## **VENDOR CONTRACT**

Between

Trinity3 Technology

and

(List Vendor or Company Name)

### THE INTERLOCAL PURCHASING SYSTEM (TIPS) For Refurbished Computers and Equipment #07012215

# **General Information**

The contract shall include the contract, the terms and conditions, special terms and conditions, any agreed upon amendments, as well as all of the sections of the solicitation and the awarded vendor's proposal. Once signed, if the awarded vendor's proposal varies or is unclear in any way from the TIPS contract, TIPS, at its sole discretion, will decide which provision will prevail. Other documents to be included are the awarded vendor's proposals, task orders, purchase orders and any adjustments which have been issued.

The following pages will constitute the contract between the successful vendors(s) and TIPS. Bidders shall state, in a separate writing, and include with their proposal response, any required exceptions or deviations from these terms, conditions, and specifications. If agreed to by TIPS, they will be incorporated into the final contract. NOTE: The award of this contract to vendor is made following all requirements to meet the Competitively Bid Procurement Laws.

The Vendor Contract ("Contract") made and entered into by and between The Interlocal Purchasing System (hereinafter referred to as "TIPS" respectfully) a government cooperative purchasing program authorized by the Region VIII Education Service Center, having its principal place of residence at 4845 North US Hwy 271, Pittsburg, Texas 75686. This contract consists of the provisions set forth below, including provisions of all Attachments referenced herein. In the event of a conflict between the provisions set forth below and those contained in any Attachment, the provisions set forth shall control.

# **Terms and Conditions**

#### Freight

All deliveries shall be freight prepaid, F.O.B. destination and shall be included in all pricing offered unless otherwise clearly stated in writing.

### **Warranty Conditions**

All supplies equipment and services shall include manufacturer's minimum standard warranty unless otherwise agreed to in writing. Vendor shall be an authorized dealer, distributor or manufacturer for all products. All equipment proposed shall be new unless clearly stated in writing.

### **Customer Support**

The Vendor shall provide timely and accurate customer support to TIPS members. Vendors shall respond to such requests within one (1) working day after receipt of the request. Vendor shall provide training regarding products and services supplied by the Vendor unless otherwise clearly stated in writing at the time of purchase. (Unless training is a line item sold or packaged and must be purchased with product.)

# **Special Terms and Conditions**

It is the intent of TIPS to contract with a reliable, high performance vendor to supply commodities to government and educational agencies. It is the experience of TIPS that the following procedures provide *TIPS*, the Vendor, and the participating agency the necessary support to facilitate a mutually beneficial relationship. The specific procedures will be negotiated with the successful vendor.

- <u>Contracts:</u> All vendor purchase orders **must be emailed** to **tipspo@tips-usa.com**. Should an agency send an order direct to vendor, it is the vendor's responsibility to forward the order to TIPS at the address/email above within 24 business hours and confirm its receipt with TIPS.
- <u>Promotion of Contract</u>: It is agreed that Vendor will encourage all eligible entities to purchase from the TIPS Program. Encouraging entities to purchase directly from the Vendor and not through TIPS contract is not acceptable to the terms and conditions of this contract and will result in removal of Vendor from Program. Vendor is expected to use marketing funds for the marketing and promotion of this contract.
- **Daily Order Confirmation**: All contract purchase orders will be faxed twice daily from TIPS to vendor. The vendor must confirm receipt of orders to the member (customer) within 24 business hours.
- <u>Vendor custom website for TIPS</u>: If Vendor is hosting a custom TIPS website, updated pricing must be posted by 1<sup>st</sup> of each month.
- **Back Ordered Products**: If product is not expected to ship within 3 business days, customer is to be notified within 24 hours and appropriate action taken based on customer request.

### Check one of the following responses to the General Terms and Special Terms and Conditions:

() We take no exceptions/deviations to the general and special terms and conditions.

(Note: If none are listed below, it is understood that no exceptions/deviations are taken.)

