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Washington, DC 20036

Information

Description: **12-3J14-20-B-0351**
Bid invitation number: **2000006883**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Fruit and Veg**

SOLICITATION Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 04/20/2020 10:00:00
Offer Due Date : 05/04/2020 13:00:00

Opening date: 05/04/2020 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

(Canned Vegetables), SOLICITATION NO: 2000006883

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Canned Vegetables pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the Emergency Food Assistance Program, and other Federal Food and Nutrition Assistance Programs. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, May 14, 2020. Deliveries are between (July 1, 2020 - September 30, 2020).

Sweet Potatoes w/ Syrup 300 is 100% Small Business Set-Aside.

The specialist for this solicitation is Claudius Price (Claudius.l.price@usda.gov). The contracting officer for this solicitation is Kelli Dawkins (Kelli.Dawkins@usda.gov). Please contact the specialist first, with questions regarding the requirements of this solicitation. Do not discuss your bid prices with the specialist or contracting officer before award.

The Quantity Tolerance section of the specification document, "Contractor will be allowed a tolerance on the final delivery of plus or minus 50 cases of each product, from each shipping point named in the purchase order", is not applicable to this solicitation. USDA will not pay for any cases exceeding the contracted quantity.

Offerors who intend to use more than one processing plant and shipping point for contracts awarded under this solicitation, other than the processing plant and shipping point entered in their bids, may submit a list of their approved processing plants and shipping points on a separate sheet of paper to be uploaded in WBSCM, and to be submitted with their bids.

This Solicitation may show multiple stops on some line items; however, the number of stops will be limited to a maximum of three. To determine the number of destinations, review the "Tendering Text" for the lot, which will indicate the City and State for each stop. Bidders may submit different prices for each stop. However, a price is required on all line items within the lot.

For offshore destinations (Puerto Rico, Hawaii, etc.), offerors have the option to choose to enter their bids direct to the offshore destination or to the port.

Purchases will be made on an f.o.b. destination basis to cities on this Solicitation. Destination quantities listed are estimates and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operations.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

Offers must be submitted electronically via the Web-Based Supply Chain Management System

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(WBSCM). Offers submitted by any means other than WBSCM will be deemed nonresponsive. Offerors must be active in WBSCM and have the required bidder roles in order to submit offers under this solicitation. Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call (202) 720-4517 for assistance.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver. Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated October 2019; Specification for Canned Vegetables dated March 2020; or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3522-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W.; Washington, D.C. 20250-0239. Telephone: (202) 720-4517. FAX: (202)720-2782.

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See attached documents:

- 1 . Master Solicitation-Oct 2019
- 2 . CommoditySpecificationforCannedVegetablesMarch2020

Attributes :

OFFEROR CERTIFIES THAT THE OFFER IS MADE SUBJECT TO THE MASTER SOLICITATION; COMMODITY SUPPLEMENT AND/OR SPECIFICATION(S); THIS SOLICITATION; THE AGRICULTURE ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (AGAR) AND THE FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (FAR).
 Timely performance: Offeror and any subcontractor have completed required performance of any USDA contract prior to this bid opening.

Permitted values: - There are no existing contracts/purchase orders

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- Have not been delivered, but the Offeror has notified the Contracting Officer
- Have not been delivered
- Have been delivered

OFFEROR REQUESTS HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS PRICE EVALUATION PREFERENCE. APPLIES ONLY TO FIRMS CERTIFIED IN THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION#S HUBZONE PROGRAM (FAR SUBPART 19.13).MUST BE THE MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER OF THE PRODUCT TO RECEIVE A PRICE PREFERENCE

Furnish name, title, phone number, fax number, and e-mail address of person submitting this bid (must be an officer of the company or a person authorized to execute contracts/purchase orders on behalf of the bidder).

