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ADDENDUM #1 INVITATION FOR BID #22-52

SUPPLY, DELIVER & INSTALL NEW CATEGORY 6 CABLES & EQUIPMENT TO NEWTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

THIS ADDENDUM IS TO: ANSWER THE QUESTIONS BELOW:

Q1. I was hoping to get some clarification on what our unit price should include on a couple of items. There is some discrepancy between the drawings and attachment A sheet. The attachment A sheet ask for a unit price for installation of cat6a for the wireless access points, but the drawing shows a dual cat6a as well as a 2 strand 10gig fiber to each. Do we include this in our unit price?

A1. This project is requiring a CAT6a cable to each WAP (wireless access point) only. Do not include any other additions regardless of what the drawings depict.

Q2. If voice cable for wall phones, teacher stations, and quad locations get cat6a, are we to carry cat6a for all VoIP drops rather than just cat6 to some?

A2. Only WAPs need CAT6a cables. All other cables are to be CAT6 only.

All other terms and conditions of this bid remain unchanged.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU ACKNOWLEDGE ALL ADDENDA ON YOUR BID FORM. FAILURE TO ACKNOWLEDGE ALL ADDENDA COULD RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR BID AS NONRESPONSIVE.

Thank you.

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