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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: October 16, 2007

Canned Vegetables, Announcement FV-302, Invitation 118

The Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell canned vegetables as indicated below and per the Announcement for distribution to the Needy Family and other domestic food assistance programs. **Offers are due by 1 p.m., Central Time, Friday, October 26, 2007.** Acceptances will be announced by midnight, November 5, 2007. Deliveries are to be made from December 1 - 31, 2007.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Green Beans	24/#300	14,580 cases
Carrots	24/#300	11,340 cases
Corn, Whole Kernel	24/#300	24,480 cases
Peas	24/#300	16,200 cases
Mixed Vegetables	24/#300	27,540 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-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 : 118
 COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
 COMM TYPE : 05 BEANS, GREEN, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07					
001	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____ **
002	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
003	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
004	DELHI	LA	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
005	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
006	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				14,580	

COMM TYPE : 10 CARROTS, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07					
007	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	4,860	_____
008	DELHI	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
009	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620	_____
010	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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011	SAN DIEGO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 11,340

COMM TYPE : 21 CORN, WHOLE KERNEL, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CAN

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07

012	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____ **
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013	SYRACUSE	NY		3,060	_____ **
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014	WASHINGTON	DC	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
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015	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
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016	CARO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	765	_____
	LANSING	MI	TRUCK ONLY	765	_____

017	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
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018	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	3,060	_____
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019	DELHI	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
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020	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,530	_____
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021	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
022	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
023	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
024	SAN FRANCISCO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/07 - 12/31/07					
025	SYRACUSE	NY		1,530	_____ **

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 24,480

COMM TYPE : 30 PEAS, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CAN

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07					
026	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____ **
027	DETROIT	MI		3,240	_____
028	CARO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	VULCAN	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
029	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
030	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620	_____
031	BRIDGETON	MO	TRUCK ONLY	405	_____
	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,215	_____

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032	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
033	MODESTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/07 - 12/31/07					
034	SYRACUSE	NY		1,620	_____ **
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				16,200	

COMM TYPE : 55 MIXED VEGETABLES, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

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DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/07 - 12/15/07					
035	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____ **
036	SYRACUSE	NY		3,240	_____ **
037	CHICAGO	IL	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
038	CADILLAC	MI	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
039	DETROIT	MI		6,480	_____
040	FLINT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	405	_____
	OSSINEKE	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	VULCAN	MI	TRUCK ONLY	405	_____
041	BATON ROUGE	LA	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____

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042	DELHI	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
043	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620	_____
044	LAS CRUCES	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
045	CARTHAGE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/07 - 12/31/07

046	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
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TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 27,540

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 94,140


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 Contracting Officer

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