IS THE OFFEROR AN ENTITY THAT HAS FILED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION IN ONE OF THE FIFTY STATES, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OR THE VARIOUS TERRITORIES OF THE UNITED STATES? YOU MUST ANSWER THE NEXT 3 QUESTIONS IF THE ANSWER FOR THIS QUESTION IS YES.

HAS THE OFFEROR BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

HAS THE OFFEROR HAD ANY OFFICER OR AGENT OF OFFEROR CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION FOR ACTIONS TAKEN ON BEHALF OF OFFEROR UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

DOES THE OFFEROR HAVE ANY UNPAID FEDERAL TAX LIABILITY ASSESSED, WHICH ALL JUDICIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES HAVE BEEN EXHAUSTED/LAPSED, THAT IS NOT BEING PAID IN A TIMELY MANNER PURSUANT TO AGREEMENT WITH THE AUTHORITY RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTING IT?

Offeror acknowledges receipt of the amendment(s) to the solicitation. Select N/A if no amendment was issued to the solicitation.

- Permitted values:
- N/A
 - No
 - Yes

Bid invitation Item details

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
10		VEGETABLE, CANNED			
20		PUMPKIN CAN-24/300			
30		FORT PIERCE FL			
40	100319	PUMPKIN CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	34947	CS 1,620.000
50		LAS VEGAS NV			
60	100319	PUMPKIN CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	89115	CS 1,620.000

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70 BUFFALO NY						
80	100319	PUMPKIN CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	14206		CS
					1,620.000	
90 LOT: 336853154 OKLAHOMA CITY OK / TUL..						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 336853154 OKLAHOMA CITY OK / TULSA OK /						
100	100319	PUMPKIN CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	73179		CS
					972.000	
110	100319	PUMPKIN CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	74106		CS
					648.000	
120 LOT: 696531654 CLEARWATER FL / PORT R..						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 696531654 CLEARWATER FL / PORT RICHEY FL / TAMPA FL /						
130	100319	PUMPKIN CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	33756		CS
					393.000	
140	100319	PUMPKIN CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	34688		CS
					246.000	
150	100319	PUMPKIN CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	33605		CS
					981.000	
		Total Quantity for PUMPKIN CAN-24/300				CS
					8,100.000	
160 SPINACH CAN-24/300						
170 MESA AZ						
180	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	85210		CS
					1,615.000	
190 LONG BEACH CA						
200	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	90813		CS
					1,615.000	
210 DENVER CO						
220	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	80239		CS
					1,615.000	
230 FORT PIERCE FL						
240	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	34947		CS
					1,615.000	
250 HOMESTEAD FL						
260	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	33033		CS
					1,615.000	
270	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	33033		CS
					1,615.000	

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280	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	33033	1,615.000	CS
290 JACKSONVILLE FL						
300	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	32218	1,615.000	CS
310	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	32218	1,615.000	CS
320	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	32218	1,615.000	CS
330 EAST POINT GA						
340	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	30344	1,615.000	CS
350 CHICAGO IL						
360	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	60609	1,615.000	CS
370 BALTIMORE MD						
380	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	21227	1,615.000	CS
390 KANSAS CITY MO						
400	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	64129	1,615.000	CS
1260	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	64161	1,615.000	CS
410 SPRINGFIELD MO						
420	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	65803	1,615.000	CS
430 BRONX NY						
440	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	10474	1,615.000	CS
450	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	10474	1,615.000	CS
460	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	10474	1,615.000	CS
470 BUFFALO NY						
480	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	14206	1,615.000	CS
490 LOGAN OH						
500	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	43138		CS

