



FCC Form 470 – Funding Year 2026

Form 470 Application Number: 260021333
 470-2026-BLSD-C2-IC-District Switches & Installation

Billed Entity

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Billed Entity Number: 129858
FCC Registration Number: 0003020583

Number of Eligible Entities: 2

Application Type

Applicant Type: School District
Recipients of Services: Public School; Public School District

Consulting Firms

Name	Consultant Registration Number	Phone Number	Email

RFPS

ID	Name

Category One Service Requests

Service Type	Function	Function Other Description	Minimum Capacity	Maximum Capacity	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Installation and Initial Configuration?	Associated RFPs

Description of Other Functions

ID	Name

Narrative

Category Two Service Requests

Service Type	Function	Manufacturer	Manufacturer Other Description	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Installation and Initial Configuration?	Associated RFPs
Internal Connections	Switches and Necessary Software and Licenses	Cisco Systems or equivalent			36	Each	Yes	

Description of Other Manufacturers

ID	Name
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Narrative
<p>Internal Connections District-Wide Switching Infrastructure Refresh</p> <p>Bright Local Schools is seeking proposals for a district-wide refresh of wired network infrastructure under Category Two Internal Connections.</p> <p>The district is requesting a one (1) year contract for the procurement and installation of eligible internal connections equipment and associated services.</p> <p>Requested equipment includes, but is not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 fiber-capable aggregation/core switch, 24-port, minimum 25Gb capability Cisco C9300X-24Y (or equivalent) 7 48-port multi-gigabit access switches, suitable for IDF/TR closet deployment Cisco C9300-48UXM (or equivalent) 7 compatible 8-port 10Gb SFP+ uplink/expansion modules Cisco C9300-NM-8X (or equivalent) 21 standard 48-port PoE+ access switches Cisco C9300-48P (or equivalent) 28 stacking components compatible with the proposed switching solution Cisco Stack-T1-1M (or equivalent) 10 10Gb SFP+ single-mode optical transceivers Cisco compatible SM 10Gb SFP+ (or equivalent) 10 10Gb SFP+ multi-mode optical transceivers Cisco compatible MM 10Gb SFP+ (or equivalent) 10 LC-LC single-mode fiber patch cables 10 LC-LC multi-mode fiber patch cables <p>Vendor must provide pricing for equipment and installation/configuration services as separate line items. Eligible and ineligible components must be clearly identified and separated.</p> <p>Installation services may include removal of existing equipment being replaced, rack reorganization necessary for installation of new equipment, cable management directly associated with installation, labeling, testing, and cutover support. Any work beyond what is required for installation must be clearly identified and separated as ineligible.</p> <p>Proposed solutions must interoperate with the existing network environment or include a clearly defined transition plan. Vendors must identify any operational impacts or additional requirements necessary to support the proposed solution.</p> <p>Equivalent manufacturers will be considered. Bright Local Schools reserves the right to award all, part, or none of the proposal.</p>

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State and Local Procurement Restrictions

1. Procurement Compliance

Bright Local Schools will conduct this procurement in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local procurement requirements, including E-Rate competitive bidding rules.

Price of eligible products and services will be the most heavily weighted evaluation factor.

The district reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to award the contract in whole or in part in accordance with district procurement policies.

2. Communication Requirements

All questions and communications regarding this Form 470 must be submitted in writing to the district contact listed in EPC.

Verbal communications, informal discussions, or contact with other district personnel regarding this procurement are not permitted and will not be considered part of the official bidding process.

Responses to material questions may be shared with all prospective bidders to ensure a fair and open competitive process.

Service providers are responsible for monitoring EPC for updates or clarifications related to this request.

3. Mandatory Site Visit

Vendors intending to submit a proposal must participate in a mandatory site visit prior to submitting a bid. The purpose of the site visit is to review existing rack conditions, equipment layout, and installation requirements associated with the district-wide switching infrastructure refresh.

Site visit scheduling information will be provided upon request. Vendors must sign an attendance sheet during the visit. Proposals from vendors that do not attend the mandatory site visit will not be considered.

No additional site visits will be granted outside of the scheduled time unless offered to all prospective bidders.

4. Proposal Requirements

Proposals must:

Provide a valid SPIN (or documentation that a SPIN has been applied for).

Itemize equipment and installation/configuration costs separately.

Clearly identify eligible and ineligible components.

Include only new equipment with manufacturer warranty.

Demonstrate interoperability with the districts existing network environment or provide documentation of functional equivalency if proposing alternative equipment.

Pricing must remain valid through contract award.

5. Disqualifying Factors

Proposals may be disqualified for:

Failure to attend the mandatory site visit.

Failure to provide a valid SPIN (or documentation of application).

Failure to itemize equipment and installation costs separately.

Proposal of used or refurbished equipment.

Failure to demonstrate interoperability or functional equivalency if proposing alternative equipment.

Vendor in Red Light Status with the FCC or delinquent on federal or state debt.

Failure to meet the submission deadline.

Billed Entities

Billed Entity Number	Billed Entity Name
129858	BRIGHT LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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.

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 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.

I certify that the services the applicant purchases at discounts provided by 47 U.S.C. § 254 will be used primarily for educational purposes, see 47 C.F.R. § 54.500, and will not be sold, resold or transferred in consideration for money or any other thing of value, except as permitted by the Commission’s rules at 47 C.F.R. § 54.513. Additionally, I certify that the entity or entities listed on this form have not received anything of value or a promise of anything of value, other than services and equipment sought by means of this form, from the service provider, or any representative or agent thereof or any consultant in connection with this request for services.

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 recognize that some of the aforementioned resources are not eligible for support. I certify that I have considered what financial resources should be available to cover these costs. I certify that I am authorized to procure eligible services for the eligible entity(ies). I certify that I am authorized to submit this

request on behalf of the eligible entity(ies) listed on this form, that I have examined this request, and to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, all statements of fact contained herein are true.

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.

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