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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-302

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: June 28, 2007

Canned Vegetables, Announcement FV-302, Invitation 103

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell canned vegetables as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in child nutrition and other domestic food assistance programs. **Offers are due by 1 p.m., Central Time, Monday, July 16, 2007.** Acceptances will be announced by midnight, July 30, 2007. Deliveries are to be made from November 16, 2007 through April 30, 2008.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Peas	6/#10 cans	45,600 cases
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**Note:** Funds are not presently available for contracts awarded for FY 2008. The Government's obligation for contracts issued is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds from which payment for contract purposes can be made. No legal liability on the part of the Government for any payment may arise until funds are made available to the Contracting Officer for these contracts and until the Contractor receives notice of such availability, to be confirmed in writing by the Contracting Officer.

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-302; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specification for Canned 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-302, 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 : FV302  
 INVITATION : 103  
 COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED  
 COMM TYPE : 30 PEAS, CANNED  
 PACK SIZE : 60 6/#10 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/07 - 11/30/07					
001	GRANITE CITY	IL		1,824	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07					
002	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
003	WILMINGTON	MA		912	_____
004	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	707	_____
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	205	_____
005	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
006	BOLINGBROOK	IL	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
007	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
008	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____

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DELIVERY PERIOD 01/01/08 - 01/15/08					
009	HOLLEY	NY		912	_____ **
010	CHARLESTON	WV		912	_____
011	BIRMINGHAM	AL		912	_____
012	BIRMINGHAM	AL		394	_____
	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	518	_____
013	CALERA	AL	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
014	CALERA	AL	TRUCK ONLY	296	_____
	CLANTON	AL	TRUCK ONLY	616	_____
015	JOHNSON CITY	TN	TRUCK ONLY	370	_____
	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	542	_____
016	ALCOA	TN	TRUCK ONLY	456	_____
	LEBANON	TN	TRUCK ONLY	456	_____
017	FORT WORTH	TX		912	_____
018	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
019	LUBBOCK	TX		912	_____
020	SAN ANTONIO	TX	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
021	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	228	_____
	POMONA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	684	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 01/16/08 - 01/31/08					
022	HALFMOON	NY	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____ **
023	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	496	_____
	WINTER HAVEN	FL		416	_____
024	LEXINGTON	KY	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
025	SHEPHERDSVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____

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026	BOWLING GREEN	KY	TRUCK ONLY	304	_____
	CYNTHIANA	KY	TRUCK ONLY	228	_____
	SHEPHERDSVILLE	KY	TRUCK ONLY	380	_____
027	FORT MILL	SC	TRUCK ONLY	108	_____
	LEXINGTON	SC		804	_____
028	BATESVILLE	MS	TRUCK ONLY	456	_____
	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	456	_____
029	BOLINGBROOK	IL	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
030	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
031	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/01/08 - 02/15/08					
032	NEWPORT NEWS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	150	_____
	NORFOLK	VA	TRUCK ONLY	562	_____
	RICHMOND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	200	_____
033	MCALESTER	OK		912	_____
034	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 02/16/08 - 02/29/08					
035	AMERICUS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
036	CLEVELAND	GA	TRUCK ONLY	612	_____
	LOUISVILLE	TN	TRUCK ONLY	300	_____
037	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
038	DOUGLAS	GA	TRUCK ONLY	600	_____
	MACON	GA	TRUCK ONLY	312	_____
039	FAIRBURN	GA	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____*
040	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
041	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____

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DELIVERY PERIOD 03/01/08 - 03/15/08					
042	CHICOPEE	MA	TRUCK ONLY	456	_____
	WILMINGTON	MA		456	_____
043	HOLLEY	NY		912	_____ **
044	MADISON HEIGHTS	VA	TRUCK ONLY	506	_____
	RICHMOND	VA	TRUCK ONLY	406	_____
045	BOLINGBROOK	IL	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 03/16/08 - 03/31/08					
046	TAUNTON	MA	TRUCK ONLY	456	_____
	WORCESTER	MA		456	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 04/01/08 - 04/15/08					
047	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
048	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 04/16/08 - 04/30/08					
049	BOLINGBROOK	IL	TRUCK ONLY	912	_____
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				45,600	
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION				45,600	

  
 Michelle E. Warren  
 Contracting Officer

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