

Questions & Answers - 1

Solicitation 20-680-004 - Front of Classroom Equipment 2
Buying Organization Poudre School District

No	Question/Answer	Question Date
Q1	<p>Question: Staples Questions</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1.How long must pricing be valid for?2.What are the expected purchasing dates/time frame?3.Will the District consider alternates if products meet the minimum specs?4.Will the district need installation of the wall mounts and TV's?5.Will the district need training on devices?6.Your RFP suggests that the delivery site has no dock at the delivery site, can we assume that we will be delivering to a central location? <p>Answer: 1. Pricing is for the purposes of this bid - it is up to the vendor if they would like to hold the pricing until the end of this school year. There may or may not be further purchases needed, however we tried to account for current requirements.</p> <p>While the quantities are stipulated in this solicitation, it is hereby agreed and understood that the District has the right to adjust/reduce the quantities ordered in conjunction with this solicitation based on budgetary restrictions.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">2. We are planning to trigger purchases for the quantities listed during the first week of February.3. Alternatives on displays are considered for Commercial grade, non-interactive Televisions only. There are lines on the bid sheets to represent multiple options in those categories. Soundbars and mounts can be alternative, but preference will be offered to the specific brands listed.4. No.5. No.6. Yes, delivery will be a central location to be determined later (likely in the 80524-zip code area) and will, actually, have a loading dock. This is a change from what was previously stated in the IFB.	01/14/2020
Q2	<p>Question: Staples Question 2</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1.Is Inside Delivery required as it seems that you do not have a dock. If so, will these be delivered to the Ground Floor or will they need to go either up or down a level? If another floor is the final destination, does PSD have a freight elevator? <p>Answer: Delivery to a central district location is required.</p> <p>Pricing and deliveries are to be FOB destination freight prepaid and shall require inside delivery. Title and risk of loss shall pass to the District upon inspection, acceptance and signature by the District at its designated point of delivery.</p> <p>No elevators will be required.</p>	01/14/2020
Q3	<p>Question: Alternates/Substitutions</p> <p>Are we allowed to submit alternates/substitutions for items in which Manufacturer's and items are specifically called out in the IFB? For instance, the Bose Solo 5 is a consumer model. Can we propose a commercial alternate?</p> <p>Answer: Yes, but for the specifics of this order, preference will be shown for the Bose Soundbar 5 unit. Alternatives will not be considered on Interactive Displays.</p>	01/14/2020

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Q4	<p>Question: Central Delivery Site</p> <p>Does the district have a central delivery site for all deliveries? If so, can you provide the location information about this site? Alternatively, will deliveries be required to go to different sites?</p> <p>Answer: Yes, delivery will be a central location to be determined later (likely in the 80524-zip code area) and will, actually, have a loading dock. This is a change from what was previously stated in the IFB.</p> <p>Arrangements for delivery time need to be given advanced notice as to arrival so that appropriate personnel are available.</p> <p>All items delivered to the District should be completed between the hours of 7:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and 12:30p.m. – 3:30 p.m. (MST), Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Any deliveries made outside of this window will not be accepted. Any costs associated with deliveries that are not accepted will be the sole responsibility of the Service Provider.</p>	01/14/2020
Q5	<p>Question: Deployment</p> <p>Can the district advise on the deployment schedule for these items?</p> <p>Answer: Deployment of all items will begin as soon as all equipment is in hand to complete the installs. Faster delivery timelines are preferred.</p>	01/14/2020
Q6	<p>Question: Classroom Configuration</p> <p>Regarding the classroom configuration, is it the district's preference that each classroom contain both an interactive flat panel and a commercial grade television?</p> <p>Answer: No. That is not inferred within this IFB.</p>	01/14/2020
Q7	<p>Question: Post-Submission Process</p> <p>Can the district advise on the post-submission process, specifically if vendor interviews or demonstrations will be incorporated into the evaluation process?</p> <p>Answer: We are planning to trigger purchases for the quantities listed during the first week of February. Internal deployment will be executed after products are in hand at the central delivery location. No vendor interviews are required for this bid.</p>	01/14/2020