POUDRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

INTENT TO AWARD

E-RATE CATEGORY 1 SERVICES IFB 20-680-007

March 20, 2020

Poudre School District intends to purchase E-Rate Category 1 Services from TDS Broadband LLC and CenturyLink between July 1, 2020 and September 30, 2021 contingent upon the following.

- Approval from the Universal Services Administrative Company for E-Rate funding
- No equipment reductions based on budgetary constraints
- No unforeseen design changes at the school sites
- Successfully negotiated contracts

The recommended award for TDS Broadband is for 1GB Metro Ethernet service at $5,200 per month as follows.
Point-to-point connections to provide the fiber infrastructure between the Poudre School District Information Technology Center (2413 Laporte Avenue, Fort Collins 80521) and the end locations. Connections include the associated head-end equipment and costs at the central IT locations, as well as demarcation equipment and costs at the following end locations:

- Bethke Elementary
- CLP Elementary (includes CLP MS)
- Wellington MS (includes Eyestone Elementary)
- Irish Elementary
- Timnath Elementary
- Rice Elementary
- Tavelli Elementary

The recommended award for CenturyLink is for a 12-month term at $4,350 as follows.
Point-to-point connections with a bandwidth of 100Mbps/300Mbps between the Poudre School District Information Technology Center (2413 Laporte Avenue, Fort Collins 80521) and the end locations. Connections include the associated head-end equipment and costs at the central IT locations, as well as demarcation equipment and costs at the following end locations:

- Red Feather Lakes Elementary
- Livermore elementary
- Stove Prairie Elementary