# OBION COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 1700 N. Fifth St Union City, TN 38261 REQUEST FOR BID FOR Student Laptops and Storage Carts

## **Right to Reject**

The Customer reserves the right to accept or reject any proposals or sections thereof when the rejection is in the best interest of the Obion County Board of Education.

#### **Response Submission**

Responses to this bid request must be submitted in sealed packages and delivered to 1700 N. Fifth St, Union City, TN 38261 no later than 10:00 A.M. on Monday November, 28 2016. The Obion County School District will reject all late arrivals.

Technical questions about the specifications or this request should be addressed to:

Joseph Lewis or Shane Upchurch Co Technology Coordinators 1700 N. Fifth St Union City, TN 38261 Phone: 731-885-9743 Fax: 731-885-4902 Email: jlewis@ocboe.com or supchurch@ocboe.com

## Introduction:

The Obion County Board of Education is seeking bids for student laptops, and storage carts. The customer is seeking a particular band of laptop that has been used in the past, and will be listed on page three of this bid. Even though a quantity will be listed for this bid, the winning bidder agrees to honor the prices until end of the fiscal year "June 30, 2017". This will allow the Obion County School system to purchase additional quantities of the listed product throughout the school year if it is deemed necessary.

## PROPOSALS REQUESTED ON BRANDS OR EQUAL:

Unit price proposals are requested on products that equal or exceed the quality and performance of the brand listed. References to brand names, trade names, model numbers or other descriptions peculiar to specific brand products are made to establish a required level of quality and functional capabilities, and are not intended to exclude other products of that level.

Comparable products of other manufacturers will be considered if proof of comparability is contained in their proposal. *Vendors, if proposing equipment other than specified, are to clearly identify the manufacturer and the model number and must provide written, complete justification as to how the product complies with all specifications highlighted within this bid request, as well as the complete list of specifications related to the requested products.* 

It shall be the responsibility of the proposers to furnish descriptive literature with their proposal such that specifications, catalog pages, brochures or other data will provide an adequate basis for verifying the quality and functional capabilities of the product offered. Failure to provide this data will be considered valid justification for rejection of the proposal.

**AWARD:** *Award will be based on best value*. Award will be made to the most responsive, responsible proposer(s) meeting all specifications and which present the product that is in the best interest of Obion County Schools. Best value means more than low cost. It includes the initial cost, product quality, vendor support, warranty, and other factors detailed herein.

Products:

Acer Travel Mate B117-M-C578 - 11.6"

All other specification can be found at the following web address.

http://www.acer.com/ac/en/US/content/professional-model/NX.VCHAA.002

Qty: 100

AverCharge C30i Charging Cart

All other specification can be found at the following web address.

http://www.averusa.com/classroom-technology/products/charging-cart/c30i.asp

Qty: 2

The bidder understands that these are minimum quantities, and the total amount will be agreed upon with the winning bidder is announced.