



FCC Form 470 – Funding Year 2027

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SAILS 470 FY28-30 Internet

Billed Entity

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Billed Entity Number: 17003109

FCC Registration Number: 0011613668

Number of Eligible Entities: 32

Application Type

Applicant Type: Consortium

Recipients of Services: Main Branch; Public Library;
Public Library System

Consulting Firms

Name	Consultant Registration Number	Phone Number	Email
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RFPS

ID	Name
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Category One Service Requests

Service Type	Function	Function Other Description	Minimum Capacity	Maximum Capacity	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Installation and Initial Configuration?	Associated RFPs
Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	Standalone Data Transmission Service		300 Mbps	1 Gbps	23	23	Each	No	

Description of Other Functions

ID	Name
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Narrative

The SAILS Library Network is seeking telecommunications services for 23 libraries. Minimum line speed should be 300 Mbps and maximum should be 1 Gbps. The lines are for telecommunications only, connecting the libraries to the main computer via VPN connections established either through a Fortinet firewall or FortiClient VPN client. Each line should have a fixed IP address. SAILS will accept proposals for a multi-year contract of service providing the network may choose to increase bandwidth for all or some of the libraries at any point in the contract period. If a bandwidth upgrade is requested mid-contract the term length does not reset or renew. Preference will be given for contracts allowing for a cancellation of service without penalty.

All solutions must include installation and initial configuration (if needed) and a method to report service outages and receive basic technical support without additional service fees. Vendor must provide the ability to provide telephone support 24 X 7 and provide on site technical support and service 7 days a week from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. at library sites.

Library Name

Street Address

City

Phone

SAILS - Attleboro Public Library

74 N Main St

Attleboro

(508) 222-0157

SAILS - Berkley Public Library

3 N Main St

Berkley

(508) 822-3329

SAILS - Bridgewater Public Library

15 South Street

Bridgewater

(508) 697-3331

SAILS - Carver Public Library

2 Meadowbrook Way

Carver

(508) 866-3415

SAILS - Easton - Main

53 North Main St

Easton

(508) 238-2000

SAILS - Fiske Library

110 Randall Rd

Wrentham

(508) 384-5440

SAILS - Foxboro Boyden Library

10 Bird St

Foxboro

(508) 543-1245

SAILS - Hanson Public Library

132 Maquan St

Hanson

(781) 293-2151

SAILS - Lakeville Free Public Library
4 Precinct Street
Lakeville
(508) 947-9028

SAILS - Mansfield Public Library
255 Hope St.
Mansfield
(508) 261-7380

SAILS - Marion Elizabeth Taber Library
8 Spring St
Marion
(508) 748-1252

SAILS - Mattapoisett Public Library
7 Barstow St
Mattapoisett
(508) 758-4171

SAILS - Middleboro Public Library
102 N Main St
Middleboro
(508) 946-2470

SAILS - Norfolk Public Library
139 Main St
Norfolk
(508) 528-3380

SAILS - Norton Public Library
68 E Main St
Norton
(508) 285-0265

SAILS - Pembroke Public Library
142 Center St
Pembroke
(781) 293-6771

SAILS - Plympton Public Library
248 Main St
Plympton
(781) 585-4551

SAILS - Rochester Joseph Plumb Memorial Library
17 Constitution Way
Rochester
(508) 763-8600

SAILS - Seekonk Public Library
410 Newman Ave
Seekonk
(508) 336-8230

SAILS - Somerset Public Library
1464 County Street
Somerset
(508) 646-2829

SAILS - Swansea Public Library
69 Main St
Swansea
(508) 674-9609

SAILS - Taunton Public Library
12 Pleasant St.
Taunton
508-821-1410

SAILS - West Bridgewater Public Library
80 Howard St
West Bridgewater
(508) 894-1255

Category Two Service Requests

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

ID	Name
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Narrative

Technical Contact

State and Local Procurement Restrictions

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Billed Entities

Billed Entity Number	Billed Entity Name
17035808	S.A.I.L.S., Inc.

Billed Entity Number	Billed Entity Name
120747	RAYNHAM PUBLIC LIBRARY
120760	TAUNTON PUBLIC LIBRARY
120596	BRIDGEWATER PUBLIC LIBRARY
120597	CARVER PUBLIC LIBRARY
120610	MIDDLEBOROUGH PUBLIC LIBRARY
120505	NORFOLK PUBLIC LIBRARY
120618	AMES FREE LIBRARY OF EASTON
120636	WEST BRIDGEWATER PUB LIBRARY
120724	SOMERSET PUBLIC LIBRARY
120522	FISKE PUBLIC LIBRARY
120749	JOSEPH H PLUMB MEM LIBRARY
17005588	Fall River Public Library
120751	SEEKONK PUBLIC LIBRARY
120745	NORTON PUBLIC LIBRARY
120629	PLYMPTON PUBLIC LIBRARY
17005613	New Bedford Free Public Library
120494	MANSFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY
120619	PEMBROKE LIBRARY
120741	PLAINVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY
120755	BERKLEY PUBLIC LIBRARY
120709	ATTLEBORO PUBLIC LIBRARY
120726	MATTAPOISETT PUBLIC LIBRARY
120607	TOWN OF HANSON/HANSON PUBLIC LIBRARY
120486	BOYDEN LIBRARY
120754	SWANSEA FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY
120725	ELIZABETH TABER MEMORIAL LIB
120612	LAKEVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Certifications

I certify that the applicant includes:

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, except for the limited case of Tribal colleges or universities, have budgets that 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 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.

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