

Questions and Answers #2

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Bid GF-1608

NETWORK SWITCHES & COMPONENTS

Bid Opening Date & Time: January 6, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. (Eastern Time)

Question 1: We would like to ask if you are interested in learning about an HP solution for Phenix City Schools and if so are you allowing meetings or webinars in advance of the January 6 due date.

Answer 1: As indicated in the RFP, we are requiring vendors to quote equipment comparable to and compatible with the current equipment that provides the same function as those currently installed. The following equipment is currently installed throughout the district and is provided as an example of the required capabilities, features, and quality standards of the requested equipment/components:

- WS-C3750X-48P-E - Catalyst 3750X, 715Watt AC, PoE, 48 Port Data IP Services
- C3KX-PWR-715W - 715 Watt Redundant Power Supply
- CAB-STACK-50CM - Cisco StackWise 50CM Stacking Cable
- C3KX-NM-10G - 2 - 10GbE SFP Ports, 2 - 1GbE SFP Ports
- SFP-10G-SR - 10GBase-SR SFP+ Transceiver
- GLC-SX-MM SFP - 1000Base-SX SFP
- AIR-CAP2702I-A-K9

Note: Specifications are not intended to eliminate any reputable manufacturer, brand or bidder. Reference to manufacturers, brand names, suppliers catalog numbers, etc., is intended to convey the required capabilities and set quality and features standards and does NOT exclude quotes from others. **Any quote containing the referenced products/services "or equivalent" will be accepted as long as the required quality, feature, and compatibility standards are met. All manufacturers/models will be considered as long as they meet these standards.**"

Therefore, as indicated in the RFP, bids for any solutions meeting these specifications will be accepted and considered.

In regards the 2nd part of your question, we are not having meetings or webinars with potential vendors in advance of the January 6 due date (bid opening). Please submit with your bid all relevant documentation necessary for us to evaluate your proposed solution, if responding.