## **Connecticut Libraries Fiber Consortium**

## Recommendation for Contract Award In Response to the REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR Leased Lit Fiber, Internet Access: ISP Service Only, or Internet Access and Transport Bundled, Issued Nov. 6, 2019 for Funding Year 2020

The Connecticut State Library, on behalf of the Connecticut Libraries Fiber Consortium, recommends these as the most cost-effective options for the consortium members. Member Libraries are responsible for contracting directly with these vendors if they choose to.

1. For libraries using fiber-based broadband that want ISP Service Only: Connecticut Education Network (CEN)

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2. For libraries using non-fiber transport broadband which want Internet Access and Transport Bundled: Granite Telecommunications, LLC

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