(X) We take the following exceptions/deviations to the general and special terms and conditions. All exceptions/deviations must be clearly explained. Reference the corresponding general or special terms and conditions that you are taking exceptions/deviations to. The proposer must clearly state if you are adding additional terms and conditions to the general or special terms and conditions. Provide details on your exceptions/deviations below:

(Note: Unacceptable exceptions shall remove your proposal from consideration for award. TIPS shall be the sole judge on the acceptance of exceptions/deviations and TIPS's decision shall be final.

In reference to the Warranty Conditions found on page 9:

Triinity3 Technology provides a wide array of new and recertified name brand computers all of which come with a Trinity3 Technology warranty which meets or exceeds the length of the standard manufacturer warranties.

<b>Vendor Profile</b> <b>1.1. Minority/Women Business Enterprise</b> (Required by some participating governmental entities)
Vendor certifies that his firm is a HUB and/or M/WBE
1.2. Certification of Residency (Required by the State of Texas)
Company submitting bid is a Texas resident bidder.
Vendor's principal place of business is in the city of <u>St. Paul</u> State of <u>MN</u>
<ul> <li>1.3. Felony Conviction Notice (Required by the State of Texas)</li> <li>My firm is, as outlined in the Instructions to Bidders: <ul> <li>A publicly held corporation; therefore, this reporting requirement is not applicable.</li> <li>Is not owned or operated by anyone who has been convicted of a felony.</li> <li>Is owned or operated by the following individual(s) who has/have been convicted of a felony:</li> <li>If the 3<sup>rd</sup> box is checked, a detailed explanation of the names and convictions must be attached.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
1.4. Pricing Information
<ul> <li>1.4.1. In addition to the typical unit pricing furnished herein, the Vendor agrees to furnish all current and future products at prices that are proportionate to Dealer Pricing. X Yes No If answer is no, attach a statement detailing how pricing for TIPS participants would be calculated.</li> <li>1.4.2. Pricing submitted includes the 2% TIPS participation fee. X Yes No</li> <li>1.4.3. Vendor agrees to remit to TIPS the required 2% participation fee. X Yes No</li> <li>1.4.4. Additional discounts to TIPS members for bulk quantities? X Yes No</li> </ul>
1.5. Vendor Service
<ul> <li>1.5.1. Average shipping time after receipt of customer order is <u>5-7</u> working days.</li> <li>1.5.2. Which description best describes your company's position in the distribution channel?</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Manufacturer direct</li> <li>Authorized distributor</li> <li>Value-added reseller</li> <li>Other</li> </ul>
1.5.3. Company experience in this category. <u>12</u> Years (this includes Trinity3 and its subsidiaries)
The Vendor can provide services and/or products to all 50 US States? X Yes No If answer is no, please list which states can be served
Prices are guaranteed for: (Standard Term is "Term of Contract") Term selected will affect scoring.          Month(s); or       Year(s); or       X       Term of Contract
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**Company and/or Product Description:** (This information will appear on the TIPS website for your company, if awarded a TIPS contract.) Limit 750 characters.

Trinity3 Technology is your premium source for personal systems, enterprise products and services

to the education/government marketplace. At Triinty3 we provide new and recertified brand name

desktop, mobile, servers, storage and networking hardware. Our veteran staff of professionals is

dedicated to providing the best custom solutions to our education/government customers. We offer

industry leading warranties and a portfolio of technology services; with Trinity3, it's personal

If applicable, vendor should list Reseller/Dealers here or provide listing as attachment to proposal.

Dealer Name	Tel
Address	Fax
Primary Contact	Email
Dealer Name	Tel
Address	Fax
Primary Contact	Email
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### All SALES CALLS WILL BE DIRECTED TO THE TWO INDIVIDUAL VENDOR CONTACTS LISTED BELOW. THESE TWO CONTACTS WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR KNOWING THE TIPS CONTRACT AND CONTRACT PRICING. THESE NAMES WILL BE LISTED ON THE TIPS WEBSITE AS PRIMARY AND SECONDARY CONTACTS FOR THE AWARDED CONTRACT.

