

**Department of Materials Management
Procurement Unit
MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
45 W. Gude Drive, Suite 3100
Rockville, Maryland 20850**

September 13, 2021

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

**The following are questions and answers regarding
Form 470 Application Number 220000537**

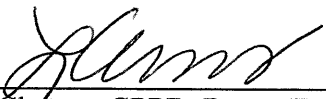
Question 1: Is this request for new sites or is this for existing sites that have Comcast services.

Answer: Service is currently provided to 10 MCPS schools and office sites, and may fluctuate based on MCPS' needs. See Attachment A to the 470 for current sites.

Question 2: Are you looking for COAX or fiber services for these circuits?

Answer: MCPS is technology neutral when it comes to the carrier provider solution being offered. This service needs to provide connectivity using existing vendor or carrier provided infrastructure at the school or office site and to allow a data connection (virtual or physical) between that site and the data center at 45 West Gude Drive, Rockville, Maryland. A synchronous or asynchronous connection is required with a minimum of 150Mbps download and 150Mbps up to/from each location and a maximum of 10Gbps download and 10Gbps up to/from each location.

All responses to the Form 470 must be submitted in writing to Laurie Checco, CCPB, Buyer II, Montgomery County Public Schools, Procurement Unit, 45 W Gude Drive, Suite 3100, Rockville, MD 20850, via fax at 301-279-3173 or email to [Laurie S Checco@mcpsmd.org](mailto:Laurie.S.Checco@mcpsmd.org). Deadline for vendor proposals is 2:00 pm Eastern, October 5, 2021. MCPS reserves the right to reject late submitted proposals.



Laurie Checco, CPPB, Buyer II, Procurement Unit

Please indicate your acceptance of this notice by signing below and returning with your response to the Form 470 or under separate cover.

Accepted:

Name and Title

Company Name

Copy to: RFP File