



Poultry Programs

Date Issued: June 24, 2005

TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS, INVITATION NO. 4, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-295

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell turkey and turkey products as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Tuesday, July 5, (due to the holiday on Monday for Federal employees). Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, July 8. Deliveries are to be made from Aug. 16 to Aug. 31.

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Items listed as "KOSHER ONLY" must be produced as a Kosher product. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-295, the Commodity Specifications for Turkey and Turkey Products and Smoked Turkey Ham dated May 2005, Appendix-1, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch; STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, DC 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-295, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Consumer Pack (233260) - Consumer packaged, frozen young turkeys without necks and giblets, basting optional. Turkeys must weigh not less than 12 pounds (5.44 kg) and not more than 22 pounds (9.98 kg) per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. Turkeys must be packed with not more than four turkeys weighing up to 14 pounds (6.35 kg) per container. The difference between individual carcass weights per container must be no more than 2 pounds (0.91 kg). The 2-pound (0.91 kg) increments must be: 12-14, 14-15, 16-18, 18-20, or 20-22 pounds. (Metric equivalency of increments: 5.44-6.35, 6.35-7.26, 7.26-8.16, 8.16-9.07, and 9.07-9.98 kg). A purchase unit will total 38,000 pounds (17,237 kg). A purchase or delivery unit may consist of shipping containers that cover two consecutive weight ranges only, except that delivery units with turkeys from the 12-14 pound (5.44-6.35 kg) weight range must contain turkeys weighing 12-14 pounds (5.44-6.35 kg) only.

Bulk Pack (233390) - Bulk packed for further processing, chilled young turkeys without necks and giblets, nonbasted. Frozen may be specified. The individual turkey weight range must be 18 pounds (8.16 kg) and up per carcass weighed without necks and giblets. The commodity must be packed in commercial containers as required in the Commodity Specification for Turkey and Turkey Products dated May 2005. A purchase unit will total 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg).

Roasts (233648) - Frozen ready-to-cook turkey roasts must weigh not less than 8 pounds (3.63 kg) and not more than 12 pounds (5.44 kg). Roasts must be packaged in elasticized netting and moisture-proof casings or plastic-film bags and packed four roasts per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

Smoked Turkey Ham (234040) - Frozen fully cooked smoked turkey hams produced from nonbasted, young ready-to-cook turkey thigh meat. Hams must weigh not less than 9 pounds (4.08 kg) and not more than 11 pounds (4.99 kg), be vacuum packaged in shrinkable oxygen- and moisture-proof bags or casings, and be packed four hams per fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will total 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg).

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295
INVITATION : 004
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 32 TURKEY, WHOLE, FROZEN
PACK SIZE : 60 30-60 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 08/16/05 - 08/31/05

001	FORT MILL	SC	TRUCK ONLY	25,880
	LEXINGTON	SC	TRUCK ONLY	12,120
002	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	38,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 76,000

COMM TYPE : 33 TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK
PACK SIZE : 90 BULK PACKED

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DELIVERY PERIOD 08/16/05 - 08/31/05

003	WYOMING	MI	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
004	WATERTOWN	SD	TRUCK ONLY	36,000*
005	RAEFORD	NC	TRUCK ONLY	144,000
006	ROME	GA	TRUCK ONLY	108,000*
007	TURLOCK	CA	TRUCK ONLY	36,000*
008	WILLMAR	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,116,000*

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,476,000

***NO TOLERANCE ALLOWED** - Less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295
 INVITATION : 004
 COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
 COMM TYPE : 36 TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN
 PACK SIZE : 48 32-48 LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 08/16/05 - 08/31/05				
009	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
010	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	10,760
	CALERA	AL	TRUCK ONLY	29,240
011	CALERA	AL	TRUCK ONLY	21,360
	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	18,640
012	BIRMINGHAM	AL		40,000
013	BIRMINGHAM	AL	TRUCK ONLY	13,680
	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	26,320
014	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
015	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		40,000
016	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	160,000
017	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
018	ALCOA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
019	SPRINGFIELD	OH	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
020	DARIEN	WI		18,375
	EAU CLAIRE	WI		21,625
021	DARIEN	WI	TRUCK ONLY	13,020
	EAU CLAIRE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	13,020
	JACKSON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	13,960
022	ALEXANDRIA	LA		40,000
023	HARAHAN	LA		40,000
024	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
025	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
026	VERNON	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
027	PUYALLUP	WA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	SPOKANE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
028	PUYALLUP	WA		80,000
029	SPOKANE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,000,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY295
INVITATION : 004
COMM GROUP : 23 TURKEY, FROZEN
COMM TYPE : 40 TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ
PACK SIZE : 40 40-LB CONTAINER

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
DELIVERY PERIOD 08/16/05 - 08/31/05				
030	CRANSTON	RI	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
031	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	12,615
	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	27,385
032	DANVILLE	VA	TRUCK ONLY	13,880
	NORFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	4,000
	SUFFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	22,120
033	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
034	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
035	ORMOND BEACH	FL	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
036	BARTOW	FL		20,000
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		20,000
037	NEWPORT	MN		40,000
038	DARIEN	WI		29,685
	EAU CLAIRE	WI		50,315
039	DARIEN	WI	TRUCK ONLY	18,950
	JACKSON	WI	TRUCK ONLY	21,050
040	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	29,440
	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	10,560
041	ALEXANDRIA	LA	TRUCK ONLY	13,600
	ST MARTINVILLE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	26,400
042	EARLY	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
043	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
044	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	120,000
045	LUBBOCK	TX		40,000
046	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
047	GARDENA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	160,000
048	MASON CITY	IA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	SIOUX CITY	IA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000

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049	CORDELIA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
050	FRESNO	CA		40,000
051	GARDENA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	10,000
	NATIONAL CITY	CA	TRUCK ONLY	30,000
052	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
053	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
054	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 1,280,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 3,832,000

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