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## **How libraries are utilizing the E-rate program to expand their services**

Technology is transforming how libraries are used and what library patrons expect. Is your library up to date with its technology needs? The federal E-rate program can help.

Through this program, funding is available to cover costs associated with your internet connectivity, related equipment and infrastructure so you can offer your community modern, fast and reliable services.

## **Solix consultants help libraries maximize E-rate program funding**

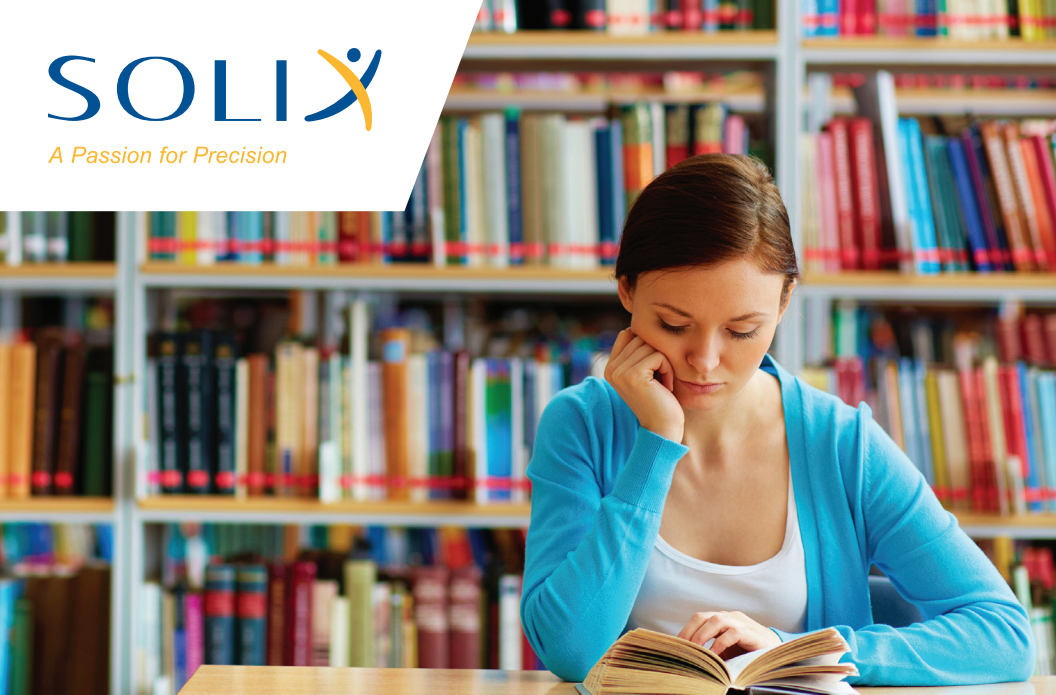
Solix can help you navigate the complicated E-rate application process. We have experts that will work with your team to assess your needs as well as funding potential and file the necessary forms to maximize your benefits.

We will facilitate crucial processes including:

- Managing the end to end application process
- Procuring vendor services via RFPs and competitive bidding
- Providing program compliance and audit support services
- Filing all program forms, meeting deadlines, and addressing inquiries



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## Why use Solix E-rate consultants?

- Obtain more reliable funding based on in-depth knowledge of eligible services
- Ensure compliance to complex program rules
- Reduces risk of non-funding related to missed deadlines and non-compliance
- Reduces audit exposure
- Enable libraries to focus on servicing their communities

Libraries using E-rate consultants are more likely to get a higher amount of funding and a greater percentage of requested funding committed than libraries that don't use consultants.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Based on averages from applications filed between 2016 and 2018 from USACs Open Data

## Solix Consultants have 20 years of E-rate experience