

**United States Department of Agriculture**  
**Agricultural Marketing Service**  
Commodity Procurement Staff  
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Room 3522-S, STOP 0239  
Washington, DC 20250-0239

## Information

Description: **AG-PCHX-S-16-0005**  
Bid invitation number: **2000003666**  
Purchasing Group: **AMS Poultry**

## SOLICITATION

### Domestic Commodity Invitation

#### Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time  
Start Date: 10/30/2015 07:00:00  
Offer Due Date : 11/13/2015 13:00:00  
  
Opening date: 11/13/2015 13:00:00  
  
Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

#### Additional requested information:

##### Tendering text - Header :

CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000003666

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell chicken fajita strips pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the National School Lunch Program and other Federal Food and Nutrition Assistance Programs. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, November 27, 2015. Deliveries are to be made between January 1, 2016 and January 31, 2016.

Offerors who intend to use more than one processing plant and shipping point for contracts awarded under this solicitation, other than the processing plant and shipping point entered in their bids, may submit a list of their approved processing plants and shipping points on a separate sheet of paper to be uploaded in WBSCM, and to be submitted with their bids.

This Solicitation may show multiple stops on some line items; however, the number of stops will be limited to a maximum of three. To determine the number of destinations, review the "Tendering Text" for the lot, which will indicate the City and State for each stop. Bidders may submit different prices for each stop. However, a price is required on all line items within the lot.

This solicitation is 30% Total Small Business Set Aside. See FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Total Small Business Set Aside. NAICS Code 311615 with size standard of 500 employees and below applies to this solicitation.

This solicitation is also subject to 8(a) offerings and has a 10% Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business set aside.

For offshore destinations (Puerto Rico, Hawaii, etc.), offerors have the option to choose to enter their bids direct to the offshore destination or to the port.

Purchases will be made on an f.o.b. destination basis to cities on this Solicitation. Destination quantities listed are estimates and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operations.

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

Offers must be submitted electronically via the Web-Based Supply Chain Management System (WBSCM). Offers submitted by any means other than WBSCM will be deemed nonresponsive. Offerors must be active in WBSCM and have the required bidder roles in order to submit offers under this solicitation. Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call (202) 720-4517 for assistance.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver. Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated April 2015; Amendment 1 to the Master Solicitation dated June 2015; the

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Federal Purchase Program Specification (FPPS) for Chicken Fajita Strips dated March 2015; or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3522-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W.; Washington, D.C. 20250-0239. Telephone: (202) 720-4517. FAX: (202)720-2782.

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**See attached documents:**

- 1 . AMS Master Solicitation April 2015.pdf
- 2 . FPPS Cooked Chicken Fajita Strips March 2015.pdf
- 3 . AMENDMENT 1 TO MASTER SOLICITATION

**Attributes :**

OFFEROR CERTIFIES THAT THE OFFER IS MADE SUBJECT TO THE MASTER SOLICITATION; COMMODITY SUPPLEMENT AND/OR SPECIFICATION(S); THIS SOLICITATION; THE AGRICULTURE ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (AGAR) AND THE FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATIONS (FAR).

Timely performance: Offeror and any subcontractor have completed required performance of any USDA contract prior to this bid opening.

- Permitted values:
- Have been delivered
  - Have not been delivered
  - Have not been delivered, but the Offeror has notified the Contracting Officer
  - There are no existing contracts/purchase orders

OFFEROR REQUESTS HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS PRICE EVALUATION PREFERENCE. APPLIES ONLY TO FIRMS CERTIFIED IN THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION'S HUBZONE PROGRAM (FAR SUBPART 19.13). MUST BE THE MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER OF THE PRODUCT TO RECEIVE A PRICE PREFERENCE

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Furnish name, title, phone number, fax number, and e-mail address of person submitting this bid (must be an officer of the company or a person authorized to execute contracts/purchase orders on behalf of the bidder).

IS THE OFFEROR AN ENTITY THAT HAS FILED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION IN ONE OF THE FIFTY STATES, THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OR THE VARIOUS TERRITORIES OF THE UNITED STATES? YOU MUST ANSWER THE NEXT 3 QUESTIONS IF THE ANSWER FOR THIS QUESTION IS YES.

