

April 5, 2018

Letter of Appeal – Request for Waiver

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
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Washington, DC 20554

Entity & BEN	ATHENS COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARIES (BEN 130079)
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Funding Year	FY2018
Application Type & Application Number	Form 471 # 181042422
FRN/s	1899082956
Appeal Reason	We were unable to complete vendor selection prior to the close of the Form 471 deadline.
Proceeding No.	02-6

Due to the lateness in receiving quotes, we were unable to evaluate and select a vendor until after the close of the Form 471 filing window. The bid evaluation process was completed as soon as possible, however, it resulted in our Form 471 being filed out of window. We request a waiver of rules, and ask that you allow our late filed Form 471 be given a status of "Certified in Window".

Sincerely,



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