REQUEST FOR BID #2023-054
GPU CLUSTER
RESPONSE ADDENDUM #03
December 7, 2022

CLARIFICATION

In addition to the initial bid, at the University option, an award will allow for continued relationship with the Contractor for additional purchases. The term of the resulting contract will be five (5) years.

QUESTIONS

1. Appendix D Storage Server and Rack: What would be the required network connectivity for the storage server? Number of cards, number of ports, and desired speed

   Answer: The storage server is built to handle the 40 port 200Gb Mellanox QM8700. This item should be included in the initial build for the server

2. Would the university provide a 1G switch for the management network or should that be included with the proposal?

   Answer: Please include a managed switch in the bid. – Please provide pricing for Extreme Networks switches and Cisco

3. Since 2x UPS units are requested, should 2x PDUs be included in the proposal? A PDU can only connect to one UPS, as stated it mentions one PDU and two UPS. If that is the correct quantity what would be connected to the second UPS?

   Answer: 2x PDUs would be required for the build to support the redundancy offered by the UPS's.