

Invitation to Bid
SUMNER COUNTY

The Telecommunications Act of 1996 established a fund by which Schools and Libraries across the Country could access discounts on eligible telecommunications products and services. The program is commonly known as the E-rate Program. The eligibility for discounts on internet access, telecommunications products and services, internal connection products, services and maintenance is determined by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). Funding is made available upon application approval by the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) of the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC), which was established by the Act. The amount of discount is based on the numbers of students receiving free and reduced price meals. Vendors are required to submit compliance with the E-rate Terms & Conditions. SEE FORM ATTACHED.

SUMNER COUNTY TENNESSEE
TCA 62-6-119
BID COMPLIANCE FORM

NOTE: This form MUST be attached

DRUG FREE WORKPLACE AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

The undersigned, principal officer of _____, an Employer of five (5) or more employees contracting with _____ County Government to provide construction services, hereby states under oath as follows:

1. The undersigned is a principal officer of _____
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Affidavit on behalf of the Company.
2. The Company submits this Affidavit pursuant to T.C.A. § 50-9-113, which requires each employer with no less than five (5) employees receiving pay who contracts with the state of any local government to provide construction services to submit an affidavit stating that such employer has a drug-free workplace program that complies with Title 50, Chapter 9 of the Tennessee Code Annotated.
3. The company is in compliance with T.C.A § 50-9-113.

Further affiant saith not.

Principal Officer

STATE OF _____

COUNTY OF _____

Before me personally appeared _____, with whom I am personally acquainted (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) and who acknowledged that such person executed the foregoing affidavit for the purposes therein contained.

Witness my hand and seal at office this _____ day of _____, 20_____

Notary Public

My commission expires: _____

CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE
WITH
TENNESSEE PUBLIC CHAPTER 587

The General Assembly of the State of Tennessee requires any person, corporation or other

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12. Even after award of contract(s) and/or E-rate funding approval is obtained, the District may or may not proceed with the project, in whole or in part. Execution of the project, in whole or in part, is solely at the discretion of the District.

13. The awarded Service Provider must provide the District a bill of materials using a completed 86 \$ & ³, WHP 7 HPSODWH´ ZLWK LQ ZHHNV RI WKH & RQWUDFW \$ ZDUG ´ D and invoices for each site must match Item 21 Attachment or subsequent service substitutions.

14. In the event of questions during an E-rate pre-commitment review, post-commitment review and/or audit inquiry, the awarded Service Provider is expected to reply within 3 days to questions associated with its proposal.

15. No change in the products and/or services specified in this document orders will be allowed without prior written approval from the district and a USAC service substitution approval with the exception of a Global Service Substitutions.

16. The Service Provider acknowledges that all pricing and technology infrastructure information in its bid shall be considered as public and non-confidential pursuant to §54.504 (2) (i) (ii).

17. The Service Provider acknowledges that its offer is considered to be the lowest corresponding price pursuant to § 54.511(b). Should it not be the lowest corresponding price, the service provider must disclose the conditions leading to the applicant being charged in excess of lowest corresponding price.

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19. The awarded Service Provider is required to send copies of all forms and invoices to the District prior to invoicing USAC for pre-approval. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in the District SODFLQJ WKH YHQGRU RQ DQ ³, QYRLFH & KHFN´ ZLWK WKH 86 \$ & <http://www.usac.org/sl/applicants/step07/invoice-check.aspx>

Contracts

All contracts awarded will be contingent upon E-Rate funding and final Board approval unless otherwise noted. The applicant may choose to do all or part of the project upon funding notification.

Contracts for network equipment must state that equipment can be delivered from April 1, 2017 until September 30, 2019. Purchase (and installation if included) can occur anytime during this period at the contracted prices. Any price fluctuation during the contract term must be identified.

Method of Award and Evaluation

Award shall be made to the vendor whose proposal is scored with the highest point total based on the Evaluation Criteria detailed below. The evaluation, scoring and award decision of the District shall be final.

The District reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, to contract products and services with whomever and in whatever manner the District decides, to abandon the products entirely, and to waive any informality on non-substantive irregularity as the interest of the District may require.

The District reserves the right to make an award of this proposal any time up to 90 days from the date of proposal opening.

