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Northwest Structured Cabling and Network Cabinet Upgrade - Addendum 1

Question: The RFP specifies replacing the existing wall-mounted cabinets with floor-mounted 2-post racks, but the rack dimensions and other specifications are not provided. Could you please confirm the required rack height, depth, width, and any other specific requirements?
Answer: 45U, Steel, 6 inch Channel Depth, 20" wide

Question: The High School IDF 1 cabling is currently disorganized. Is part of the scope of this project to clean that up?
Answer: The RFP addresses this on page 20, "Cable bundles leading to the migrated patch panels must be neatly combed, dressed, and routed through cable managers. No cables should block access to active equipment, power outlets, or exhaust fans. Cable bundles shall be dressed to the sides in order to provide full cabinet depth for equipment.."

Question: Is Abatement of any replaced cabling included in the project?
Answer: Yes it is, and the requirements are addressed in the RFP.

Question: The RFP does not request specific equipment manufacturers, is there a preference?
Answer: Industry standard, reputable, quality products are requested.

Question: At the Middle school, the rack for IDF-C cannot accommodate a traditional fiber tray. How should that be handled?
Answer: A wall mounted enclosure.

Question: During the walkthrough it was noted that the two-post rack is not bolted to the floor. Should we include this in our response?
Answer: Yes.

Question: During the walkthrough, we discussed the upgrade of fiber optic cable for IDF 2 at the High School, but it is missing from the RFP. Should we include pricing for this?
Answer: This was left off in error. Please include pricing, including on the Pricing Summary table, for a 12 strand single mode fiber cable between the High School IDF2 and the MDF. Also include the abatement of the existing multimode fiber optic cable.