HAS THE OFFEROR BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

HAS THE OFFEROR HAD ANY OFFICER OR AGENT OF OFFEROR CONVICTED OF A FELONY CRIMINAL VIOLATION FOR ACTIONS TAKEN ON BEHALF OF OFFEROR UNDER FEDERAL OR STATE LAW IN THE 24 MONTHS PRECEDING THE DATE OF OFFER?

DOES THE OFFEROR HAVE ANY UNPAID FEDERAL TAX LIABILITY ASSESSED, WHICH ALL JUDICIAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE REMEDIES HAVE BEEN EXHAUSTED/LAPSED, THAT IS NOT BEING PAID IN A TIMELY MANNER PURSUANT TO AGREEMENT WITH THE AUTHORITY RESPONSIBLE FOR COLLECTING IT?

Offeror acknowledges receipt of the amendment(s) to the solicitation. Select N/A if no amendment was issued to the solicitation.

Permitted values:       - Yes  
                               - No  
                               - N/A

FOR 8(A) VENDORS ONLY: Please specify the material(s) and material number(s) that you are interested in participating on this solicitation.

**Bid invitation Item details**

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
<b>10</b>		<b>CHICKEN, COOKED</b>				
<b>20</b>		<b>CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB</b>				
<b>30</b>		<b>BIRMINGHAM AL</b>				
40	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	35210	39,000	LB
50	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	35210	39,000	LB
<b>60</b>		<b>CLANTON AL</b>				
70	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	35045	39,000	LB
<b>80</b>		<b>VAN BUREN AR</b>				
90	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	72956	39,000	LB
<b>100</b>		<b>PHOENIX AZ</b>				
110	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	85043	39,000	LB
<b>120</b>		<b>BAKERSFIELD CA</b>				
130	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	93301	39,000	LB
<b>140</b>		<b>FRESNO CA</b>				

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150	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	93722	39,000	LB
<b>160 ONTARIO CA - Subject to 8a offering</b>						
170	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	91761	39,000	LB
180	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	91761	78,000	LB
<b>190 SACRAMENTO CA</b>						
200	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	95814	39,000	LB
<b>210 BERKELEY IL</b>						
220	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	60163	39,000	LB
<b>230 GRANITE CITY IL</b>						
240	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	62040	39,000	LB
250	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	62040	39,000	LB
<b>260 KANSAS CITY MO</b>						
270	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	64161	39,000	LB
<b>280 JACKSON MS</b>						
290	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	39209	39,000	LB
<b>300 HELENA MT</b>						
310	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	59620	39,000	LB
<b>320 BRENTWOOD NY</b>						
330	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	11717	39,000	LB
<b>340 MCALESTER OK - Subject to 8a offering</b>						
350	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	74501	78,000	LB
<b>360 MILWAUKIE OR - Subject to 8a offering</b>						
370	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	97222	117,000	LB
<b>380 DUNCANVILLE PA</b>						
390	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	16635	39,000	LB
<b>400 SIOUX FALLS SD</b>						
410	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	57104	39,000	LB
<b>420 HOUSTON TX</b>						
430	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	77028	39,000	LB
440	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	77028	39,000	LB
<b>450 LOT: 6680 CHICOPEE MA / WORCESTER MA /</b>						
460	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	01013	19,500	LB
470	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	01610	19,500	LB
<b>480 LOT: 6682 TAUNTON MA / WILMINGTON MA /</b>						
490	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	02780	19,500	LB
500	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	01887	19,500	LB

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<b>510 LOT: 60454573 LOUISVILLE KY / OWENSBO...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 60454573 LOUISVILLE KY / OWENSBORO KY /						
520	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	40208	27,000	LB
530	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	42301	12,000	LB
<b>540 LOT: 97907272 JOHNSON CITY TN / MADIS...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 97907272 JOHNSON CITY TN / MADISON HEIGHTS VA / RICHMOND VA /						
550	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	37601	5,520	LB
560	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	24572	11,160	LB
570	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	23230	22,320	LB
<b>580 LOT: 217640735 CLEVELAND OH / DAYTON ...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 217640735 CLEVELAND OH / DAYTON OH /						
590	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	44135	9,750	LB
600	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	44135	9,750	LB
610	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	45402	19,500	LB
<b>620 LOT: 257240362 BOWLING GREEN KY / LOU...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 257240362 BOWLING GREEN KY / LOUISVILLE KY /						
630	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	42102	9,750	LB
640	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	40209	29,250	LB
<b>650 LOT: 267085617 BINGHAMTON NY / BUFFAL...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 267085617 BINGHAMTON NY / BUFFALO NY / HALFMOON NY /						
660	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	13904	8,460	LB
670	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	14214	60	LB
680	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	14214	8,250	LB
690	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	12065	180	LB
700	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	12065	22,050	LB
<b>710 LOT: 284058081 FORT MILL SC / LEXINGT...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 284058081 FORT MILL SC / LEXINGTON SC /						
720	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	29715	15,000	LB
730	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	29072	24,000	LB
<b>740 LOT: 293310241 DALLAS TX / SAN ANTONI...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 293310241 DALLAS TX / SAN ANTONIO TX /						
750	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	75247	23,940	LB
760	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	78218	15,060	LB
<b>770 LOT: 342646949 BATESVILLE MS / COOKEV...</b>						

