

Gadsden Independent School District P.O. Drawer 70 Anthony, New Mexico 88021

Date: February 17, 2015

School Board Agenda Items

Title of Agenda Item: <u>Rfp 14-15-11 For E-Rate Services 18</u>

<u>FY1516</u>

Consent Agenda Action Discussion Items

Board Meeting Date: February 26, 2015

Submitted By: Originator – <u>Calixto Arzaga</u> Department – <u>Technology Department</u> Date – <u>February 17, 2015</u>

To Be Presented By: Calixto Arzaga Director of Technology

Approved By: Efren Yturralde, Superintendent Date - February 17, 2015

Background and Summary:

RFP 14-15-11 The Technology Department requested RFP's for E-rate Services. Source of funds is E-Rate and Ed. Tech. Notes. Request for Proposals were sent through the district website and E-Rate website. Responses were received from four firms. The following vendors; Plan B Networks, Inc., Harmonix Technologies, Aquila and EQC Technologies were evaluated. The vendor selected was Plan B Networks.

The Following was requested for bid on RFP 14-15-11:

Erate Services Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections

- 1. Wiring Maintenance 23 Sites Cat 5, Cat 6 Fiber
- 2. Network Electronics break/fix router and switches GAC and 23 school sites
- 3. PBX Basic Maintenance GAC and 22 school sites Shortel System
- 4. Ruckus Wireless Access Points 23 school sites

Erate Services Internal Connections for new chaparral elementary school Cabling, Network Electronic equipment (Main Core Switch, IDF Switches, WAP's, APC's)



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Recommendation:

Approval: Purchasing recommendation is to approve Plan B as recommended by the evaluation committee.

Assigned to Board Agenda for Meeting of (Date): February 26, 2015