Evaluation Criteria:

Award of the bid will be based on the following criteria:

Price-Erate Items	30
20 - 30 point for lowest bidders	
10 - 19 points for mid-range	
0 - 9 points for highest bidders	

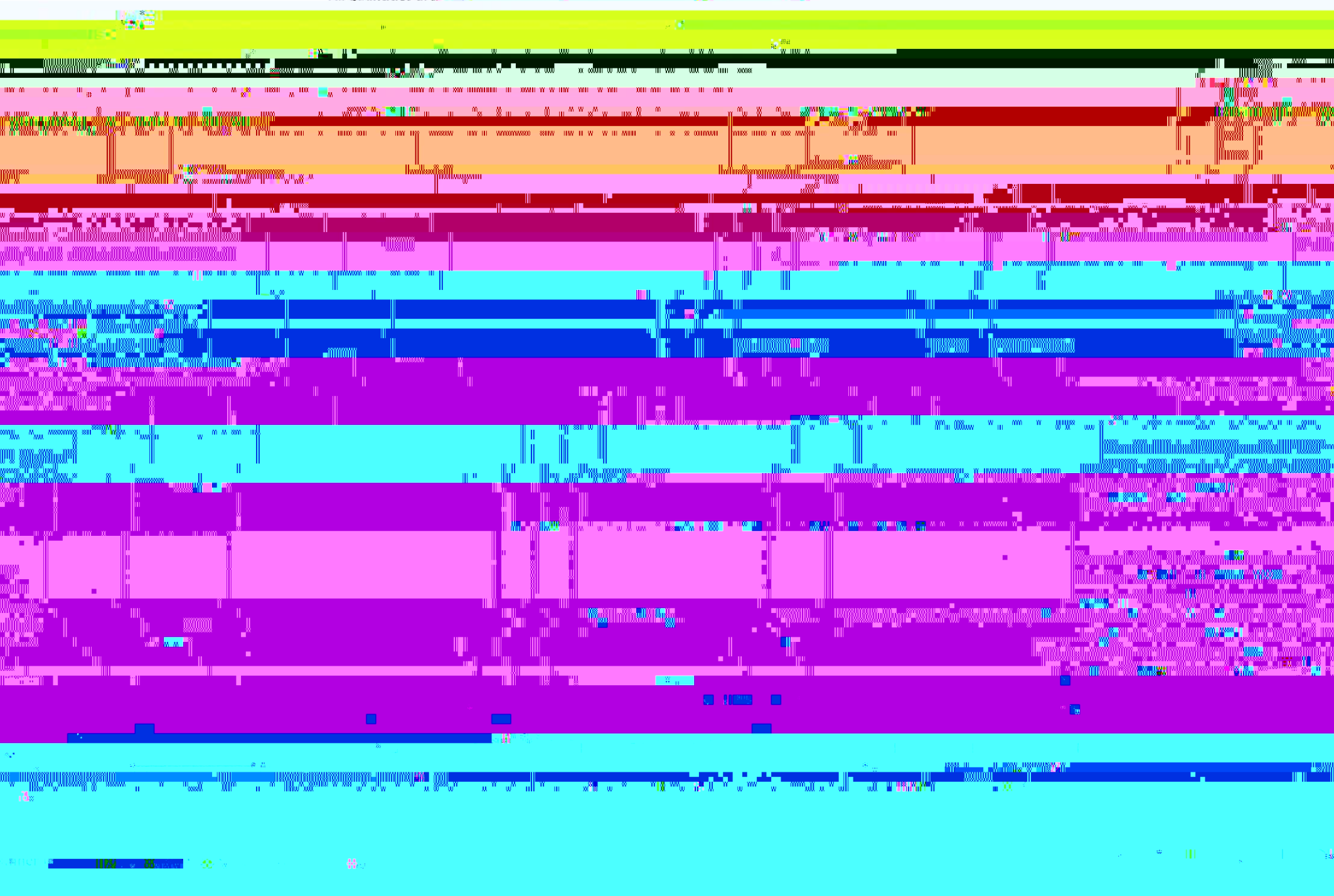
Comparable products of other manufacturers will be considered if proof of comparability and compatibility is contained in the proposal. Vendors, if proposing other than specified, are to clearly identify the manufacturer and the model number and must provide written, complete justification as to how the product complies with all specifications outlined within this RFP and how the product integrates with existing devices as well as the complete list of manufacturer published specifications related to the requested products. It shall be the responsibility of the bidders to furnish descriptive literature with their proposal such that specifications, catalog pages, brochures or other data will provide an adequate basis for verifying the quality and functional capabilities of the product offered. Failure to provide this data will be considered valid justification for rejection of the proposal.