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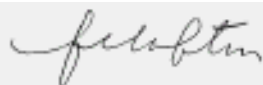
Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 342646949 BATESVILLE MS / COOKEVILLE TN /</b>						
780	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	38606	18,000	LB
790	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	38506	21,000	LB
<b>800 LOT: 431804865 EL PASO TX / LUBBOCK TX /</b>						
810	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	79906	16,200	LB
820	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	79404	22,800	LB
<b>830 LOT: 470441689 AUSTIN TX / DALLAS TX ...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 470441689 AUSTIN TX / DALLAS TX / HOUSTON TX /</b>						
840	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	78745	9,000	LB
850	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	75247	13,200	LB
860	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	77066	16,800	LB
<b>870 LOT: 492549251 FORT WAYNE IN / INDIAN...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 492549251 FORT WAYNE IN / INDIANAPOLIS IN / VINCENNES IN /</b>						
880	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	46803	13,770	LB
890	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	46202	12,480	LB
900	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	47591	12,750	LB
<b>910 LOT: 496678881 AUBURNDALE FL / BOCA R..</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 496678881 AUBURNDALE FL / BOCA RATON FL / PENSACOLA FL /</b>						
920	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	33823	12,690	LB
930	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	33487	9,750	LB
940	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	32503	16,560	LB
<b>950 LOT: 529730175 HOLLEY NY / NEWARK NY /</b>						
960	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	14470	19,500	LB
970	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	14513	19,500	LB
<b>980 LOT: 537151852 DALLAS TX / HOUSTON TX /</b>						
990	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	75247	19,500	LB
1000	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	77066	19,500	LB
<b>1010 LOT: 577008182 FORT MILL SC / LEXINGT...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 577008182 FORT MILL SC / LEXINGTON SC /</b>						
1020	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	29715	15,000	LB
1030	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	29072	24,000	LB
<b>1040 LOT: 760172410 CULPEPPER VA / NEWPORT...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 760172410 CULPEPPER VA / NEWPORT NEWS VA /</b>						
1050	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	22701	34,500	LB

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1060	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	23606	4,500	LB
<b>1100 LOT: 857090938 BOWLING GREEN KY / OWE..</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 857090938 BOWLING GREEN KY / OWENSBORO KY /						
1110	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	42102	29,250	LB
1120	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	42301	9,750	LB
<b>1130 LOT: 919181526 AUGUSTA ME / ESSEX VT /</b>						
1140	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	04330	23,490	LB
1150	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	05452	15,510	LB
<b>1160 LOT: 929242070 MCALLEN TX / SAN ANTON..</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 929242070 MCALLEN TX / SAN ANTONIO TX /						
1170	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	78504	21,660	LB
1180	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/16/2016-01/31/2016	78227	17,340	LB
<b>1230 LOT: 830810432 ALGONA WA / SPOKANE WA /</b>						
1240	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	98001	21,000	LB
1250	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	01/01/2016-01/15/2016	99206	18,000	LB
Total Quantity for CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB					1,911,000	LB
<b>1260 ONLY 8a Companies Sumbit Offer on 110423</b>						
<b>1270 8A OFFER POUNDS</b>						
<b>1280 WASHINGTON DC</b>						
1290	110423	8A OFFER POUNDS	12/16/2016-12/31/2016	20250	40	LB
Total Quantity for 8A OFFER POUNDS					40	LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					1,911,040	LB



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