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Addendum #1
RFP WRESA-04112023-651-02 IT Networking Equipment
Questions and Answers

I. RFP Schedule Change

The RFP Deadline has been extended until May 9, 2023 at 12:00PM ET.

II. Updated Pricing Sheet

Attachment A has been updated and posted with Addendum #1. Vendors shall submit this updated version with their proposal.

<u>Attachment A - Pricing Schedule - Addendum 1 - RFP WRESA-04112023-651-02.xlsx</u>

All changes are identified as follows:

Red Cells	Deleted or Replaced
	Part Numbers
Green Cells	New or Modified Part
	Numbers

The columns and rows have been maintained to allow for consistent formatting between versions of Attachment A.

A summary description of the changes follows:

- A. (4-Software) The pricing sheet which includes the addition of Veeam Backup for Office 365. This has been updated to include a 1 year, 3 year, and 5 year option.
- B. (2-EDR Solutions) Pricing for implementation services is optional and a line item has been added.
- C. (3-Hardware) The HPE Alletra 2140 4U All Flash expansion shelf has been removed. This has been replaced with a new item, HPE Alletra 6030 Dual Controller.
- D. (3-Hardware) The controller for the MSA 2060 has changed to an MSA 2062. This is the proper storage array which includes two SSD drives for read/write cache.
- E. (3-Hardware) Added part numbers to the Gen11 memory as provided in the clarifications below.
- F. (3-Hardware) Added the proper boot device to the Gen11 builds as the incorrect item was listed. This can also been found in the clarifications below.

The following clarifications are provided:





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- a. Clarification was provided that the NS204 boot device is no longer a PCIe device. The Gen11 specification can use a "HPE NS204i-u Gen11 NVMe Hot Plug Boot Optimized Storage Device" or HPE part number P48183-B21.
- b. Clarification was provided surrounding memory on the Gen11 part numbers specified. This was acknowledged as a valid part number, though, there was not a vendor SKU to match. An alternative has been provided and will be reflected in the latest pricing sheet.

III. Vendor Questions and WRESA Answers

The following Questions were received by the April 20th deadline and Responses are as follows:

1) What are the differences in the Tiers (I/II/III) with regards to the EDR solution that's being requested? Are they meant to be different solutions or just increased quantities?

The main difference is the user count device amount/quantity covered. These can be one solution under different price breakpoints based on user/device count (if applicable.)

2) Are the Vmware licenses new, renewal, or a combination of both? We noticed that some lines are listed as renewal and others aren't. Are we to assume that the ones not labeled renewal are new licenses?

Assume that for each line item there will be a new customer (new license + support) and existing customer (support only.) We are unsure which district(s) may need or want to move to VMware. This will cover existing districts in terms of support and provide districts with the option of purchasing a new license if needed.

3) During our Q&A and RFP Zoom session there was discussion surrounding the change in networking on the DL380 G10+ and G11 server configurations. Specifically, moving from 10GbE to 1GbE.

It has been determined that the bid sheet is correct, and Wayne RESA is looking for 10GbE networking options in the DL380 Gen10+ and Gen11 configurations. Thus, each server should have 4 10Gb SFP+ ports and 4 10 GbE ports.

4) There was some clarification required for the HPE MSA 2060, HPE Alletra 6010, and Alletra 2140 configurations.

Please note that the HPE MSA 2060 iSCSI SAN storage controller has changed to a HPE MSA 2062 ISCSI SAN storage controller to ensure the SSD cache. Assume the normal workload will be 35,000 IOPS or below. A minimum of 10K drives must be included. We are flexible with the disk size(s), quantity, and type so long as the minimum of 8TB usable space is achieved after RAID and formatting. If unsure, please provide a bid for RAID 5 and RAID 6. Please note which is which.

The HPE Alletra 6010 has a maximum raw capacity of 92 TB. Please assume this will be fully populated. If bidding on this item, do not include an expansion shelf (Alletra 2140) as the





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controller throughput has a maximum of 92 TB. Instead, please bid on *NEW ITEM* an Alletra 6030 with 184 TB of raw storage.

Assume 5-year tech care essential exchange coverage on all storage listed.

IV. Questions and Answers from Pre-Bid Meeting (numbering continued from above)

5) Do we have to bid on all sections?

No, Proposers are not required to bid on all sections to be considered for award.

6) On the Smartnet are you asking for all 24x7x4 for all items?

This is designated on the tab, which part numbers require 24x7x4. It only includes the Cisco Catalyst 9600 Series.

7) Is there an EDR solution is being used currently, if so, what are you using/or is this a new security offering?

I would assume for the sake of this RFP this will all be a new solution. This is not a renewal to an existing solution. This will be for new customers and new products.

8) Is implementation services needed?

Pricing for implementation services is optional and a line item has been added to Attachment A.

V. Link to Pre-Bid Meeting

The Meeting can be viewed here:

https://resa-net.zoom.us/rec/share/Dj0hwsCplkVklTLNnLAO4bL-gx-nlrvddZUxk 8TkWXW5KrmALzb7ZWW-xz2-3ZS.oXjFZcwN5S0EE6SX?startTime=1681830152000

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All written clarifications provided, supersede those stated verbally during this meeting.