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					1,615.000	
510 TOLEDO OH						
520	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	43609	1,615.000	CS
530	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	43609	1,615.000	CS
540 AUSTIN TX						
550	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	78744	1,615.000	CS
560	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	78744	1,615.000	CS
570	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	78744	1,615.000	CS
580 HOUSTON TX						
590	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	77029	1,615.000	CS
600	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	77029	1,615.000	CS
610 PLANO TX						
620	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	75075	1,615.000	CS
630 TYLER TX						
640	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	75711	1,615.000	CS
650 LOT: 89799197 CLEARWATER FL / PORT RI...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 89799197 CLEARWATER FL / PORT RICHEY FL / TAMPA FL /						
660	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	33756	391.000	CS
670	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	34688	246.000	CS
680	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	33605	978.000	CS
690 LOT: 247738798 CLEARWATER FL / PORT R..						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 247738798 CLEARWATER FL / PORT RICHEY FL / TAMPA FL /						
700	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	33756		CS

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					391.000	
710	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	34688		CS
					246.000	
720	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	33605		CS
					978.000	
730 LOT: 307626388 FAIRFIELD CA / SACRAME..						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 307626388 FAIRFIELD CA / SACRAMENTO CA /						
740	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	94533		CS
					808.000	
750	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	95828		CS
					807.000	
760 LOT: 375189060 BOSTON MA / HATFIELD M...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 375189060 BOSTON MA / HATFIELD MA / SHREWSBURY MA /						
770	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	02118		CS
					808.000	
780	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	01038		CS
					403.000	
790	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	01545		CS
					404.000	
800 LOT: 647780516 AIKEN SC / NO CHARLEST...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 647780516 AIKEN SC / NO CHARLESTON SC /						
810	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	29803		CS
					808.000	
820	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	29405		CS
					807.000	
830 LOT: 794165292 BOSTON MA / HATFIELD M...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 794165292 BOSTON MA / HATFIELD MA / LOWELL MA /						
840	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	02118		CS
					808.000	
850	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	01038		CS
					404.000	
860	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	01854		CS
					403.000	
870 LOT: 794595908 OKLAHOMA CITY OK / TUL...						
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880	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	73179	969.000	CS
890	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	74106	646.000	CS
900 LOT: 899422253 CLARE MI / LANSING MI /						
910	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	48617	1,211.000	CS
920	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	48910	404.000	CS
930 LOT: 916052358 ODESSA TX / PLANO TX /						
940	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	79761	404.000	CS
950	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	75075	1,211.000	CS
960 LOT: 975631810 BENTON HARBOR MI / CLA...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 975631810 BENTON HARBOR MI / CLARE MI / LANSING MI /						
970	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	49022	886.000	CS
980	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	48617	325.000	CS
990	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	48910	404.000	CS
1050 NAMPA ID						
1060	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	83687	3,230.000	CS
1200 SYRACUSE NY						
1210	100323	SPINACH CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	13209	1,615.000	CS
Total Quantity for SPINACH CAN-24/300					69,445.000	CS
1000 HOMINY CAN-24/300						
1010 NAMPA ID						
1020	100904	HOMINY CAN-24/300	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	83687	1,530.000	CS
1190	100904	HOMINY CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	83687	1,530.000	CS
1030 KANSAS CITY MO						

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1040	100904	HOMINY CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	64161	1,530.000	CS
1250	100904	HOMINY CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	64161	1,530.000	CS
Total Quantity for HOMINY CAN-24/300					6,120.000	CS
1070 SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300						
1080 NAMPA ID						
1090	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	83687	1,530.000	CS
1100	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	83687	1,530.000	CS
1110	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	83687	1,530.000	CS
1120	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	83687	1,530.000	CS
1220	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	83687	1,530.000	CS
1130 KANSAS CITY MO						
1140	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	64161	1,530.000	CS
1150	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	64161	1,530.000	CS
1230	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	64161	1,530.000	CS
1160 SYRACUSE NY						
1170	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	13209	1,530.000	CS
1180	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	13209	1,530.000	CS
1240	100316	SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	13209	1,530.000	CS
Total Quantity for SWEET POTATOES W/ SYRUP CAN-24/300					16,830.000	CS
Total Quantity for Invitation					100,495.000	CS



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