RFP 270002550 - Burnet CISD

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Bid Criteria

Purchasing decisions will be based on the following criteria:

Criteria	Points
Price of Eligible service/product	25
Service/product meets school needs	20
Quality of vendor's service/product	15
Reputation of vendor and of vendor's service/product	10
Past relationship with vendor	10
Total long term cost to the school	20

RFP Requirements

Addendum #1: (11/9/2026) The Q&A for this RFP has closed and the final Q&A transcript has been uploaded into EPC as of **11/9/2026**.

Turnkey Solution: The district is requesting a turnkey solution on all items/services listed for Category 2 in this RFP. Any Bid responses without a turnkey solution may be deemed non-responsive.

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.
- All contracts are contingent upon funding by the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) of the Universal Services Administrative Company (USAC) unless otherwise agreed upon by district.
- All pricing provided in the proposal should be in accordance with the Lowest Corresponding Price rule.
- Service providers may include contingency fees in their bid responses if they deem it a necessary item and the fees are reasonable and a regular business practice. These fees should be included based on the situation/circumstances to provide the service/products. These charges should be separate from any other charges and clearly listed in the proposal. The fees will only be paid if the service/products are completed.
- Proposers should separate the cost of eligible services/products from non-eligible services/products and clearly indicate this separation on the proposal.
- When Software and Licenses are requested, Proposer should identify if it is a Managed License or Internal Connections.
- Proposer must be in good standing with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and does not have a red-light status. If there is a red-light status, the contract will become null and void without penalty to the applicant.
- Proposers will be held responsible for complying with all E-Rate program rules. No gifts shall be offered or accepted by the applicant at any time.
- All submitted bids should include contracts and the contracts should also include the option for voluntary extensions unless they are month to month services.
- Submitted bids should include scalability of bandwidth during the terms of the contract.
- A manufacturer's multi-year warranty for a period up to three years that is provided as an integral part of an eligible component, without a separately identifiable cost, may be included in the cost of the component.

Requested Services and/or Equipment

Internal Connections

Function	Mfg or Equivalent	Model	Quantity	Unit	Install & Config	Campus
Switches, Components, and Software & Licenses	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	USW-Aggregation	2	each	Yes	Multiple Locations
Approximately 2 or more switches (USW-Aggregation) or equivalent and all relevant components including installation and configuration and software and licenses for the following locations: 1 at the Shady Grove Elementary and 1 at RJ. Ritchey Elementary.						
Switches, Components, and Software & Licenses	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	USW-Pro-Max-48-PoE	9	each	Yes	Multiple Locations
Approximately 9 or more switches (USW-Pro-Max-48-PoE) or equivalent and all relevant components including installation and configuration and software and licenses for the following locations: 4 more or less at the Shady Grove Elementary and 5 more or less at RJ. Ritchey Elementary.						
Switches, Components, and Software & Licenses	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	USW-Pro-Max-24-PoE	6	each	Yes	Multiple Locations
Approximately 6 or more switches (USW-Pro-Max-24-PoE) or equivalent and all relevant components including installation and configuration and software and licenses for the following locations: 2 more or less at the Shady Grove Elementary and 4 more or less at RJ. Ritchey Elementary.						
WAPs, Components, and Software & Licenses	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	Unifi U7-PRO	95	each	Yes	Multiple Locations
Approximately 95 or more Wireless Access Points (Unifi U7-PRO) or equivalent and all related components including installation and configuration and software and licenses for the following locations: 55 more or less at the Shady Grove Elementary and 40 more or less at RJ. Ritchey Elementary. Bids must include all components, cabling, software and licenses to make the service work.						

Function	Mfg or Equivalent	Model	Quantity	Unit	Install & Config	Campus
WAPs, Components, and Software & Licenses	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	Unifi U7 Pro Outdoor	5	each	Yes	Multiple Locations
Approximately 5 or more Wireless Access Points (Unifi U7 Pro Outdoor) or equivalent and all related components including installation and configuration and software and licenses for the following locations: 3 more or less at the Shady Grove Elementary and 2 more or less at RJ. Ritchey Elementary. Bids must include all components, cabling, software and licenses to make the service work.						

Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections

Function	Manufacturer	Install & Config	Quantity	Support Hours	Campus
Software & Licenses - Switches	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	No	17	0.00	Multiple Locations
Software and licenses supporting all relevant components requested used to distribute high-speed broadband throughout school buildings.					
Software & Licenses - WAPs	Ubiquiti or Equivalent	No	100	0.00	Multiple Locations
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Locations

DMARC?	Name	Address
Yes	Burnet CISD Central Office-DEMARC	208 E. Brier Burnet, TX 78611-
No	R.J. Richey Elementary	500 E. Graves Burnet, TX 78611-
No	Shady Grove Elementary	111 Shady Grove Road Burnet, TX 78611

Additional Information

RFP Q&A

Thank you for the opportunity. To price a turnkey solution for Shady Grove and R.J. Richey accurately: (1) How many network closets are there at each campus, and do the existing racks have space, power and UPS capacity for the new switches? (2) Is the fiber between the closets at each campus multimode with LC connectors already terminated and tested, so the 10G uplinks only need optics and patch cables, or should new fiber or terminations be included? (3) Do all 95 indoor and 5 outdoor access point locations already have Cat6 drops, or should the proposal include a per drop price for new runs, and about how many? (4) Is there an existing UniFi controller or Cloud Gateway the equipment should adopt into, and should the current SSIDs, VLANs and port settings be carried over as is? (5) Are the new switches and access points replacing existing units one for one, and should the removed equipment be left with the district or recycled by the vendor? (6) Should the work be scheduled after school hours, on weekends or over a break, and is there a required completion date? (7) Is a site walk possible before the bid date, or can the district share floor plans or closet photos? (8) Will the district use SPI discounted billing or BEAR invoicing?

asked on 11/6/2026 1:22:32 AM by DKInfraEdge LLC

Network Closets: How many network closets are at each campus? Do the existing racks have enough space, power, and UPS capacity for the new switches? For RJ Richey there are 4 closets and for SG Elementary there is 2 Fiber: Is the existing fiber between closets terminated, tested, and ready for 10G connections, or should new fiber and terminations be included? Fiber is already at each location; currently at 10G and no new fiber or termination will be requested Network Drops: Do all 95 indoor and 5 outdoor access point locations have existing Cat6 drops? If not, approximately how many new drops are needed? No new drops are being requested and all outdoor drops are already established Network Configuration: Is there an existing UniFi Controller or Cloud Gateway? Should current SSIDs, VLANs, and port settings remain the same? UniFi Controller and network settings are already established. Only requirements from installation will be port configuration Equipment Removal: Are the new switches and access points replacing existing equipment one for one? Should removed equipment be left with the district or recycled? This is a turn-key; we are requesting removal of old switches and wireless APs, new switches and wireless APs installed. Old equipment will be left with the district for disposal Installation Schedule: Would installation need to take place after school, on weekends, or during a school break? Is there a required completion date? Scheduling would be contingent on the award of bid, but would be during summer District Layout: Can the district provide floor plans or network closet photos? This is provided after award of bid along with rack layout. In addition there is no site visit planned. E-Rate Billing: Will the district be using SPI or BEAR invoicing? SPI

Attachments

There are no attachments.