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Information

Description: **12-3J14-20-B-0703**
Bid invitation number: **2000007335**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Livestock**

SOLICITATION
Master/Shortfall Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 09/18/2020 12:00:00
Offer Due Date : 09/25/2020 13:00:00

Opening date: 09/25/2020 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Master

Additional requested information:

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FROZEN GROUND BISON, SOLICITATION NO: 2000007335

The U.S Department of Agriculture (USDA) requests proposals to sell frozen ground bison pursuant to the attached Request for Proposals (RFP) document for use in the food and nutrition assistance programs. Interested offerors shall carefully read applicable documents and instructions located in the RFP document concerning the content, format and submission of proposals. Awards will be announced by midnight September 30, 2020

Questions regarding the solicitation shall be submitted in writing to Chyra.Lewis@usda.gov no later than Monday, September 21, 2020 by 1:00 PM Central Time. The Pre-proposal Conference call-in will be on Monday, September 21, 2020 at 2:00pm Central Time. Dial 1-888-844-9904 and use Access Code 1801764.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred. Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver.

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

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See attached documents:

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- 1 . AMS Master Solicitation CP - August 2020
- 2 . 2000007335 - Exhibit 2 - Product Description, Price and Constrai
- 3 . 2000007335 - Exhibit 3 - Domestic Origin Certification
- 4 . 2000007335 - Exhibit 5 - Past Performance Reference Information
- 5 . 2000007335 - Bison RFP

Attributes :

Offeror represents that IAW FAR 52.204-25, it will not provide covered telecommunications equipment or services to the Government in the performance of any contract, subcontract or other contractual instrument resulting from this solicitation.

FOR 8(A) VENDORS ONLY: Please specify the material(s) and material number(s) that you are interested in participating on this solicitation.

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?

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Offeror represents that IAW 52.204-25, it does not use covered telecommunications equipment or services, or use any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services.

Bid invitation Item details

Item Material Description	Quantity
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David C. Jackson
 Commodity Procurement Staff
 Contracting Officer
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