

RFP 270000846 - Lockney ISD

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Q&A Close Date:

10/14/2026 10:00:00 AM CST

Bid Criteria

Purchasing decisions will be based on the following criteria:

Criteria	Points
Price of Eligible Service/Product	30
Reputation of Vendor	25
Quality of vendor's service/product	20
Service/product meets school needs	15
Past relationship with vendor	5
Total long term cost to the school	5

RFP Requirements

Addendum #1: (10/14/2026) The Q&A for this RFP has closed and the final Q&A transcript has been uploaded into EPC as of 10/14/2026.

All proposals need to be submitted through this system to be accepted. No phone calls concerning this application will be accepted. All communication about this RFP will only be provided via the Q&A section of this RFP in which questions and answers will be posted publicly. Responses received after the stated deadline may be deemed non-responsive. All vendors must comply with Texas Education Agency [Financial Accountability](#) Guidelines found in Module 5: Purchasing.

Specific Requirements:

- All proposals should be received by the Bid Close Date. Any offer, modification, revision, or withdrawal of an offer received after this Close Date may not be considered unless it is determined that an untimely submission was due to circumstances beyond the vendors control, a consideration of the offer would be in the best interest of the applicant, or the offer is the only proposal received.
- For all of the items/services listed in this Request for Proposal, please consider services that are equivalent, more/less in quantity, better and/or more cost effective when submitting proposals.
- If installation is requested, then installation must be included with the equipment and/or service requested. Otherwise, the bid may be considered non-responsive.
- All equipment on this request is for owned equipment. Unless otherwise stated, any leased equipment responses may be deemed non-responsive.
- In the event that no bids are received in a certain service category, we may solicit cost-effective bids after the Bid Close Date.
- If special construction charges apply, please include the option for installment payments of up to 4 years for the applicants non-discounted share.

- ### Requested Services and/or Equipment

Function	Type of Connection	Type of Transport	Min Capacity	Max Capacity	Quantity	Install & Activation & Initial Config	Maint & Tech Support
Leased Lit Fiber - Internet Access	Ethernet	Fiber	500 Mbps	1 Gbps	1	Yes	Yes

Seeking quotes for fully managed, leased lit fiber (Internet Access) solution with bandwidth options ranging from approximately 500 Mbps to 1 Gbps, terminating at Lockney Junior High (DEMARC) for all District locations to share. Please bid in increments of 500 Mbps, 600 Mbps, 700 Mbps, 800 Mbps, 900 Mbps, and 1 Gbps. The district is interested in bids for 1, 3, and 5-year terms, with voluntary extensions and the option to increase the bandwidth throughout the term of the contract.***Please complete the attached form "Lockney_2027_C1 Vendor attachment" when submitting a bid.***

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Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections

Function	Manufacturer	Install & Config	Quantity	Support Hours	Campus
Software & Licenses - UPS	CyberPower or Equivalent	No	6	0.00	Multiple Locations
Software and licenses supporting all relevant components requested used to distribute high-speed broadband throughout school buildings.					

Locations

DMARC?	Name	Address
No	Lockney AG Barn	802 E Hwy 70 Lockney, TX 79241
No	Lockney Elementary School	310 SW 8th Street Lockney, TX 79241-0127
No	Lockney High School	410 SW 4th Street Lockney, TX 79241-1058
Yes	Lockney Junior High School - DMARC	406 W. Willow Street Lockney, TX 79241-0550

Additional Information

This RFP has an attachment.

RFP Q&A

1. Is installation and configuration requested for the UPS units? The Install & Config column is blank for this line. 2. The GX1500U is a mini tower unit. Will the units sit on a shelf or the floor, or are they going into network racks, and would a rack mount 1500VA sine wave unit be accepted as an equivalent? 3. What equipment will each UPS support (switch models or approximate wattage), so we can confirm 900 W of capacity is sufficient? 4. Should the vendor remove and recycle the existing UPS units or batteries? 5. The GX1500U includes its management software at no charge and has no separate license. Is the Basic Maintenance software and licenses line expected to carry a cost, or is network (SNMP) management required? 6. Does the district plan to use SPI (discounted bills) or BEAR invoicing? asked on 10/8/2026 9:00:34 AM by DKInfraEdge LLC	1. Is installation and configuration requested for the UPS units? The Install & Config column is blank for this line. No install or config 2. The GX1500U is a mini tower unit. Will the units sit on a shelf or the floor, or will they go into network racks, and would a rack-mount 1500VA sine wave unit be accepted as equivalent? 2 will be on the floor, 4 will be installed in a rack. A rack mount replacement is acceptable. 3. What equipment will each UPS support (switch models or approximate wattage), so we can confirm 900 W of capacity is sufficient? 900W is not sufficient 4. Should the vendor remove and recycle the existing UPS units or batteries? yes 5. The GX1500U includes its management software at no charge and has no separate license. Is the Basic Maintenance software and licenses line expected to carry a cost, or is network (SNMP) management required? No software licenses are required. This language originates from USAC's official "Function" category on Form 470, and we included it in the RFP to align directly with our Form 470 filing. 6. Does the district plan to use SPI (discounted bills) or BEAR invoicing? BEAR
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Thank you for the answers. On item 3 you noted that 900 W is not sufficient. What load in watts, or what equipment, should each UPS support, and how many minutes of runtime are needed? Is the same size needed at all six locations (2 on the floor, 4 in a rack)? With that we can propose the right equivalent to the GX1500U.

asked on 10/8/2026 7:05:35 PM by DKInfraEdge LLC

1. Each main UPS must support a minimum capacity of 1000W. Required runtime is ideally 1 hour, though any solution providing at least 15 minutes of uptime is acceptable. 2. No, power and runtime requirements vary by location: a. Main Office (4 units): Minimum 1000W capacity per unit, with 15 minutes to 1 hour of runtime. b. High School Closet (1 unit): Supports a single Meraki MS-130 switch (max draw ~30W). 15 minutes to 1 hour of runtime. c. Junior High Closet (1 unit): Supports 3 switches (~100W–300W load). 15 minutes to 1 hour of runtime.

Attachments

- Lockney_2027_C1 Vendor attachment.xlsx