



## Network Access Request for Proposal (RFP)

The following access request has been submitted to Kan-ed by a constituent member. The request is for local loop connectivity to the Kan-ed Network. Kan-ed is posting this notice as a courtesy to its membership. This posting does not preclude the constituent's rights or responsibilities to pursue alternate avenues of procurement.

Kan-ed has confirmed the information and contacted known service providers in the constituent's service area. This RFP posting on the Kan-ed website acts as notice to all providers, known or unknown to Kan-ed, of the constituent's need for local loop access services.

Kan-ed acts to facilitate connections for Kan-ed members using local service providers. All service and/or equipment contracts resulting from proposal responses, however, are strictly between the constituent and the chosen local provider. Final choice of providers is the responsibility of the constituent member.

For a complete review of the connections process, see the "Network Services" section of the Kan-ed website. Questions regarding this request may be addressed to the Network Access Manager at Kan-ed on (785)296-7027.

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**RFP Number:** 05-017 **Opening Date:** 6/23/06 **Closing Date:** 7/24/06

<p><b>Customer:</b> Independence Community College 1057 W College Ave P.O. Box 708 Independence, KS 67301</p>
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**Statement of Work:**

Purpose – Obtain access to Kan-ed video services, Internet 2 and the commercial Internet

Connection – A 3-9Mbps multi-service circuit connecting the Independence Community College to the commercial internet and a Kan-ed Network Access Point (NAP).

Network Equipment – None, router supplied by Kan-ed

Premise Equipment – None, video equipment supplied separately

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**Instructions:**

Prospective providers desiring consideration under this RFP should submit proposals in writing to the attention of Greg Eytcheson. All proposals must be received at Independence Community College by 5:00PM on the closing date of this RFP. Final selection of the service provider is the responsibility of Independence Community College. Once a selection has been made, Independence Community College shall notify the Kan-ed Network Access Manager in order to begin service implementation procedures.