

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

Date: December 20, 2021

ADDENDUM NO.: 1

INVITATION TO BID NO.: 22C-25J

TITLE: TERM CONTRACT FOR INTERNET SERVICES - ERATE

RETURN DATE: January 14, 2022, 2:00 P.M. EST

Questions and Answers

Q1. Would the district be interested in our Managed Services?

A1. no

Q2. Is the district going to use BGP?

A2. yes

Q3. What is the district's ASN# if they have one?

A3. 394700

Q4. Does the district own your own IP address space or do you need your vendor to allocate space for you?

A4. we own 165.161.0.0/16

Q5. Since the two primary locations are 1.8miles apart how is load balancing done today on the 10G circuits?

A5. internal ECMP

Q6. If load balancing is needed will we configure as inbound/outbound only on each link or will they be using BGP between the locations?

A6. no config needed by vendor, we use/manage BGP

Q7. Are there IPv6 requirements for the circuits?

A7. no ipv6 needed

Q8. Will you require DDoS protection?

A8. no

Q9. Is the district capable of accepting a 100Gb handoff?

A9. Yes

Q10. Does PBC Schools require diverse laterals into each data center, specifically: 3300 Forest Hill Blvd. and 505 South Congress Avenue? Since PBC schools requires path diversity for each DIA service. Does the handoff to PBC Schools require single port handoff or dual port handoff at each data center. If each DIA service is terminated at the PoP using path protecting, diverse laterals, and dual cards on the same carrier grade PE router, is this design option acceptable?

A10. Require single port handoff at each data center. Design is acceptable.

Q11. Would PBCSD consider a due date extension:

A11. No

(Option 2 as applicable)

Your electronic signature on the Bidder Acknowledgement form will recognize receipt of this addendum.



Justin Jaksa, Purchasing Agent III



Genell McMann (Dec 22, 2021 10:35 EST)

Genell McMann, General Manager of
Purchasing

Posting of Conditions/Specifications

This Addendum will be posted for review by interested parties, at BidSync.com on the date of the Addendum electronic mailing and will remain posted for a period of 72 hours. Failure to file a protest on any changes to the specifications contained in the Addendum within the time prescribed in section 120.57 (3) Florida Statutes, will constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120 Florida Statutes, and applicable School Board rules, regulations and policies.

Any person who files an action protesting the specifications contained in this Addendum, pursuant to Section [120.57](#)(3)(b), Florida Statutes shall post with the Purchasing Department, at the time of filing the formal written protest, a bond secured

by an acceptable surety company in Florida payable to the School Board of Palm Beach County in an amount equal to 1 percent (1%) of the total estimated contract value, but not less than \$500 nor more than \$5,000. Bond shall be conditioned upon the payment of all costs that may be adjudged against the protester in the administrative hearing in which the action is brought and in any subsequent appellate court proceeding. In lieu of a bond, a cashier's check, certified bank check, bank certified company check or money order will be acceptable form of security. If, after completion of the administrative hearing process and any appellate court proceedings, the Board prevails, it shall recover all costs and charges included in the final order of judgment, including charges by the Division of Administrative Hearings. Upon payment of such costs and charges by the protester, the protest security shall be returned.