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Washington, DC
20250

Note: New vendors and subcontractors must supply all of the required paperwork (Appendix I, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters), and must register in the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA). In addition, all Vendors must also be registered in the CCR within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

FV-303

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: June 27, 2007

Frozen Vegetables, Announcement FV-303, Invitation 030

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen vegetables as indicated below and per the Announcement for distribution to the Child Nutrition and other domestic food assistance programs. **Offers are due by 1 p.m., Central Time, Monday, July 9, 2007.** Acceptances will be announced by midnight, July 23, 2007. Deliveries are to be made from September 1, 2007 through November 15, 2007.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Carrots

30 lb.

72,600 cases

No offer will be made to 8(a) vendors on this invitation.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring this special marking will be indicated by (**). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an Invitation.

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the Internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The Internet address is: <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes> which translates into a connection of <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Once connected, follow the online procedures. A 'HELP' button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.



Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Inquiries about Announcement FV-303; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specification for Frozen Vegetables dated April 2004, as amended; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-0239, telephone (202) 720-4517. 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 FV-303, 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 trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by a single asterisk (*).

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV303
 INVITATION : 030
 COMM GROUP : 39 VEGETABLES, FROZEN
 COMM TYPE : 60 CARROTS, FROZEN
 PACK SIZE : 30 30 LB CARTON

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 09/01/07 - 09/15/07					
001	CHICOPEE WILMINGTON	MA MA	TRUCK ONLY	660 660	_____
002	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
003	WILMINGTON	MA		1,320	_____
004	HOLLEY	NY		1,320	_____ **
005	PORT NEWARK VINELAND VINELAND	NJ NJ NJ	TRUCK ONLY	660 652 8	_____ *
006	LANDOVER PORT NEWARK VINELAND	MD NJ NJ		660 330 330	_____
007	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
008	COAL TOWNSHIP	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
009	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
010	ALTOONA WILKES-BARRE	PA PA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	660 660	_____
011	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
012	WINTER HAVEN	FL		1,320	_____
013	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
014	CLEVELAND FAIRBURN	GA GA	TRUCK ONLY TRUCK ONLY	530 790	_____

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015	BOLINGBROOK	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
016	DETROIT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
017	BRIGHTON	MI	TRUCK ONLY	450	_____
	GRAND RAPIDS	MI	TRUCK ONLY	340	_____
	KALAMAZOO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	530	_____
018	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
019	HOUSTON	TX		3,960	_____
020	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
021	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
022	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 09/16/07 - 09/30/07					
023	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
	WORCESTER	MA		660	_____
024	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
025	NEWPORT	MN		2,640	_____
026	CLEVELAND	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
027	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
028	DAYTON	OH		2,640	_____

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029	DARIEN	WI		809	_____
	EAU CLAIRE	WI		511	_____
030	FORT WORTH	TX		1,320	_____
031	COMMERCE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____
	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	990	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/07 - 10/15/07					
032	ROCKY HILL	CT	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
033	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
	WILMINGTON	MA		660	_____
034	BROOKLYN	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____ **
035	HOLLEY	NY		1,320	_____ **
036	MIAMI PLANTATIO	FL		1,320	_____
037	COLUMBUS	OH	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
038	CLEARFIELD	UT		990	_____
	SALT LAKE CITY	UT	TRUCK ONLY	330	_____

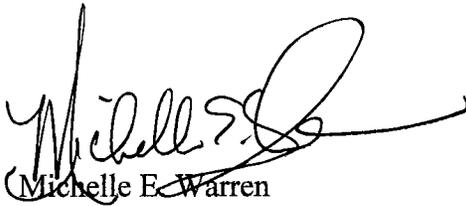
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039	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____
	WORCESTER	MA		660	_____
040	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	380	_____
	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	940	_____
041	DARIEN	WI		990	_____
	EAU CLAIRE	WI		330	_____
042	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
043	INDEPENDENCE	MO		3,960	_____
044	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/07 - 11/15/07					
045	HOLLEY	NY		1,320	_____ **
046	NEWPORT	MN		2,640	_____
047	HOUSTON	TX		1,320	_____
048	LINCOLN	NE	TRUCK ONLY	660	_____ *
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				72,600	

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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 72,600



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 Fruit and Vegetable Programs

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