



FCC Form 470 – Funding Year 2027

Form 470 Application Number: 270000894

FY27_Citrus County_C2 Switches

Billed Entity

CITRUS COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
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CITRUS
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Billed Entity Number: 127864

FCC Registration Number: 0012227559

Number of Eligible Entities: 28

Application Type

Applicant Type: School District

Recipients of Services: Adult Education; Charter School; Charter School District; General-Use School; Juvenile Justice; Public School; Public School District

Consulting Firms

Name	Consultant Registration Number	Phone Number	Email
E-Rate Central	16060891	516-801-7800	info@e-ratecentral.com

Consultants

Name	Phone Number	Email
Lyell Walker	516-801-7842	lwalker@e-ratecentral.com
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William Weippert	516-801-7883	wweippert@centraled.com

RFPS

ID	Name
233939	Citrus Core Switches RFP
233940	Core Switches RFP Proposal Price Form

Category One Service Requests

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

ID	Name
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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	Aruba or equivalent			60	Each	No	233939, 233940
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Switches	Aruba		23	60	Each		233939, 233940

Description of Other Manufacturers

ID	Name
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Narrative
See RFP

Technical Contact

State and Local Procurement Restrictions

1. EXECUTION OF BID SUBMITTALS: Respondents are expected to examine the specifications and all special and general conditions, requirements, and instructions. Negligence on the part of the Respondent to make the necessary examinations and investigations, visit appropriate site locations and become familiar with all locations covered under this solicitation, or failure to fulfill, in every detail, the requirements of the contract documents, will not be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of the CCSB or for paying additional compensation to the awarded Contractor. Failure to follow the instructions contained in the solicitation for completion of a Bid response is cause for rejection of a Bid submittal. Failure to do so will be at the Respondent's risk.

All Bid submittals must include the signature of an officer or employee having authority to bind the Contractor in the space(s) provided. Respondent must return a complete bid submittal including, but not limited to, the executed Bid Acknowledgement Form and all other required forms, documents, etc. as a complete submittal to be considered. Failure to execute and submit a complete Bid submittal may result in rejection of a Bid. All Bid submittals are subject to the terms, conditions, and specifications herein as released by CCSB or amended by issued addendum and those submittals which do not comply shall be rejected. Submission of alternate documents, other than as included and/or requested in the current solicitation will cause your Bid to be nonresponsive. Any correction made by the Respondent to any entry must be initialed by the person signing the submittal. Any corrections not initialed will not be tabulated. Prior to Bid opening, errors may be crossed out, corrections entered and initialed by the person signing the submittal. No submittals shall be altered or amended after the specified time for opening

2. SUBMISSION: A complete Bid document must be executed and received electronically online or in hand by the Purchasing Department no later than the due date and time indicated in this solicitation or as amended via issued addendum by Purchasing. (DO NOT INCLUDE MORE THAN ONE BID SUBMITTAL PER ONLINE SUBMISSION OR ENVELOPE / PACKAGE). The Company Name, Company Address, Contact Person Name, Phone Number, Solicitation Number, Title, and the Date and Time of Bid opening shall be clearly displayed on the cover sheet for online submission or on the outside of the sealed envelope / package (label provided EXHIBIT E-1). Bid responses not submitted on the attached Bid forms shall be rejected. The timely delivery of responses to the Citrus County School Board Purchasing Department prior to the specified due date and time is solely and strictly the responsibility of the Respondent. Submittals sent by electronic mail, facsimile machine, telephone, or any other means not specified herein shall be rejected. LATE SUBMITTALS WILL BE REJECTED.

Electronic Submission: Bids for this solicitation will be accepted electronically online through www.myvendorlink.com. It is the sole responsibility of the Respondent to ensure that their Bid response is successfully submitted through VendorLink prior to the due date and time indicated. The Respondent is responsible for allowing adequate time to upload their submittal on VendorLink. If technical difficulties arise during submission of the Bid response, it is the Respondents responsibility to contact VendorLink technical support at support@evendorlink.com. The CCSB shall not be responsible for delays caused in any occurrence. Acceptable file formats for upload are Microsoft Excel (.xls or .xlsx), Portable Document Format (.pdf), or .ZIP file formats and printing must be enabled on all files submitted. Once the Bid response is submitted, a confirmation email will be sent with the number and name of the documents uploaded.

3. PRE-SOLICITATION MEETING/SITE VISIT: N/A

4. REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: Any and all questions concerning this solicitation must be submitted no later than Tuesday, October 6, 2026 @ 12:00 PM. Please direct all inquiries concerning this solicitation online via VendorLink at www.myvendorlink.com by viewing bid details and clicking on Ask a Question. Respondents submitting questions by phone, email or other means will be directed to post their question(s) online at www.myvendorlink.com.

Billed Entities

Billed Entity Number	Billed Entity Name
127864	CITRUS COUNTY 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.

Authorized Person

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Certified Timestamp

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