

FCC Form 470 – Funding Year 2021

Form 470 Application Number: 210023050 470-2021-140717-ATHENS TX- CAT1 CAT2

Billed Entity

ATHENS INDEP SCHOOL DISTRICT 104 HAWN ST ATHENS, TX 75751-2423 **HENDERSON** 903-677-6900

Billed Entity Number: 140717

FCC Registration Number: 0001655943

Application Type

Applicant Type: School District

Recipients of Services: Pre-K; Public School; Public School

District

Contact Information

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Number of Eligible Entities: 8

Consulting Firms

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Consultants

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RFPs

Id	Name
116541	2021 RFP WORKSHEET ATHENS TX

Category One Service Requests

								Installation	
		Function Other	Minimum	Maximum				and Initial	
Service Type	Function	Description	Capacity	Capacity	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Configuration?	Associated RFPs
Data Transmission and/or	Leased Dark Fiber		Detailed	Detailed	8	16	Fiber	Yes	116541
Internet Access			in RFP	in RFP			Strands		
Data Transmission and/or	Leased Lit Fiber		10 Gbps	50 Gbps	8	7	Circuits	Yes	116541
Internet Access									

Description of Other Functions

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See RFP for bid submission details & disqualifying factors

TELECOM SERVICES (DARK FIBER OR LIT FIBER CONNECTIONS) - 8 locations for service; 2 strands per location

see attached diagram and worksheets in RFP

Category Two Service Requests

			Manufacturer Other				Installation and Initial	
Service Type	Function	Manufacturer	Description Description	Entities	Quantity	Unit	Configuration?	Associated RFPs
Internal Connections	Firewall Service and Components	Fortinet or equivalent			1	Each	Yes	116541
Internal Connections	Switches	Fortinet or equivalent			105	Each	Yes	116541
Internal Connections	Switches	Fortinet or equivalent			5	Each	Yes	116541
Internal Connections	Antennas, Connectors, and Related Components	Fortinet or equivalent		5	384	Each	Yes	116541
Internal Connections	WAP	Fortinet or equivalent			220	Each	Yes	116541
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Firewall Service and Components	Fortinet		8	1	Each		116541
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Switches	Fortinet		5	108	Each		116541
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Switches	Fortinet		2	5	Each		116541
Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	WAP	Fortinet		5	220	Each		116541

Description of Other Manufacturers

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INTERNAL CONNECTIONS: FIREWALL, NETWORK SWITCHES, WIRELESS ACCESS POINTS & related components

BASIC MAINTENANCE: for required licensing, basic maintenance services 24x7 contract, for FIREWALL, NETWORK SWITCHES, WIRELESS ACCESS POINTS

Technical Contact

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State and Local Procurement Restrictions

Requested products and services may be contingent on Erate funding approval and/or school board approval. See attached RFP for full terms, conditions and instructions for bidding.

Must ensure that the Lowest Corresponding Price (LCP) is provided to applicant: Inter-local purchasing pricing (TIPS); Texas DIR state contract or other coop contract pricing may be used for best price cost factor

SUBMITTED Questions and answers posted on school website for review: https://www.athensisd.net/district_depts/technology_e-rate

Billed Entities

Billed Enti	ty Number	Billed Entity Name
140717		ATHENS INDEP SCHOOL DISTRICT

Certifications

I certify that the applicant includes:

I certify that the applicant includes schools under the statutory definitions of elementary and secondary schools found in the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, 20 U.S.C. §§ 7801 (18) and (38), that do not operate as for-profit businesses, and do not have endowments exceeding \$50 million.

Other Certifications

I certify that this FCC Form 470 and any applicable RFP will be available for review by potential bidders for at least 28 days before considering all bids received and selecting a service provider. I certify that all bids submitted will be carefully considered and the bid selected will be for the most cost-effective service or equipment offering, with price being the primary factor, and will be the most cost-effective means of meeting educational needs and technology goals.

I certify that I will retain required documents for a period of at least 10 years (or whatever retention period is required by the rules in effect at the time of this certification) after the later of the last day of the applicable funding year or the service delivery deadline for the associated funding request. I certify that I will retain all documents necessary to demonstrate compliance with the statute and Commission rules regarding the form for, receipt of, and delivery of services receiving schools and libraries discounts. I acknowledge that I may be audited pursuant to participation in the schools and libraries program.

I certify that I have reviewed all applicable FCC, state, and local procurement/competitive bidding requirements and that I have complied with them. I acknowledge that persons willfully making false statements on this form may be punished by fine or forfeiture, under the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. §§ 502, 503(b), or fine or imprisonment under Title 18 of the United States Code, 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

I acknowledge that FCC rules provide that persons who have been convicted of criminal violations or held civilly liable for certain acts arising from their participation in the schools and libraries support mechanism are subject to suspension and debarment from the program.

I certify that the services the applicant purchases at discounts provided by 47 U.S.C. § 254 will be used primarily for educational purposes, see 47 C.F.R. § 54.500, and will not be sold, resold or transferred in consideration for money or any other thing of value, except as permitted by the Commission's rules at 47 C.F.R. § 54.513. Additionally, I certify that the entity or entities listed on this form have not received anything of value or a promise of anything of value, other than services and equipment sought by means of this form, from the service provider, or any representative or agent thereof or any consultant in connection with this request for services.

I acknowledge that support under this support mechanism is conditional upon the school(s) and/or library(ies) I represent securing access, separately or through this program, to all of the resources, including computers, training, software, internal connections, maintenance, and electrical capacity necessary to use the services purchased effectively. I recognize that some of the aforementioned resources are not eligible for support. I certify that I have considered what financial resources should be available to cover these costs. I certify that I am authorized to procure eligible services for the eligible entity(ies). I certify that I am authorized to submit this request on behalf of the eligible entity(ies) listed on this form, that I have examined this request, and to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, all statements of fact contained herein are true.

NOTICE:

In accordance with Section 54.503 of the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission") rules, certain schools and libraries ordering services that are eligible for and seeking universal service discounts must file this Description of Services Requested and Certification Form (FCC Form 470) with the Universal Service Administrator. 47 C.F.R. § 54.503. The collection of information stems from the Commission's authority under Section 254 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. 47 U.S.C. § 254. The data in the report will be used to ensure that schools and libraries comply with the competitive bidding requirement contained in 47 C.F.R. § 54.503. Schools and libraries must file this form themselves or as part of a consortium.

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

The FCC is authorized under the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, to collect the information requested in this form. We will use the information you provide to determine whether you have complied with the competitive bidding requirements applicable to requests for universal service discounts. If we believe there may be a violation or a potential violation of any applicable statute,

regulation, rule or order, the information you provide in this form may be referred to the Federal, state, or local agency responsible for investigating, prosecuting, enforcing, or implementing the statute, rule, regulation or order. In certain cases, the information you provide in this form may be disclosed to the Department of Justice or a court or adjudicative body when (a) the FCC; or (b) any employee of the FCC; or (c) the United States Government is a party of a proceeding before the body or has an interest in the proceeding. In addition, information provided in or submitted with this form, or in response to subsequent inquiries, may also be subject to disclosure consistent with the Communications Act of 1934, FCC regulations, the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, or other applicable law.

If you owe a past due debt to the federal government, the information you provide in this form may also be disclosed to the Department of the Treasury Financial Management Service, other Federal agencies and/or your employer to offset your salary, IRS tax refund or other payments to collect that debt. The FCC may also provide the information to these agencies through the matching of computer records when authorized.

If you do not provide the information we request on the form, the FCC or Universal Service Administrator may return your form without action or deny a related request for universal service discounts.

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