

COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
800 ALLEGHENY AVENUE, PITTSBURGH, PA 15233

ADDENDUM 2
RFP 3163
DEDICATED INTERNET ACCESS
MAY 7, 2026

The following additional information is hereby made a part of this RFP:

Various questions and answers:

Regarding the Dedicated Internet Access RFP—do you need any IP assignments from us?
No, we do not need an IP blocks as we will use our own 162.51.0.0/16 and advertise via BGP with our public ASN 23193. The only IPs we will need is either a small /29 or dual /30 for BGP peering of our dual routers.

Do you have an updated timeline for when you expect to make a final decision and award the contract?

We will plan to award around June 3rd. Might even be sooner depending on availability.

Can you provide the manufacturer (make) and model number of the Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) that will be deployed at the customer site and on which the proposed internet circuits will terminate?

CCAC will utilize dual Cisco C8475-G2 routers as the termination points for the proposed internet circuits.

Regarding the carrier-owned Customer Premises Equipment (CPE), CCAC expects the provider to provide a hardware model capable of supporting a 10G LR Single-Mode Fiber (SMF) handoff. CCAC will coordinate the necessary single-mode cross-connects with DataBank from the Meet-Me Room (MMR) to the CCAC cage upon receipt of the Letter of Authorization (LOA).

Question on DDOS protection requirements: how many managed objects do want covered as we have multiple tiers of pricing?

To assist with your pricing tiers, we are looking to protect up to 25 separate IP addresses. These IPs primarily host a mix of standard web traffic (HTTP/HTTPS) and SFTP services.

Please ensure your proposal details how your solution handles these specific traffic types and if there are any scaling implications should our managed object count increase in the future.

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Are you looking for 2 x 10G ports with Arelion on vendor routers?

Dual (2) 10G-LR SMF Handoff Supported

We are seeking two (2) 10Gbps Ethernet handoffs delivered from the ISP's Customer Premises Equipment (CPE) to our dual Cisco edge routers.

Our architectural requirement involves establishing BGP peering between each of our Cisco routers and the upstream carrier's infrastructure. Specifically, we intend to peer our edge devices with one or two preferred upstream carrier routers to ensure path redundancy and optimal routing.

End of Addendum 2

Sign addendum and return to the College with your response.

Company Name

Bidder's Signature