are stated within the ITB document.

Installment Payment Plan

Range of Years: 1 - 4 Years Payment Type: Monthly

Category Two Service Requests

							Installation	
							and Initial	
Service Type	Function	Manufacturer	Other	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Configuration?	Associated RFPs

Description of Other Manufacturers

<u> </u>	of Other Manufacturers
Id	Name
Narrative	

Technical Contact

State and Local Procurement Restrictions

This ITB is subject to the Code of Alabama 1975 State Bid Laws located at http://alisondb.legislature.state.al.us/alison/codeofalabama/1975/coatoc.htm . Specifically within Title 41 Chapter 16, Title 16 Chapter 13B and Chapter 61E.

Recipients of Service

Billed Entity Number	Billed Entity Name
128090	ALABAMA STATE DEPT OF EDUC

Certifications

I certify that the applicant includes:

I certify that the applicant includes schools under the statutory definitions of elementary and secondary schools found in the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, 20 U.S.C. §§ 7801 (18) and (38), that do not operate as for-profit businesses, and do not have endowments exceeding \$50 million.

I certify that the applicant includes libraries or library consortia eligible for assistance from a State library administrative agency under the Library Services and Technology Act of 1996 that do not operate as for-profit businesses and whose budgets are completely separate from any schools (including, but not limited to elementary and secondary schools, colleges, and universities).

Other Certifications

I certify that this FCC Form 470 and any applicable RFP will be available for review by potential bidders for at least 28 days before considering all bids received and selecting a service provider. I certify that all bids submitted will be carefully considered and the bid selected will be for the most cost-effective service or equipment offering, with price being the primary factor, and will be the most cost-effective means of meeting educational needs and technology goals.

I certify that I will retain required documents for a period of at least 10 years (or whatever retention period is required by the rules in effect at the time of this certification) after the later of the last day of the applicable funding year or the service delivery deadline for the associated funding request. I certify that I will retain all documents necessary to demonstrate compliance with the statute and Commission rules regarding the form for, receipt of, and delivery of services receiving schools and libraries discounts. I acknowledge that I may be audited pursuant to participation in the schools and libraries program.

I acknowledge that support under this support mechanism is conditional upon the school(s) and/or library(ies) I represent securing access, separately or through this program, to all of the resources, including computers, training, software, internal connections, maintenance, and electrical capacity necessary to use the services purchased effectively.

I certify that I have reviewed all applicable FCC, state, and local procurement/competitive bidding requirements and that I have complied with them. I acknowledge that persons willfully making false statements on this form may be punished by fine or forfeiture, under the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

I acknowledge that FCC rules provide that persons who have been convicted of criminal violations or held civilly liable for certain acts arising from their participation in the schools and libraries support mechanism are subject to suspension and debarment from the program.

NOTICE:

In accordance with Section 54.503 of the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission") rules, certain schools and libraries ordering services that are eligible for and seeking universal service discounts must file this Description of Services Requested and Certification Form (FCC Form 470) with the Universal Service Administrator. 47 C.F.R. § 54.503. The collection of information stems from the Commission's authority under Section 254 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. 47 U.S.C. § 254. The data in the report will be used to ensure that schools and libraries comply with the competitive bidding requirement contained in 47 C.F.R. § 54.503. Schools and libraries must file this form themselves or as part of a consortium.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The FCC is authorized under the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, to collect the information requested in this form. We will use the information you provide to determine whether you have complied with the competitive bidding requirements applicable to requests for universal service discounts. If we believe there may be a violation or a potential violation of any applicable statute, regulation, rule or order, the information you provide in this form may be referred to the Federal, state, or local agency responsible for investigating, prosecuting, enforcing, or implementing the statute, rule, regulation or order. In certain cases, the information you provide in this form may be disclosed to the Department of Justice or a court or adjudicative body when (a) the FCC; or (b) any employee of the FCC; or (c) the United States Government is a party of a proceeding before the body or has an interest in the proceeding. In addition, information provided in or submitted with this form, or in response to subsequent inquiries, may also be subject to disclosure consistent with the Communications Act of 1934, FCC regulations, the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, or other applicable law.

If you owe a past due debt to the federal government, the information you provide in this form may also be disclosed to the Department of the Treasury Financial Management Service, other Federal agencies and/or your employer to offset your salary, IRS tax refund or other payments to collect that debt. The FCC may also provide the information to these agencies through the matching of computer records when authorized.

If you do not provide the information we request on the form, the FCC or Universal Service Administrator may return your form without action or deny a related request for universal service discounts.

The foregoing Notice is required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. No. 104-13, 44 U.S.C. § 3501, et seq.

Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average 3.5 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, completing, and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing the reporting burden to the Federal Communications Commission, Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Washington, DC 20554. We also will accept your comments via the email if you send them to PRA@FCC.gov. DO NOT SEND COMPLETED WORKSHEETS TO THESE ADDRESSES.

Authorized Person

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