REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) UPS EQUIPMENT – ERATE YR 2027 (YR30)

RFQ NO. 27-015

ADDENDUM NO. 1 – DATED NOVEMBER 13, 2026

I. Revision to Equipment Specifications

The District is revising the equipment specifications in RFP No. 27-015, page 5, and Exhibit D – Cost Proposal, to replace the previously specified APC model SMT1500RM2UC with SMT1500RM2UCNC.

The revised model includes a factory-installed Network Management Card. All six (6) units shall include this functionality, with the cost of the network management card included in the unit price.

Bidders shall use the revised model number, or an approved equivalent meeting or exceeding the specified requirements, when submitting their proposals.

II. Summary of Questions & Responses

Below are questions received by the November 10, 2026, deadline and the District's responses.

Do you have the previous bid tabulation available for this solicitation?	This is a brand new RFP requesting UPS equipment for FY2027. The bid tabulation will be completed after the RFP window closes and evaluations are complete per RFP details.
Will TRUSD consider brand-name equals such as Vertiv, Eaton, or Mitsubishi?	Yes, with the understanding that the specifications should match or exceed those of the requested equipment.
Is this equipment supply only, with District staff handling racking and configuration? Do DIR registration and fingerprint requirements apply when the bidder performs no campus	Equipment Only. No Service or Installation services are being requested. This RFP is not a public works project therefore any potential bidders are not required to be registered with DIR and/or submit any of the mentioned forms.

labor?	Fingerprinting is not required for projects that are equipment only.
Which network-card model is required for the six SMT1500RM2UC units? May we add separate OEM cards to meet the included card requirement?	The District has revised the specified APC model from SMT1500RM2UC to SMT1500RM2UCNC, which includes a preinstalled Network Management Card. Bidders proposing APC equipment shall quote the revised model number rather than the base model with a separately supplied network management card. Equivalent products meeting or exceeding these specifications will be considered.
Must the three reference sites reflect three years of the bidder's own service, or may they cover the proposed manufacturer's equipment?	Covering the Manufacturer's equipment.
Exhibit D's grand-total formula E168 omits E163, and accessory quantities A165:A167 show 1 rather than 17. Will a corrected workbook be issued?	Yes, please see attached updated Exhibit D Cost Proposal posted in the Districts online bidding portal as well as the USAC website.
What end date should the firm pricing cover?	Prices to remain firm through SLD approval, execution, and duration of the proposed contract. In the event of a price decrease for service or from the manufacturer, said decrease shall be passed on to the Twin Rivers Unified School District and documented with new price sheet sent to the District Office. Per RFP page 5.
Can you kindly confirm if you need on-site installation for your UPS's or just the hardware?	Equipment Only. No Service or Installation services are being requested.
Will the District accept delivery of all 17 UPS units to one District address, where contractor would apply the E-Rate labels on arrival, and the District would distribute the units to the 14 sites? a. If yes, which address, and are there receiving hours or dock limits we should plan around? b. If yes, how should shipping be entered on the Exhibit D Cost Proposal: on that one site's line, or spread across the	Twin Rivers Unified School District Winona Warehouse 3222 Winona Way North Highlands, CA 95660 a. Deliveries may be made Monday through Friday between 6:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. The vendor shall coordinate the delivery with District warehouse staff in advance. b. Shipping for all 17 UPS units may be entered as a single line item on the Exhibit D Cost Proposal. The shipping cost does not need to be allocated among the 14 individual sites. The District will distribute, deploy, and install the UPS

14 sites? c. If the District will accept one address but not distribute the units, should contractor deliver from that address to the 14 sites?	units at the individual sites. Contractor is responsible only for delivery to the Winona Warehouse; delivery to the 14 sites and installation are not required.