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Washington, DC 20036

Information

Description: **12-3J14-23-B-0552-0005**
Bid invitation number: **2000009522**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Livestock**

SOLICITATION Master/Shortfall Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 07/31/2023 17:40:00
Offer Due Date : 08/17/2023 13:00:00

Opening date: 08/17/2023 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Master

Additional requested information:

Amendment Text :

8/3/2023: A0001 - Amendment to:

Correct the offered quantities per State; from 1,440,000 lbs. to 2,500 lbs.
Remove the text: Contractors who supply meat, poultry and eggs are required to obtain a USDA Establishment Number. For additional information, please go to the following link:
<https://www.fsis.usda.gov/inspection/establishments/meat-poultry-and-egg-product-inspection-direc>. on pg 2 of the attached RFP

8/10/2023: A0002 - Amended to:

Change the submission of proposals from WBSCM to Email
Add Bison POC Delivery/Capacity/Price Template
Add pre-proposal conference questions dated 8/7/2023

Tendering text - Header :

BISON POC:SOLICITATION NO: 2000009522 DESCRIPTION 12-3J14-23-B-0552

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) requests proposals to sell GROUND BISON pursuant to the attached Request for Proposal (RFP) document for use in the Food Distribution Program for Indian Reservations (FDPIR).

Interested offerors shall carefully read applicable documents and instructions located in the RFP document concerning the content, format, and submission of proposals. Offerors must ensure that the Contracting Officer receives the narrative as described in part 1 of the solicitation no later than 1:00 p.m. Central Time on Wednesday, August 17, 2023. Awards will be announced by midnight August 30, 2023.

QUESTIONS regarding this RFP are due on or before 1:00 pm Central Time, on Tuesday, August 3, 2023 via email, to LaShawne.Brown@ams.usda.gov concerning Solicitation 2000009522, with Ground Bison POC in the subject line.

A pre-proposal conference call is scheduled on August 7, 2023 at 12:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time #

Call in information:

Microsoft Teams meeting
Join on your computer, mobile app or room device
Click here to join the meeting
Meeting ID: 259 668 349 335
Passcode: c2Am9G

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Download Teams | Join on the web
 Or call in (audio only)
 + 1 202-650-0123,736429941# United States, Washington DC
 Phone Conference ID: 736 429 941#
 Find a local number | Reset PIN

Offerors shall submit written responses to Part 1 described in the attached solicitation document. 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:

- 1 . Ground Bison IDR Exhibit 1A Micro Requirements
- 2 . Ground Bison IDR Exhibit 1 062123 SSD FINAL
- 3 . MSCP-D (04-05-2023)
- 4 . BISON POC RFP SOLICITATION NO 2000009522
- 5 . 2000009522_A01

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- 6 . Bison POC Delivery_Capacity_Price Template
- 7 . 2000009522 - A02

Attributes :

OFFEROR REQUESTS HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS PRICE EVALUATION 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).

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

OFFEROR CERTIFIES THAT A FOOD DEFENSE PLAN EXISTS FOR ALL PLANTS AND SHIPPING POINTS PRIOR TO BID OPENING

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?

Timely performance: Offeror and any subcontractor have completed required performance of any USDA contract prior to this bid opening.

- 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

Bid invitation Item details

Item Material Description	Quantity
10 BISON PRODUCTS	
20 110001 BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	LB
	2,500.000
Total Quantity for BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	LB

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Item	Material	Description	Quantity	
30	110674	BISON GROUND FRZ PKG-16/2.5 LB	2,500.000	LB
		Total Quantity for BISON GROUND FRZ PKG-16/2.5 LB	2,500.000	LB
40	110778	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-20/2 LB	2,500.000	LB
		Total Quantity for BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-20/2 LB	2,500.000	LB
		Total Quantity for Invitation	7,500.000	LB

Amendment Details

Amendment : 12-3J14-23-B-0552-0005 Date : 08/10/2023

Action	Item	Material	Description	Type
		Field	Old Value	New Value

See comments in the amendment header text for specific details.

Amendment : 12-3J14-23-B-0552-0004 Date : 08/10/2023

Action	Item	Material	Description	Type
		Field	Old Value	New Value

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Amendment : 12-3J14-23-B-0552-0003 Date : 08/04/2023

Action	Item	Material	Description	Type
		Field	Old Value	New Value

See comments in the amendment header text for specific details.

Amendment : 12-3J14-23-B-0552-0002 Date : 08/03/2023

Action	Item	Material	Description	Type
		Field	Old Value	New Value

See comments in the amendment header text for specific details.

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Amendment : 12-3J14-23-B-0552-0001

Date : 08/03/2023

Action	Item	Material	Description		Type	
			Field	Old Value		New Value
CHANGE	20	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB		Bid/Offer item	
			Quantity	1,440,000.000	2,500.000	LB
			Delivery Date	03/01/2024 -03/15/2024	03/01/2024 -00/00/0000	
CHANGE	30	110674	BISON GROUND FRZ PKG-16/2.5 LB		Bid/Offer item	
			Quantity	1,440,000.000	2,500.000	LB
			Delivery Date	04/16/2024 -04/30/2024	04/16/2024 -00/00/0000	
CHANGE	40	110778	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-20/2 LB		Bid/Offer item	
			Quantity	1,440,000.000	2,500.000	LB
			Delivery Date	04/16/2024 -04/30/2024	04/16/2024 -00/00/0000	



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