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Information

Description: **12-3J14-22-B-0263**
Bid invitation number: **2000008446**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Livestock**

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 03/29/2022 12:45:00
Offer Due Date : 04/04/2022 13:00:00

Opening date: 04/04/2022 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

FROZEN BEEF PRODUCTS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000008446

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen beef products pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the National School Lunch Program and other Federal food and nutrition assistance programs. Acceptances will be announced no later than midnight, March 08, 2022.

Deliveries are to be from June 01, 2022 to June 30, 2022.

Ground Beef 1-pound packages shall be delivered within 30 days from date of pack.

Material(s) 100158 is/are 50% Small Business Set Aside - See FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Small Business Set-Aside. NAICS Code 311611 - Business size 1,000 employees or less apply to this requirement.

Material(s) 100159 and 110260 are ten percent (10%) Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business Set Aside.

The 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.

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.

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.

In order to submit offers on this Solicitation, Offerors must be deemed eligible by the Contracting Officer. Product purchased under this Solicitation will be produced according to the applicable Federal Purchase Program Specification and eligible supplier's approved technical proposal.

Offerors must reference their AMS designated laboratory in their technical proposal.

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NOTE: All fees associated with microbial testing for boneless beef and ground beef items and fat analysis for ground beef products will be paid by AMS. 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 non-responsive. Offerors must be active in WBSCM and have the required bidder roles in order to submit offers under this solicitation. Once connected, follow the on-line 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 AMS Master Solicitation, dated March 2022; Supplement 211 to the AMS Master Solicitation, dated September 2021; or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3524-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, Washington, D.C. 20250. Telephone (202)720-4517. FAX: (202)720-2782.

 The USDA prohibits discrimination against its customers, employees, and applicants for employment on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender identity, religion, reprisal, and where applicable, political beliefs, marital status, familial or parental status, sexual orientation, or all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program, or protected genetic information in employment or in any program or activity conducted or funded by the Department. (Not all prohibited bases will apply to all programs and/or employment activities.) To file a complaint of discrimination, write: USDA, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410 or call (866)632-9992 (Toll-free Customer Service), (800) 877-8339 (Local or Federal relay), (866) 377-8642 (Relay voice users).

See attached documents:

- 1 . SUPPLEMENT 211 AUGUST 2017
- 2 . GS1 Certification
- 3 . AMS MASTER SOLICITATION (R) - 03-01-2022

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.

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- Permitted values:
- Have been delivered
 - Have not been delivered
 - Have not been delivered, but the Offeror has notified the Contracting Officer
 - There are no existing contracts/purchase orders

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:
- Yes
 - No
 - N/A

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

Please see attached GS1 attribute question.

Bid invitation Item details

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
10		BEEF, GROUND			
20		BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB			
30		POMONA CA			
40	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	06/16/2022-06/30/2022	91767	LB

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					40,000.000
50 CEDAR FALLS IA					
60	100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB	06/01/2022-06/15/2022	50613	LB
					40,000.000
Total Quantity for BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB					
					80,000.000
70 BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB					
80 NAMPA ID					
90	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	83687	LB
					40,000.000
100	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	83687	LB
					40,000.000
110 CHICAGO IL					
120	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	60632	LB
					40,000.000
130 URBANA IL					
140	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	61801	LB
					40,000.000
150 KANSAS CITY MO					
160	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	64161	LB
					40,000.000
170 BRONX NY					
180	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	10474	LB
					80,000.000
190	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	10474	LB
					80,000.000
200 BUFFALO NY					
210	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	14206	LB
					40,000.000
220 CANTON OH					
230	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	44714	LB
					40,000.000
240 JENKINS TOWNSHIP PA					
250	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	18640	LB
					40,000.000
260 PHILADELPHIA PA					
270	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	19122	LB

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					40,000.000
280	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	19129	LB
					40,000.000
290 READING PA					
300	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	19608	LB
					40,000.000
310 WILLIAMSPORT PA					
320	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	17701	LB
					40,000.000
330 AUSTIN TX					
340	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	78744	LB
					40,000.000
350 LAREDO TX					
360	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	78040	LB
					40,000.000
370 PLANO TX					
380	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	75075	LB
					40,000.000
390 SEATTLE WA					
400	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	98108	LB
					40,000.000
410 EAU CLAIRE WI					
420	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	54703	LB
					40,000.000
430 MADISON WI					
440	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	53716	LB
					40,000.000
450 LOT: 40052055 BROOKLYN PARK MN / EAST...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 40052055 BROOKLYN PARK MN / EAST GRAND FORKS MN / NEW HOPE MN /					
460	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	55428	LB
					15,840.000
470	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	56721	LB
					10,800.000
480	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	55428	LB
					13,360.000
490 LOT: 100377157 TACOMA WA / TUMWATER W...					

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Tendering text - Item : LOT: 100377157 TACOMA WA / TUMWATER WA / VANCOUVER WA /					
500	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	98409	18,280.000 LB
510	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	98512	14,240.000 LB
520	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	98661	7,480.000 LB
530 LOT: 122166205 GREELEY CO / LOUISVILL..					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 122166205 GREELEY CO / LOUISVILLE CO / LOVELAND CO /					
540	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	80631	16,000.000 LB
550	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	80027	10,400.000 LB
560	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	80538	13,600.000 LB
570 LOT: 153887903 MOSES LAKE WA / SPOKAN..					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 153887903 MOSES LAKE WA / SPOKANE WA / YAKIMA WA /					
580	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	98837	8,880.000 LB
590	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	99202	22,400.000 LB
600	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	98902	8,720.000 LB
610 LOT: 199630712 NAZARETH PA / PHILADEL..					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 199630712 NAZARETH PA / PHILADELPHIA PA /					
620	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	18064	20,000.000 LB
630	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	19129	20,000.000 LB
640 LOT: 246639214 ERIE PA / PITTSBURGH PA /					
650	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	16501	10,000.000 LB
660	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	15201	30,000.000 LB
670 LOT: 293400996 SEATTLE WA / SPOKANE WA /					

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680	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	98108	LB 32,000.000
690	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	99202	LB 8,000.000
700 LOT: 372507398 BRIDGETON MO / KANSAS ...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 372507398 BRIDGETON MO / KANSAS CITY MO / SPRINGFIELD MO /					
710	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	63044	LB 13,360.000
720	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	64129	LB 13,320.000
730	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	65803	LB 13,320.000
740 LOT: 609113858 BOSTON MA / HATFIELD MA /					
750	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	02118	LB 30,000.000
760	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	01038	LB 10,000.000
770 LOT: 685753355 LINCOLN NE / OMAHA NE /					
780	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	68521	LB 10,000.000
790	100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/04/2022-06/15/2022	68127	LB 30,000.000
Total Quantity for BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB					LB 1,280,000.00 0
800 BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ PKG-40/1 LB					
810 LAS VEGAS NV					
820	110260	BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	06/19/2022-06/30/2022	89030	LB 40,000.000
Total Quantity for BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ PKG-40/1 LB					LB 40,000.000
Total Quantity for Invitation					LB 1,400,000.00 0



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