

# PURCHASE ANNOUNCEMENT

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## USDA MEAT AND AQUATIC PURCHASE PROGRAMS ANNOUNCED:

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today announced plans to purchase meat and aquatic products for Federal food nutrition assistance programs. Offers will be invited pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for Commodity Procurements dated April 2013, for the following items:

<b>Material #</b>	<b>Material Description</b>
100158	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ CTN-40 LB
110261	BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ CTN-40 LB
110260	BEEF FINE GROUND LFT OPT FRZ PKG-40/1 LB
100159	BEEF FINE GROUND FRZ PKG-40/1 LB
100160	BEEF SPP PATTY FRZ CTN-40 LB
110350	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 1.5MMA CTN-40 LB
110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB
110346	BEEF 100% PTY 90/10 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB
110270	BEEF LEAN PATTY LFT OPT FRZ CTN-40 LB
100163	BEEF PATTY LEAN FRZ CTN-40 LB
110347	BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 1.5 MMA CTN-40 LB
110348	BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0 MMA CTN-40 LB
100161	BEEF 100% PATTY FRZ CTN-40 LB
110321	BEEF SPP PTY HSTYLE CKD 1.5 MMA CTN-40 LB
110322	BEEF SPP PTY HSTYLE CKD 2.0 MMA CTN-40 LB
100134	BEEF CRUMBLES W/SPP PKG-4/10 LB
110264	BEEF CRUMBLES W/SPP LFT OPT PKG-4/10 LB
100156	BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB
100155	BEEF FRESH BNLS COMBO-20/2000 LB
100166	BEEF ROAST ROUND FRZ CTN-38-42 LB
110196	DICED BEEF FRZ CTN-60 LB
100144	PORK CRUMBLES W/SPP PKG-4/10 LB
110138	PORK BNLS LEG ROASTS - BULK CTN-60 LB
100182	PORK HAM WATERAD FRZ CTN-12/3 LB
100184	PORK HAM WATERAD FRZ PKG 4/10 LB
100187	PORK HAM WATERAD SLC FRZ PKG-8/5 LB
100188	PORK HAM WTRADCBEDFRZ PKG-4/10 OR 8/5 LB

110296	PORK HAM WTRAD RDUSOD SLC FRZ PKG-8/5 LB
100193	PORK PICNIC BNLS FRZ CTN-60 LB
100173	PORK ROAST LEG FRZ CTN-32-40 LB
110296	PORK HAM WTRAD RDUSOD SLC FRZ PKG-8/5 LB
110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB
100198	SALMON PINK CAN-24/14.75 OZ
100201	CATFISH STRIPS BRD OVN RDY PKG-4/10 LB
100892	FISH AK PLCK FRZ BULK CTN-49 LBS
110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB
100090	BUFFALO GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB

All offers must be submitted electronically through the Web-Based Supply Chain Management (WBSCM) website at <http://www.usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=WBSCM>. Offers submitted by any means other than WBSCM will be considered nonresponsive.

Solicitations will be issued on a periodic basis for deliveries from July 2013 through June 2014. Offers to sell these products must be received no later than the date specified on the Solicitation.

Offerors are urged to carefully read all applicable terms and conditions of the AMS Master Solicitation for Commodity Procurements dated April 2013; the Vendor Qualification Requirements dated September 2012; and Commodity Specifications as indicated on the Solicitations.

Offerors should be aware that AMS will be purchasing new frozen beef patty materials this year. Updated specifications for the following materials will be made available in the near future:

110350	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 1.5MMA CTN-40 LB
110349	BEEF 100% PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB
110346	BEEF 100% PTY 90/10 FRZ 2.0MMA CTN-40 LB
110347	BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 1.5 MMA CTN-40 LB
110348	BEEF SPP PTY 85/15 FRZ 2.0 MMA CTN-40 LB

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-4517 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS Commodity Procurement Staff; 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, S-0239; Washington, DC 20250-0239. An electronic version of this Program Announcement can be found at the Commodity Procurement Website: <http://www.ams.usda.gov/commoditypurchasing>.

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