

Questions and Answers to 470 Number 190001172

Date and Time Question Received :November 2nd at 12:08PM

1. In Section 3.5 Vendor Certifications, please clarify what type(s) of “evidence of ownership of all certifications” Alliance would be seeking from vendors.

We would need evidence of certification required to complete the job.
Contractor’s license, C10/C7 if applicable

2. Is Alliance looking for a separate MPLS bid for all 21 schools?
If the price is the same for all sites use the bid template we provided, if different for some sites please indicate in a separate quote for each site
3. And is Alliance looking for each location to be listed on the Quote form provided in the RFP?
Only if there is a price difference for each site would we need a separate quote for each site
4. Is Alliance looking for a separate quote for the two data centers as one quote?
Alliance would need separate quotes for each data center
5. Is Alliance requiring a separate quote for MPLS and a separate quote for internet for each of the locations?
Only separate MPLS is needed. Bandwidth for internet will be shared through the datacenter

Date and Time Question Received : October 15th at 11:54AM

We noticed that Susan And Eric Smidt Technology High School and your Data Center 1 share the same physical address as does Piera Barbaglia Shaheen Services Academy High School and Data Center #2.

1. Do you require separate circuits for the Data Centers and the High Schools at each of these addresses? No, we do not require separate circuits for the schools that share the same address with the Datacenter 1 and Datacenter 2. We will just connect them directly to our core switch which in turn will be connected to the main ISP switch
2. If the answer is yes to question 1, can they share the same physical path? We didn’t see you request any physical diversity in the RFP. Answer to question 1 is no

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I'm reaching out to inquire about a line item in your RFP: On page 11, Section 4.0 the RFP references Section 3.3, but no such section exists.

We were not sure if this is a major concern or not, as it is referring to entities and we have a complete site list. But we did want to raise the question in either case.

Section 3.3 was a Typo...does not exist and will not be a concern