

WAN FIBER SERVICE

An RFP was issued for WAN Fiber Services to connect Two-Mile Prairie to the existing district Wide Area Network. This contract will begin on July 1, 2019 and last for a five-year term, ending June 30, 2024.

Service must provide dedicated Lit Transport Bandwidth throughout (upload and download) of 10G (via dual 10G for a combined 20G diverse connection) to service Two- Mile Prairie Elementary.

Fiber services are required to support rapidly growing bandwidth needs and to meet the State Education Technology Directors Association standard recognized in the FCC Second E-rate Modernization order as the benchmark standard for bandwidth for school districts.

VENDOR	MONTHLY COST
SOCKET TELECOM -Columbia, MO	\$1,495.00
BLUEBIRD NETWORK – Columbia, MO	\$58,500.00*

*Pricing included the entire District

RECOMMENDATION: Award to **SOCKET TELECOM**, Columbia, MO