GOSHEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Request for Proposals – Managed Internal Broadband

November 7, 2026

Goshen Community Schools (The "Applicant") seeks services provided by a third party for the operation, management, and monitoring of eligible broadband LAN/WLAN components (managed Wi-Fi). We seek a one-year contract with or without the option of voluntary extensions for eligible MIBS services under this agreement. Other terms will be considered.

Managed Internal Broadband Services are those that include the operation, management, and monitoring of eligible broadband internal connections. Service Providers should include those expenses that directly support and are necessary for the broadband connectivity within schools. Those expenses include the management and operation of the LAN/WLAN, including installation, activation and initial configuration of eligible components, and on-site training on the use of eligible equipment. The applicant will own the equipment and the service provider will manage it for them.

Bidders are advised that this project will be contingent upon the successful obtaining of Category 2 E-Rate funding, and the contract agreement between the Applicant and the successful bidder must recognize that contingency.

Project Scope

The Applicant seeks 15 +/- Wyebot Wireless Intelligent Platform Sensor subscriptions or equivalent. Your proposed managed service must be provided via a cloud managed WiFi diagnostic monitoring tool that provides operation, management, and monitoring capabilities in a vendor and platform-agnostic environment. Any sensing tools used must be 2.4Ghz and 5Ghz capable and have at least 3 WiFi radios that are 802.11ac or higher. Your service must include the capability to perform network tests over wired and wireless networks remotely, including packet capture capabilities, and have spectrum analysis capability built in.

No installation is requested for this project.

Questions/Site Visits

Site visits will not be scheduled for this project. Any questions related to the technical aspects of this document should be directed to Branden Beachy, Network Administrator, at bbeachy@goshenschools.org and copied to dan@adtecerate.com, no later than 11:00 AM ET on December 2, 2026. Answers to any written questions or any additional information, revisions, or clarifications to the RFP will be provided in the form of an addendum to be posted with the FCC Form 470 on the Universal Service (E-Rate) website. It is the sole responsibility of the Service Provider to check for any addenda that may be issued.

Response Format

Your response **must** include the following information:

1. Pricing and a complete service description for the service being proposed.
2. In the case of proposed equivalent products/services, a thorough technical description of how the solution being bid meets each of the required functionalities of the service described herein.
3. Information outlining your company's certifications and connections regarding the manufacturer's equipment being bid, and length of time your company has provided equipment from the manufacturer being bid.
4. Two (2) reference sites where your company has performed a similar installation of the equipment being bid, including business name, contact name and contact information. It is preferable that at least one reference should be for a school corporation or library system within 90 miles of the Applicant.
5. Your E-Rate SPIN Number. (You must have a current SPAC form on file with USAC.)
6. A ready-to-execute contract which includes the proposal requirements and the E-Rate contingencies outlined herein.

The Applicant's review of information will be primarily focused on the substance of the details provided in response to the requirements herein including but not limited to technical details, pricing and terms, experience, references, and adherence to the response format provided. Line-item pricing must be provided for each item listed in the bid (any discounting in pricing on the bid must be reflected at the line-item level).

Proposal Delivery

Goshen Community Schools reserves the right to reject each and every bid, and to waive informalities, irregularities, and errors in the bidding to the extent permitted by law. This includes the right to extend the date and time for receipt of bids. In the event that a responsible bid is not received or if it is determined that the low bid received is too high, the bid received will be rejected and the project will be cancelled or re-bid.

Bids should be e-mailed to the office of the Network Administrator at bbeachy@goshenschools.org and copied to dan@adtecerate.com by 11:00 AM ET on December 18, 2026.