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FIRST Q&A RESPONSE
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To whom it may concern:

This letter serves as the official response to the question submitted by Karlos Reynolds of Cogent on March 8, 2024. The answer follows the questions below.

Question 1: Does if Hughes Spring ISD has any preferences or specific exclusions regarding last mile service providers?

Answer 1: **No.**

Question 2: Are you seeking Dedicated Internet Access (DIA), Point-to-Point service, or a combination of both for your requirements?

Answer 2: **This request is a point–to–point connection for "Standalone Data Transmission Service" and does not include internet access.**

Question 3: In the event that VLAN tagging or QinQ tunneling is necessary, could you please specify your preferences or requirements?

Answer 3: **The district desires connection technology that delivers a secure transparent tunnel between the district's equipment. Tagged and untagged traffic should be received by the district equipment as though it were directly connected. The district does not have any specification or preference on methods or protocols (ex. 802.1Q) other than what is described above.**

Respectfully,

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