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**Bid# BCS-2021-712**

Bessemer City Board of Education will be accepting sealed proposals for an intercom replacement system. Proposals should include equipment, material and labor required to provide and install a complete replacement intercom system. Qualified organizations (Respondent) are invited to submit 3 copies of a proposal as described herein.

Proposals will be accepted on or before **Monday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022 @ 4:00 P.M.** The bids will be opened and read publicly **TUESDAY, June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 @ 5:30 P.M.** in the Boardroom at Bessemer Board of Education during the scheduled Work Session/Regular Board Meeting. **ANY BIDS RECEIVED AFTER THE DESIGNATED DATE AND TIME, WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.** The Board has the right to reject any and all bids.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, RELATED TO THE PRODUCTS OR PROJECT CONTACT Gary Richardson at 205-432-3027 (office) or 205-229-7593 (cell).

## A. General

The contractor shall complete alterations to the existing sound system as specified with all equipment and accessories required to provide a complete operating system.

The system shall be installed by a factory trained sound system contractor for the equipment manufacturer.

The entire system shall be guaranteed for a period of one (1) year from the date of final acceptance of the installation and any defective equipment or parts shall be replaced or repaired, during the guaranteed period, at no cost to the owner.

The manufacturer and model numbers are provided to establish quality of equipment and operating requirements for the system.

Any proposed substitution of equipment must be approved by the architect within ten days prior to bid date. No substitution will be permitted after the project bid date.

All wiring shall be in accordance with the local national codes.

## B. Console

The contractor shall replace the existing Dukane Console with (1) CAREHAWK CH1000 central controller (1) CAREHAWK AP1 admin console (1) SS32 switch (1) AD2W two wire adapter. Contractor shall connect all existing zones and all new zones to new console for a complete operating system. All existing call-in switches, digital clocks, speakers, etc. are to remain.

PROPOSAL SHALL BE LABELED:

### **PROPOSAL- INTERCOM SYSTEM**

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Bessemer City Board of Education

Attn: **Patricia Stewart, CSFO**

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Bessemer, AL 35020

**PROPOSAL MUST BE RECEIVED BY 4:00pm CST, Tuesday, July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022.**

Questions may be directed to Gary Richardson, Technology Coordinator for pre-scheduled site visits on/before Thursday, July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022 no later than 2pm (CST). Please contact Mr. Richardson at 205 432-3027 (office), 205 229-7593 (cell) or by email at [g-richardson@bessk12.org](mailto:g-richardson@bessk12.org)

### General District Information

<http://www.bessk12.org>

The Bessemer City Board of Education will accept proposals for intercom replacements as described in this request. Qualified organizations (Respondent) are invited to submit 3 copies of a proposal as described herein. Only vendors who meet the specified criteria should plan to bid. Each vendor must provide the following in their bid to be considered for qualification:

- Five Alabama K-12 references

Bessemer City Board of Education will select a single vendor that is able to best meet the district's needs and able to provide a combined solution for the requested equipment, components, and installation services. The following table will be used to evaluate all proposals:

<u>Factor Weight</u>	
Price	30%
References	25%
Most Acceptable and Advantageous Bid	15%
Prior Vendor Experience	15%
Personnel Qualifications/ Experience	15%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>

Provide pricing for specified item or equivalent. If equipment is end of life, indicate "End of Life" in Unit Cost and provide appropriate proposed replacement and pricing for replacement equipment, installation, and manufacturer maintenance on separate sheet.

The Bessemer City School District reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, to waive technical defects, and to select the proposal deemed most advantageous to the District.

**BIDDER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT** *(original signature in ink is required)*

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Web Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Typed or Printed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Authorized Representative

Date \_\_\_\_\_

All supporting bid documents such as addenda, tabulation sheets, notices of action and/or notices of award will be made available by request. It is the responsibility of the bidder to monitor the website for all information regarding this bid or any upcoming bids/proposals.