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ADDENDUM

July 19, 2018

ADDENDUM # 1

RFP 18MISC16, Dark/Lit Services

DUE DATE: FCPS Main Lobby, Monday, August 6, 2018, prior to and time stamped no later than 2:00 P.M.

This addendum is being issued to provide additions, corrections, clarifications and answers to certain questions raised referencing the original proposal packages and any resultant contracts for the above RFP.

1. Question: Would you accept a solution that does link aggregation with 4 x 10G optical slots to meet the 40Gbps requirement stated in the RFP? **Answer: No. 40GBE needs to confirm with ITU-T OTN OUT3 standards.**
2. Question: Can you clarify the following requirement you have listed under 3.1.2 Leased Dark Fiber Service Option Specifications, specifically the latter part where it states that rack space, power and cooling will be provided the respondent? *"Hub and spoke designs are acceptable as long as a third party or FCPS can collocate equipment within each proposed hub site (rack space, power and cooling will be provided the respondent)"*
Answer: Should a design be proposed that requires facilities be connected to Central Office using interconnecting sites (hubs), it will be the respondents responsibility to provide a (hub) facility that has sufficient power, cooling and rack space to accommodate any necessary equipment.
3. Question: Can you provide more information about your current network design? Do you have a Visio or other diagram you can share? **Answer: The current FCPS WAN topology is attached.**
4. A description of services?
"Lit" of Dark Fiber / Bandwidth levels. **Answer: Dark Fiber, 40GB**
Current Agreement term. **Answer: N/A**
Current Vendor. **Answer: Comcast**
Current annual billing / budget. **Answer: N/A**
Equipment in place. **Answer: Juniper equipment, models indicated in the bid document.**
E-Rate Funding percentage received. **Answer: 50%**
5. This Addendum includes the following attachments:
 - a. FCPS Existing Topology Overview (1 page)

Thank you for your interest in bidding with Frederick County Public Schools and we apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

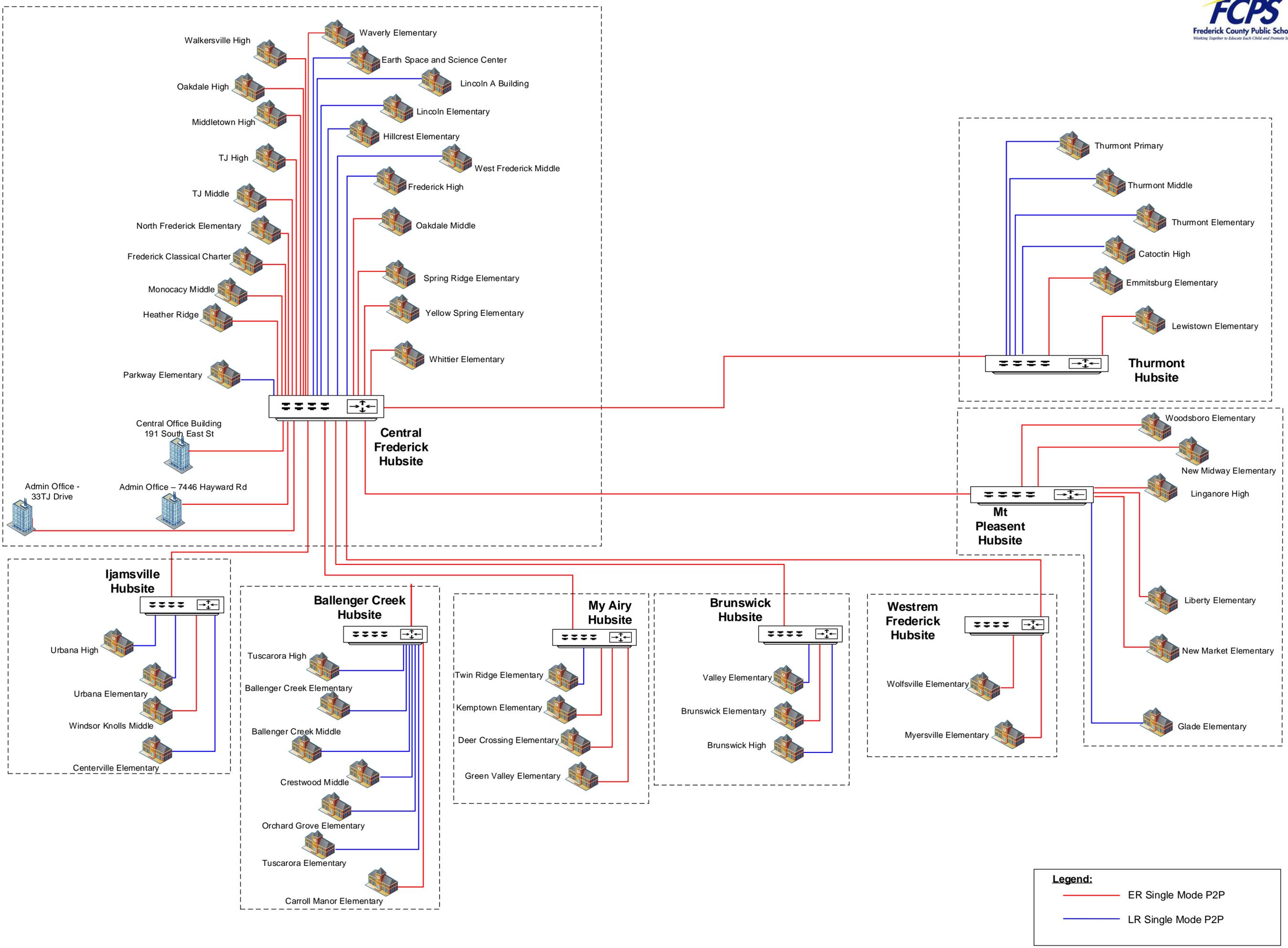
Sincerely,

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cc: Chris Bohner, Supervisor of IT Infrastructure
RFP File



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- ER Single Mode P2P
- LR Single Mode P2P