

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

LINCOLN COUNTY FIBER MATERIALS PROCUREMENT - NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, Washington that proposals will be received until 12:00 P.M. Friday, June 16, 2023 at one of the following locations: Electronically to lcbroadband@co.lincoln.wa.us OR Regular Mail to PO Box 28, Davenport, WA 99122-0028 OR in person/Fed Ex to Office of the Board of County Commissioners Clerk of the Board's Desk at 450 Logan Street, County Courthouse, Lower Level, Davenport, WA. It shall be the submitter's responsibility to ensure that proposals are delivered to the Board of County Commissioners prior to the deadline and receipted by the Clerk of the Board. If sending by mail, please identify proposals on the outside of the envelope as "Fiber Materials Procurement."

The proposals will be opened and publicly read aloud after 9:15 a.m. at the Commissioner's meeting scheduled on Tuesday, June 20, 2023, for fiber materials procurement.

Statement of Need (Scope): This RFP is intended to solicit proposals from vendors for fiber materials needed for a Fiber-To-The-Home build in Lincoln County. For complete RFP or questions, please contact the Lincoln County Broadband Office at lcbroadband@co.lincoln.wa.us or call Margie Hall at 509-215-7838.

The Board of Lincoln County Commissioners reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. Please be advised that Lincoln County, being a municipal corporation, is exempt from Federal excise tax.

The County of Lincoln hereby notifies all submitters that it will affirmatively insure that in any agreement entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit proposals in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated for or against on the grounds of race, color, sex or national origin, in consideration for an award. Small, minority and woman-owned firms are encouraged to submit proposals. This project is funded with America Rescue Plan Act, State and Local Fiscal Recovery funds (ARPA SLFRF) awarded to the Washington State Broadband Office by the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

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