Scope of Work:

The Sumner County School District is seeking bids to upgrade the switching, wireless access points and cabling in the five schools listed below. Bidders are requested to complete the attached worksheet, ³ 6 X P Q H U & R X Q W \ % L G \$) R W D F K P H Q W \$ '

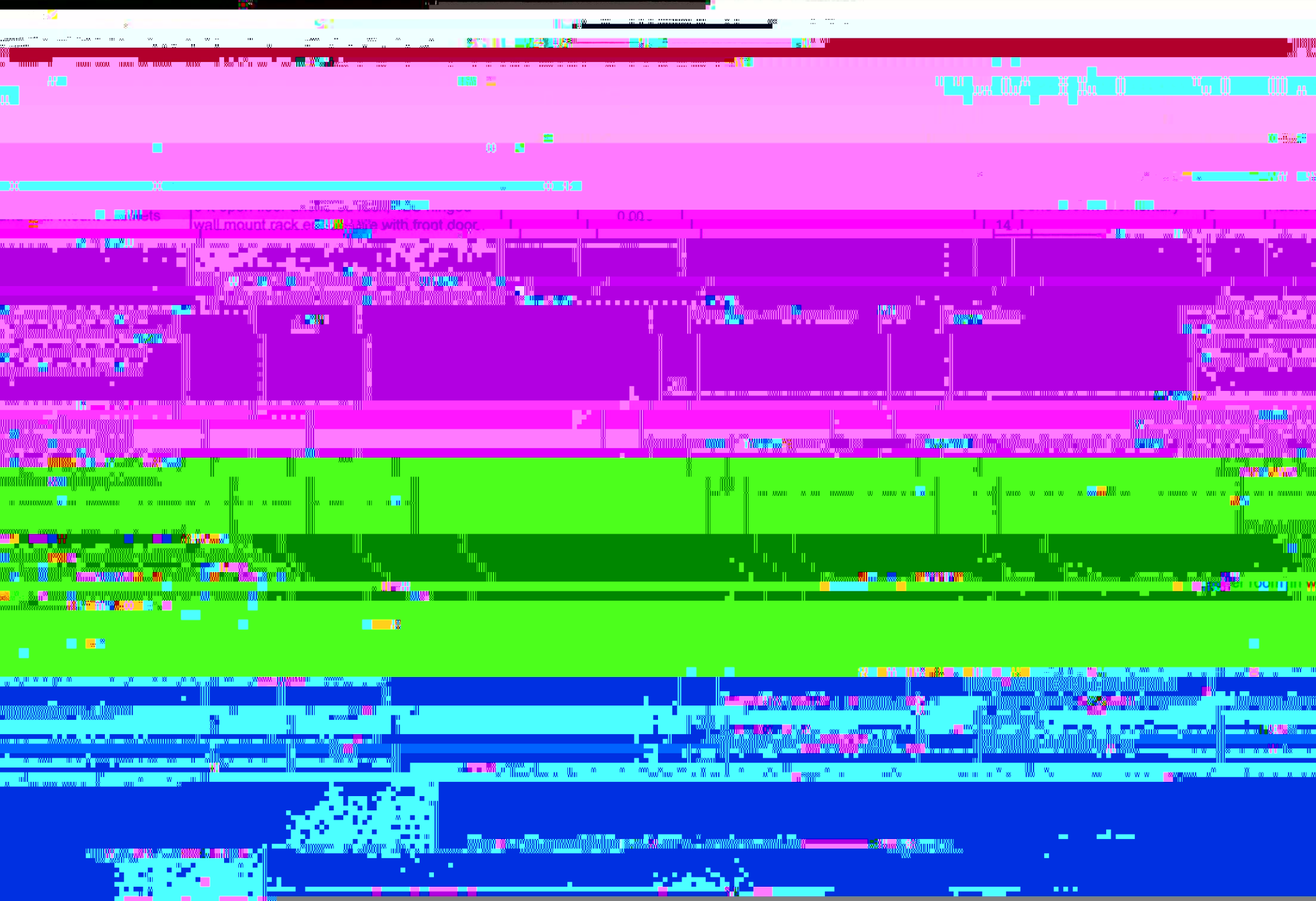
Proposals are to include the furnishing of all materials, equipment, maintenance, shipping costs, delivery, installation, fees, etc. and the provision of all labor and services necessary or proper for the completion of the work as may be otherwise expressly provided in the contract document. The District will not be liable for any costs beyond those proposed herein.

All quantities are





Name of Bidder:



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CPM

1 ft copper CAT 6 patch cable from Modular Panel to Switch Patch Panels with 48 port switch between

IT Management - Room Number and Drop Mark

Ellis Middle

1232 Connectors

Ellis Middle

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Cabling - 10Gb Fiber MDF to IDF

1232 Connectors

Ellis Middle

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Cabling

1232 Connectors

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SUMNER COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Purchasing Department
1500 Airport Road
Gallatin, TN 37066

COMPANY NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE _____

EMAIL _____

AUTHORIZED COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE _____ SIGNATURE

AUTHORIZED COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE _____ PRINTED

DATE _____

BID TITLE 20161224BOE Infrastructure Upgrade

DEADLINE December 21, 2016 9:00 AM CDT

BID TOTAL \$ _____

BID GOOD THRU _____

NOTES: _____
