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Addendum 1:

12-012: SERVERS

- 1) Section 3.2 (Servers) - What is the expected scope of work to be proposed by respondent for each of these servers? Installation & configuration of hypervisor? Installation & configuration of Windows Server operating system? Installation & configuration of application suite described?
 - a. PISD does not plan on the vendor installing, but would like the vendor to propose installation and configuration as an option. Installation would include the physical installation. Software installation would include option for server OS and hypervisor.
- 2) Since this is a server refresh is a replacement of the operating system software license really necessary?
 - a. PISD has a license agreement that allows for concurrent equipment ownership. It is not projected that licensing will be required, but would like the vendor to propose as an option.
- 3) How does the school district license Microsoft software for products like Windows Server, Windows Client and other products listed for each server category?
 - a. PISD has an Education purchasing agreement in place for Microsoft purchases.
- 4) Are all of these servers going to be in the same server room?
 - a. Yes. A secondary NOC exists and the district will entertain options to distribute services if proposed as an option.
- 5) Are these intended to be physical servers or virtual servers?
 - a. Physical.
- 6) Is Hyper-V the only hypervisor that PISD is interested in?
 - a. No, PISD will consider other hypervisors.
- 7) What role do the 3 storage arrays play relative to these server purchases? i.e. which new servers (or existing) will connect to each SAN?
 - a. Exchange mailboxes storage. The 9 R810 EX2010 Email Servers.

- 8) Section 4.2 (Scope of Work) - There is a reference to the “district’s design document” as being a key piece of the project blue print. Is this document available for review?
 - a. The district design document is an outcome of the strategic planning process required for Federal and State funding and ERate and EPlan type of requirements. Specific implementation and strategic intent will be addresses as needed with the selected vendor of choice during active design meetings.
- 9) Section 4.5 (Maintenance) - Is 5 years of maintenance required for all hardware?
 - a. Yes for TCO evaluation; however, if a multi-year maintenance package is not available, the yearly cost will be extrapolated to a five year cost. Line item pricing is requested to ensure all options are made available to PISD and possible ERate funding opportunities.

NOTE:

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Signature _____ Date: _____