

Project Q & A

Project Owner:	Rockford Public Schools
Project Name:	Security System Renovations
Issue Date:	March 14, 2025

Project Questions and Answers:

This document provides answers to questions asked by bidders who have reviewed the Technology Request for Bid for the above referenced project.

Q1	Does this require prevailing wages?
A1	No, prevailing wage is not applicable to this project.
Q2	Chris mentioned in the meeting about signing the Iran Sanction agreement. I didn't see that in the bid packet. Will you be providing it or is it not needed?
A2	Please see the attached Iran Linked Business Affidavit document.
Q3	What does their Milestone infrastructure consist of? How many recording servers, mobile servers, management servers? Are they virtual or physical (or both)?
A3	Owner currently has 5 milestone recording servers that are physical and 1 virtual management server. RPS will be adding 2-3 more physical servers to the Milestone stack in the near future.
Q4	Who manages Windows updates for the Milestone servers? Is that the responsibility of the contractor or will the Rockford IT staff handle it?
A4	Rockford Public Schools/Owner IT.
Q5	Who manages the SQL instance on the Milestone servers? Will the contractor need to update it or will the Rockford IT staff handle the update?
A5	Rockford Public Schools/Owner IT.
Q6	Are there certificates installed on the cameras that will need to be updated/renewed?
A6	No
Q7	Are there any exterior cameras (or internal gymnasium) that can only be accessed by a lift? If so, is the lift provided by the contractor or by the district?

A7	Yes. Contractor to provide a lift as needed.
Q8	The system configuration/software upgrade work is not listed on the bid form. Will you be issuing a new form or should we add a line to it?
A8	In regards to the Video Management system (VMS), this is a responsibility of the Contractor and Contractor must be able to install software, program and configure the new VMS Server. Time and Material rates will be used for new server installations.
Q9	Bid and performance bonds are usually based on an overall project value. How are we to handle this when the overall scope is unknown? How has this been handled in the past?
A9	Bid and performance bonds are to be based on the total of the Schedule of Values per Category.
Q10	Is there a specific period of time the Unit Costs on the Schedule of Values form is to be good for?
A10	Three Years
Q11	Is the Schedule of Values "Project Management" line item to be a percentage of the billable cost of each PO? Rather than a set labor amount?
A11	This would be the Project Manager Hourly Labor Cost for T&M work.
Q12	Access Control question: What is the specific model of the RP40 reader that is desired? There is a wide cost range based on specific part numbers.
A12	HID 920PTNNEK00000
Q13	Access Control question: The specs call for User and Admin training. Are those needed since the systems already exist?
A13	Training will not be needed.
Q14	VMS question; Is the Schedule of Values Unit pricing for cameras just for the camera itself and no specialty mounts?
A14	Please include the following with the Axis P3738-PLE. AXIS T91D61 Wall Mount 1.5" NPS and AXIS T94N01D Pendant Kit.
Q15	VMS question; Are any updates to the Milestone software on the servers to be done at the hourly labor rate we provide? In lieu of the unit labor cost next to each unit price for camera licensing.
A15	The Owner may request work during the life of the contract that uses the hourly labor rate.

END OF QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS #1

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