Primary Contact:		Secondary Contact:	
Name:	Jake Meyers	Name:	Marie Muenchow
Title:	Account Executive	Title:	Customer Service
Email:	jake@trinity3.com	Email:	mmuenchow@trinity3.com
Phone:	855-862-5120	Phone:	855-862-5120
Fax:	651-888-7916	Fax:	651-888-7916
Mobile:		Mobile:	

Administrative Fee REPORTING TO TIPS - You will receive a Monthly Report by Email to submit with a check for 2% on all sales that go through this contract. Please list below who will be responsible for collecting and reporting these sales to TIPS:

Contact person: Julie Tobias Email: \_\_itobias@trinity3.com\_\_ **Telephone:** 855-862-5120

WORDS FOR "SEARCH ENGINE" - Please list words to be posted on your company's page on the TIPS website (if you receive an award from this proposal). Words may be product names, manufacturers, or other words that are associated with the category of award. YOU MAY NOT LIST NON-CATEGORY ITEMS. Words to be included in the Search Engine for my Company (Limit 500 words):

computer, laptop, notebook, tablet, desktop, refurbished, off lease, Dell, HP, Lenovo, Apple

Samsung, IBM, Acer, Asus, monitor, keyboard, mouse, mice, hard drive, solid state drive,

DVD, DVD-ROM, DVD-RW, CD-ROM, CD-RW, video card, dual video, power supply,

motherboard, memory, extended warranty, parts closet, advanced replacement

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# **CONTRACT** Signature Form

The undersigned hereby proposes and agrees to furnish goods and/or services in strict compliance with the terms, specifications and conditions at the prices quoted unless noted in writing. The undersigned further certifies that he or she is an authorized agent of the company and has authority to negotiate and contract for the company named below. Note: The information in BOLD will be the PRIMARY COMPANY INFORMATION listed on the Vendor Page.

Company name	Trinity3 Technology		
Mailing Address	650 Pelham Blvd Suite 600		
City/State/Zip	St. Paul, MN 55114		
Telephone No.	855-862-5120		
Fax No.	651-888-7916		
E-mail address	chad@trinity3.com		
Authorized signature	- he De		
Printed name	Chad Dehmlow		
Position with company	Vice President		
EMAIL FOR ALL PO's WILL BE SENT	Email jake@trinity3.com		
Person Responsible for PROCESSING PO's	Name Jake Meyers		
Telephone to Contact the PO Person	Phone 855-862-5120		
Company Website			

### It is very important that if the PO person changes that TIPS is notified immediately.

This contract is for a total TERM of three years, but is reviewed and renewed every 12 months. Vendors shall honor the participation fee for any sales made based on the TIPS contract. Failure to pay the fee will be grounds for termination of contract and will affect the award of future contracts.

Blenda McMatt TIPS Authorized Signature David Nayne Fitts

Approved by Region VIII E

1-22-15 Date 1-22-15

# **References**

Buncombe County Schools Revonda Taylor 175 Bingham Road Asheville, NC 28806 828-232-4231 Revonda.taylor@bcsemail.org

Tullahoma City Schools Dianne Darlington 510 S. Jackson St. Tullahoma City, TN 37388 931-454-2652 Dianne.darlington@tcsedu.net

Fayette County Schools Moe Shrewsberry 111 Fayette Ave. Fayetteville, WV 25840 304-222-5893 mshrewsberry@access.k12.wv.us

Tensas Parish Schools William Fletcher PO Box 318 St. Joseph, LA 71366 318-766-3269 wmfletch@tensaspsb.org

Union Parish Schools Mike Tynes PO Box 308 Farmerville, LA 71241 318-368-9715 tynesm@unionpsd.org

Winn Parish Schools Amy Seward 304 East Court Street Winnfield, LA 71483 318-628-6936 aseward@winnpsb.org

# **Warranty**

Trinity3 Technology maintains a standard warranty of 6 years for PC desktop computers, 4 years for PC laptops and 2 years for Apple products. Laptop batteries come with a 1 year warranty. Peripherals come with a 1 year warranty unless otherwise stated. All repair work is carried out at our St. Paul, MN facility. Trinity3 pays for standard shipping both ways on any warranty repair work. In addition, Trinity3 provides spare parts for desktop orders in excess of 20 units. Extended warranties and accidental damage coverage is also available at an additional charge. For additional information regarding our warranties please visit our website at: <u>http://www.trinity3.com/trinity3-warranties.asp</u>