CAPISTRANO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

ATTACHMENT A – BIDDER QUALIFICATIONS AND TECHNICAL RESPONSE FORM

20 Gbps Dedicated Internet Access Service

E-Rate Category One | Funding Year 2027

Instructions: Complete all sections and submit through PlanetBids. Attach additional pages as necessary, clearly identifying the corresponding question. Responses will be evaluated under the criteria and weights in Section 6 of the RFQ. Prior District experience is not required.

A. Bidder Information

Legal Business Name _____

Business Address _____

Primary Contact and Title _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

SPIN _____

FCC Registration Number (FCC RN) _____

B. Compatibility with Existing Configuration (20%)

B1. Describe the proposed service and how it will integrate with the District's existing network configuration.
Response: _____

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B2. Identify handoff type/interface, demarcation point, provider-supplied equipment, and all District-provided requirements.
Response: _____

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B3. Will the service require District equipment replacement, material upgrades, or configuration changes? State Yes/No and detail equipment, costs, and responsible parties.
Response: _____

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B4. Explain the path from 20 Gbps to 50 Gbps, available increments, upgrade lead time, and any required District-side changes.
Response: _____

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B5. Describe the proposed installation, activation, testing, transition, anticipated service interruption, implementation schedule, and any actions required of the District. State whether the bidder can provide the service fully installed, tested, and operational on or before July 1, 2027.
Response: _____

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C. Relevant Experience (20%)

C1. Describe comparable dedicated Internet access engagements for K-12 districts or similar public agencies, including bandwidth, complexity, and service duration.
Response: _____

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C2. Provide up to three comparable customer references (attach additional details if needed).

Reference 1: Organization / Contact / Phone or Email / Service / Bandwidth / Years:

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Reference 2: Organization / Contact / Phone or Email / Service / Bandwidth / Years:

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Reference 3: Organization / Contact / Phone or Email / Service / Bandwidth / Years:

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C3. Has your firm previously served CUSD? If yes, identify services, dates, and documented performance. If no, state "No." Comparable experience is acceptable.
Response: _____

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D. E-Rate Experience (15%)

D1. Describe Category One E-Rate experience, years supporting applicants, and comparable services.
Response: _____

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D2. Describe support for Form 471, invoicing (SPI and/or BEAR coordination), eligibility allocation, record retention, audit documentation, and FCC/USAC compliance.
Response: _____

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D3. Identify the staff or team responsible for E-Rate administration and the support available during the contract.
Response: _____

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E. Proposal Accuracy and Completeness (10%)

E1. All required pricing, technical information, SLA, and supporting documents included? ☐ Yes ☐ No (explain):

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E2. Exceptions, deviations, substitutions, or qualifications? ☐ Yes ☐ No. If yes, list each and reference the affected RFQ requirement:

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E3. Additional clarifying information (or attachment reference): _____

F. Certification

The undersigned certifies that the information submitted is accurate and complete to the best of the bidder's knowledge and may be relied upon by the District in evaluating the quote.

Authorized Representative and Title _____

Company Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____