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RFP # 21-110 – Questions and Answers

 # 10 – Would the District allow other US made "equal" or "equivalent" manufacturer such as Leviton or Superior Essex compete for the project? We are certified with both but not Panduit. Having all three manufacturers compete for the project, the district will guarantee to receive lower material cost. All will provide 25 extended warranty similar to Panduit.

Per CUSD cabling standards the district will only accept products specified in Appendix C of the RFP.

#11 – Most Small Business Enterprise such ours usually do not have in-house RCDD on staff. Only large corporation will have RCDD on staff because he/she is exclusively there to work on the "design build" with the Architect. All of our technicians are BICSI certified. Would the District consider removing this requirement so that smaller service provider able to compete for work? Having this requirement will certainly entertain large corporations to bid and left small business out of the bidding process.

In order to provide for reliability and uniformity CUSD has standardized on the requirement that the selected vendor provide an RCDD certified technician.

Was the job walk mandatory?

Yes, it was.

Non – RFP (470 face items) – Questions and Answers

Do you have an existing Ruckus controller that these APs will be added to? Can you provide model and firmware version?

CUSD owns 2 Ruckus Smartzone vsz-H controllers. Firmware version 5.2.1.0.515

Will these APs be replacing any existing AP locations?   If not, do you have spare licenses that are available and how many?

These AP's will NOT be replacing existing APs. CUSD has sufficient license to cover them. We have approximately 100 spare AP license at this time.

Do you want us to include professional services in our response for the needed site survey, design, configuration, installation and testing services?

We do not need professional services included with this quote.