**ATTACHMENT A**

**ISP INTERNET PROVIDERS**

This Solicitation is a Contract Document and is a request for proposal in connection with the Contract awarded by the Office of Management and Enterprise Services as more particularly described below. Any defined term used herein but not defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed in the General Terms or other Contract Document.

**PURPOSE**

The Contract is awarded on behalf of the Oklahoma State Department of Health (OSDH) for ISP Internet Providers to provide internet service for OSDH county health departments, independent WIC sites, OK and Tulsa County Sooner Start & SHHR sites, Vital Records (Tulsa) site, OSDH Warehouse and the Public Health Lab.  Most sites currently are at 50Mbps except for 4 at 100Mbps and 1 at 5Gbs and we want all site to have a minimum of 300 Mbps and upgrade to fastest available that OMES will support and is allowed per RHC/OUSF guidelines.

The Oklahoma State Department of Health (OSDH) seeks the lowest best value cost qualifying bid for the Oklahoma Universal Service Fund (OUSF) and Rural Health Care (RHC) subsidized Internet services to OSDH locations as described therein.

The Oklahoma Universal Service Fund (OUSF) was created by the Oklahoma Telecommunications Act of 1997. Applicants applying for reimbursement from the OUSF must meet certain eligibility criteria. The Oklahoma Corporation Commission is the governing entity over the funds. This bid in support of requirements of the Oklahoma Universal Service Fund (OUSF) (Title 17 Corporation Commission – Oklahoma Telecommunications Act of 1997). The rural Health Care Program (RHC) provides funding to eligible health care providers for telecommunications and broadband services necessary for the provisions of health care.

The bid is necessary and in compliance with OUSF/RHC requirements in order for OSDH to continue to leverage this funding.

In order to bid on this solicitation, you must be an eligible provider to receive either OUSF or RHC funding or receive both OUSF/RHC funding. **No bids will be considered compliant if not offering service which leverages either OUSF or RHC funding.**

**OUSF FUNDED BANDWIDTH – HEALTH CARE**

The provision of bandwidth per standards as recommended by the Federal Communications Commission (17 O.S. § 139.109.1(A)(1)):

1. Oklahoma State Department of Health shall be eligible for funding up to 300 Mbps.

**Contract Term and Renewal Options**

The initial Contract term, which begins on July 1, 2023, or the effective date of the Contract,

through June 30, 2024. This contract shall have options to renew for four (4) additional one

year periods.

**Contract Award Requirements**

All bidder solutions shall provide broadband services to the entire premises of each location listed in Exhibit 3.