

**PURCHASE
COMMODITY
AWARD**

**United States
Department of
Agriculture**

**Agricultural
Marketing
Service**

DATE: April 24, 2023

BUYS: Frozen Cooked Diced Chicken

The Department of Agriculture purchased frozen cooked diced chicken as indicated below for distribution to child nutrition and other related domestic food assistance programs for Fiscal Year 2023.

Contracts were awarded to Crider, Inc., Mid-Atlantic and Midwest Regions. JTM Provisions Co, Inc was awarded Mountain Plains, Northeast Regions, and Southeast, Southwest, and Western Regions were awarded to Tyson Foods, Inc, in response to Solicitation 2000009154 issued on March 2, 2023, effective April 24, 2023. The performance period is from July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024 for the base period, with four one-year option periods. The unit prices awarded range from \$2.2682 to \$2.8014 per pound with an economic price adjustment, which AMS shall calculate and apply upon issuance of each individual delivery order placed under this contract, using the most current cost factors available to increase or decrease the unit price.

The following table shows the Guaranteed minimum and the not-to-exceed (NTE) maximum amounts for the Base Period and all Option Periods under the contract, should they be exercised:

Period	G Min	NTE Max
Base Period	\$684,508	\$30,364,700
Option Period 1	\$691,088	\$32,733,676
Option Period 2	\$697,100	\$37,452,768
Option Period 3	\$703,240	\$41,562,684
Option Period 4	\$709,516	\$45,721,844
Total for Contract	\$3,485,452	\$187,835,672

Further information can be obtained from the Contracting Branch, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Room 3522-South Building, Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-4517 or the website at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.