Invitation to provide quotation for the following items:

• Cisco Firepower FPR-1150

The Vendor will monitor and manage Cisco Firepower FPR-1150 Network Security/Firewall Appliance Qty 2 for availability and performance and alert any issues to the Vendor Service Desk and Rossendale ICT Support team via the dashboard, email and / or SMS. Firewalls will be patched to the latest recommended firmware levels twice a year (unless a serious security vulnerability is discovered sooner). The Rossendale ICT Support team will be consulted prior to firmware patches being implemented to firewalls and any other appliances. All Firewall configurations will be backed up to a central repository every month. The backing up of firewalls and devices fall in to the following 3 categories:

Change management backups

When a device configuration is changed, the running configuration before the change is made is secured, then once the change is complete the updated configuration is secured.

Project backups

As part of a project, when a device configuration is changed, the running configuration before the change is made is secured, then once the change is complete the updated configuration is secured.

Automated / monthly backups

Where a device has the ability to run an automated schedule (such as switches) then this is configuring to run a monthly backup. If the device does not have such functionality (Firewalls), this is undertaken manually.

Vendor will provide remote support as required and changes when requested.

• PRTG Real Time Monitoring & Alerting Service QTY 13 licenses for a range of

devices

Submitting your quotation

If you are interested in providing the above items you are subject to the Rossendale Borough Council standard Terms & Conditions you must submit your quote together with the completed documentation to the Council no later than **17th January 2025 to:**

By email to tenders@rossendalebc.gov.uk

The email should state the following:

Quotation for: Quotation for Cisco Firepower PR-

150 Network Security/Firewall Appliance & PRTG

Licenses

Closing date 17th January

Any quotes received after this time may not be considered, it is your responsibility to get the quote in on time regardless of delivery method. All submissions shall be in English and prices in Sterling, exclusive of VAT. Quotations/documentation received will be evaluated on the following criteria

Criteria	% =
	100
Quoted price	100

Payment

Payments will be staged as follows on Rossendale Borough Council acceptance of the satisfactory submission of:

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- 100% on successful provision of PRTG licenses, and set up of ongoing management of Cisco Firepower FPR-1150 equipment.

This letter is not intended to signify guarantee of an order being placed, and no commitment is undertaken by the Council to purchase services on receipt of quotations/documents.

Should you have any queries, please email <u>webmaster@rossendalebc.gov.uk</u>.