

FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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Agricultural
Marketing
Service

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PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: WHOLE EGGS

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 1,664,000 pounds of whole eggs -- to be produced from about 42,000 cases of shell eggs -- at a cost of approximately \$619,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices	No. of Bids
		Inv. No. 4	Accepted
5-pound cartons	320,000	\$0.4198-\$0.4985	2 of 3
bulk tankers	1,344,000	\$0.3479-\$0.3679	1 of 4

Next offers under Announcement PY-297 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
5	5-pound cartons and bulk tankers	Aug. 15	Aug. 19	Oct. 1-15

Total purchases of whole eggs since the program was announced on May 31 follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
5-pound cartons	2,681,000	\$1,154,000
bulk tankers	3,696,000	\$1,171,000
30-pound containers	40,000	\$ 19,000

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch; STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for whole eggs made today under Announcement PY-297, Invitation 4, to be delivered from Sept. 16 to Sept. 30, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY297
COMM GROUP : EGGS, FROZEN
INVITATION : 004

COMMODITY TYPE : EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 6/5 LB CTN

CONTRACTOR NAME: AMERICAN EGG PRODUCTS, INC.
PLANT ADDRESS : BLACKSHEAR GA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
001	WINTER HAVEN FL	40,020	\$ 0.4209
002	FORT MILL SC	13,620	\$ 0.4198
	LEXINGTON SC	26,400	\$ 0.4198
003	MCALESTER OK	40,020	\$ 0.4209
004	GRAND PRAIRIE TX	40,020	\$ 0.4209
005	SAN ANTONIO TX	80,040	\$ 0.4297

TOTAL AWARDED: 240,120

CONTRACTOR NAME: SONSTEGARD FOODS COMPANY
PLANT ADDRESS : ESTHERVILLE IA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
006	COMMERCE CA	30,000	\$ 0.4985
	LOS ANGELES CA	10,020	\$ 0.4985
007	POMONA CA	40,020	\$ 0.4970

TOTAL AWARDED: 80,040

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY297
COMM GROUP : EGGS, FROZEN
INVITATION : 004

COMMODITY TYPE : EGGS, WHOLE, LIQUID, BULK
PACK SIZE : BULK TANKERS

CONTRACTOR NAME: SONSTEGARD FOODS COMPANY
PLANT ADDRESS : ESTHERVILLE IA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
008	MONTICELLO	MN	480,000	\$ 0.3679
009	WAKEFIELD	NE	864,000	\$ 0.3479

TOTAL AWARDED: 1,344,000

In addition, on Aug. 2, the following award was made under the Small Business Administration's 8(a) program:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY297
COMM GROUP : EGGS, FROZEN
INVITATION : 902

COMMODITY TYPE : EGGS, WHOLE, LIQUID, BULK
PACK SIZE : BULK TANKERS

CONTRACTOR NAME: SILVER WOLF ENTERPRISES
PLANT ADDRESS : THOMPSONVILLE NY

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY	ST	QUANTITY (LBS)	PRICE PER (LB)
001	MONTICELLO	MN	96,000	\$ 0.2883

TOTAL AWARDED: 96,000

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