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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: August 8, 2006

Canned Vegetables, Announcement FV-302, Invitation 072

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, Monday, August 25 , 2006.** Acceptances will be announced by midnight, September 5, 2006. Deliveries are to be made from October 1, 2006 through December 31, 2006.

Offers are invited from the trade for:

Green Beans	24/#300	35,640 cases
Carrots	24/#300	16,200 cases
Corn Whole Kernel	24/#300	33,660 cases
Peas	24/#300	9,720 cases
Pumpkin	24/#300	4,860 cases
Mixed Vegetables	24/#300	27,540 cases
Vegetable Soup	24/#1	6,600 cases
Tomato Soup	24/#1	6,600 cases
Spinach	24/#300	14,535 cases
Tomatoes	24/#300	17,820 cases
Sliced Potatoes, White	24/#300	15,300 cases
Tomato Sauce	24/#300	7,650 cases
Spaghetti Sauce, Meatless	24/#300	8,100 cases

Offerors are advised that if it cannot supply the products for the first delivery period (10/01/06-10/15/06), please do not bid on them.

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.

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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 : 072
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 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
001	CLARE	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	FLINT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	
002	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
003	GREELEY	CO	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
004	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
005	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/06 - 10/31/06					
006	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____**
007	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
008	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
009	CADILLAC	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	OSSINEKE	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	
010	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
011	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

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ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
012	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
013	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
014	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____**
015	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
016	DETROIT	MI		1,620	_____
017	BENTON HARBOR	MI	TRUCK ONLY	420	_____
	DETROIT	MI		1,200	
018	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
019	SAN FRANCISCO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
020	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
021	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
022	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,620	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 35,640

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 10 CARROTS, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
023	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/06 - 10/31/06					
024	CARTHAGE	MO		3,240	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
025	ELIZABETHTOWN	KY	TRUCK ONLY	449	_____
	LEXINGTON	KY	TRUCK ONLY	933	
	MAYFIELD	KY	TRUCK ONLY	238	
026	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
027	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
028	CARTHAGE	MO		3,240	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
029	FLINT	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	OSSINEKE	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
030	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 16,200

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 21 CORN, WHOLE KERNEL, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
031	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
032	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,530	_____
033	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
034	SANTA ROSA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
035	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/06 - 10/31/06					
036	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
037	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,530	_____
038	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
039	CARTHAGE	MO		1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
040	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____**
041	CADILLAC	MI	TRUCK ONLY	765	_____
	CLARE	MI	TRUCK ONLY	765	
042	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
043	SAN DIEGO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 21 CORN, WHOLE KERNEL, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
044	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
045	CARTHAGE	MO		1,530	_____
046	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
047	ELIZABETHTOWN	KY	TRUCK ONLY	419	_____
	LEXINGTON	KY	TRUCK ONLY	903	
	MAYFIELD	KY	TRUCK ONLY	208	
048	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
049	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
050	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
051	CARTHAGE	MO		1,530	_____
052	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,530	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 33,660

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 30 PEAS, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
053	CARO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	_____
	NORWAY	MI	TRUCK ONLY	810	
054	SAN DIEGO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
055	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____**
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
056	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
057	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
058	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,620	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 9,720

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 50 PUMPKIN, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
059	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
060	PHOENIX	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	3,240	_____
TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE				4,860	

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

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
061	ELIZABETHTOWN	KY	TRUCK ONLY	933	_____
	LEXINGTON	KY	TRUCK ONLY	449	
	MAYFIELD	KY	TRUCK ONLY	238	
062	MEMPHIS	TN	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
063	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
064	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 55 MIXED VEGETABLES, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/06 - 10/31/06					
065	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
066	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
067	TUCSON	AZ	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
068	SAN FRANCISCO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
069	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
070	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____**
071	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
072	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620	_____
073	GARDEN GROVE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
074	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
075	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620	_____
076	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
077	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,620	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 27,540

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 56 SOUP, VEGETABLE, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 24 24/#1 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
078	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	2,200	_____
079	CARTHAGE	MO		2,200	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
080	KANSAS CITY	MO		2,200	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 6,600

COMM TYPE : 57 SOUP, TOMATO, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 24 24/#1 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
081	CARTHAGE	MO		2,200	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
082	FARGO	ND	TRUCK ONLY	2,200	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
083	KANSAS CITY	MO		2,200	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 6,600

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 60 SPINACH, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
084	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,615	_____**
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/06 - 10/31/06					
085	CARTHAGE	MO		1,615	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
086	CARO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	807	_____
	DETROIT	MI		808	
087	DETROIT	MI		3,230	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
088	DETROIT	MI		3,230	_____
089	CARTHAGE	MO		1,615	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
090	CARTHAGE	MO		1,615	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 14,535

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 70 TOMATOES, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CANS

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
091	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/06 - 10/31/06					
092	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
093	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____**
094	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
095	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620	_____
096	MCALLEN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
097	HARAHAN	LA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
098	OPELOUSAS	LA		1,620	_____
099	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
100	SAN DIEGO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 70 TOMATOES, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 40 24/#300 CANS

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
101	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 17,820

COMM TYPE : 76 POTATOES,SLICED,WHITE,CANNED
PACK SIZE : 30 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
102	CARO	MI	TRUCK ONLY	765	_____
	LANSING	MI	TRUCK ONLY	765	
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/06 - 10/31/06					
103	CENTRAL ISLIP	NY	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____**
104	CARTHAGE	MO		3,060	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
105	DENVER	CO	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 76 POTATOES,SLICED,WHITE,CANNED
PACK SIZE : 30 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
106	CARTHAGE	MO		3,060	_____
107	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
108	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
109	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 15,300

COMM TYPE : 82 TOMATO SAUCE, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 30 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
110	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/16/06 - 10/31/06					
111	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,530	_____

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 82 TOMATO SAUCE, CANNED
PACK SIZE : 30 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
112	GALLUP	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/01/06 - 12/15/06					
113	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,530	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
114	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,530	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 7,650

COMM TYPE : 83 SPAGHETTI SAUCE, MEATLESS, CND
PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 10/01/06 - 10/15/06					
115	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/01/06 - 11/15/06					
116	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV302
INVITATION : 072
COMM GROUP : 36 VEGETABLES, CANNED
COMM TYPE : 83 SPAGHETTI SAUCE, MEATLESS, CND
PACK SIZE : 24 24/#300 CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 11/16/06 - 11/30/06					
117	CARTHAGE	MO		1,620	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 12/16/06 - 12/31/06					
118	ALBUQUERQUE	NM	TRUCK ONLY	1,620	_____
119	KANSAS CITY	MO		1,620	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 8,100

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 204,225

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Contracting Officer

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