

**United States Department of Agriculture**  
**Agricultural Marketing Service**  
Commodity Procurement Staff  
1400 Independence Avenue, S.W.  
Room 3522-S, STOP 0239  
Washington, DC 20250-0239

## Information

Description: **AG-PCHX-S-16-0021**  
Bid invitation number: **2000003764**  
Purchasing Group: **AMS Poultry**

## SOLICITATION

### Domestic Commodity Invitation

#### Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time  
Start Date: 12/15/2015 09:45:00  
Offer Due Date : 12/22/2015 13:00:00  
  
Opening date: 12/22/2015 13:00:00  
  
Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

#### Additional requested information:

#### Tendering text - Header :

CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000003764

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, January 6, 2016. Deliveries are to be made between February 1, 2016 and February 29, 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	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	35210	39,000	LB
<b>50</b>		<b>CLANTON AL</b>				
60	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	35045	39,000	LB
<b>70</b>		<b>VAN BUREN AR</b>				
80	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	72956	39,000	LB
<b>90</b>		<b>ONTARIO CA - Subject to 8a offering</b>				
100	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	91761	78,000	LB
<b>110</b>		<b>POMONA CA</b>				
120	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	91767	39,000	LB
130	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	91767	39,000	LB
<b>140</b>		<b>DOUGLAS GA</b>				

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150	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	31533	39,000	LB
<b>160 LEESBURG GA</b>						
170	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	31763	39,000	LB
<b>180 NEWPORT MN - Subject to 8a offering</b>						
190	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	55055	78,000	LB
<b>200 KANSAS CITY MO</b>						
210	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	64161	39,000	LB
<b>220 CREEDMOOR NC - Subject to 8a offering</b>						
230	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	27522	117,000	LB
<b>240 BRENTWOOD NY</b>						
250	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	11717	39,000	LB
<b>260 DALLAS TX</b>						
270	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	75247	39,000	LB
<b>280 HOUSTON TX</b>						
290	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	77028	39,000	LB
300	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	77066	39,000	LB
<b>310 LOT: 6684 TAUNTON MA / WILMINGTON MA ...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 6684 TAUNTON MA / WILMINGTON MA / WORCESTER MA /						
320	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	02780	9,750	LB
330	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	01887	9,750	LB
340	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	01610	19,500	LB
<b>350 LOT: 11183 CORINTH MS / JACKSON MS /</b>						
360	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	38835	6,360	LB
370	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	39209	32,640	LB
<b>380 LOT: 71538720 BIRMINGHAM AL / CLANTON...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 71538720 BIRMINGHAM AL / CLANTON AL /						
390	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	35210	19,500	LB
400	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	35045	19,500	LB
<b>410 LOT: 99374083 FORT MILL SC / GRANITEV...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 99374083 FORT MILL SC / GRANITEVILLE SC / LEXINGTON SC /						
420	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	29715	15,750	LB
430	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	29829	1,140	LB
440	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	29072	22,110	LB
<b>450 LOT: 166260892 BUFFALO NY / HALFMOON ...</b>						

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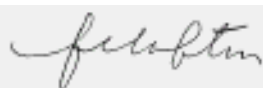
Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 166260892 BUFFALO NY / HALFMOON NY / YORKVILLE NY /</b>						
460	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	14214	60	LB
470	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	14214	9,180	LB
480	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	12065	19,200	LB
490	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	13495	10,530	LB
500	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	13495	30	LB
<b>510 LOT: 185316185 LOVELAND CO / ALBUQUER...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 185316185 LOVELAND CO / ALBUQUERQUE NM /</b>						
520	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	80538	28,800	LB
530	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	80538	450	LB
540	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	87102	9,750	LB
<b>550 LOT: 464700266 GRANITEVILLE SC / LEXI...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 464700266 GRANITEVILLE SC / LEXINGTON SC /</b>						
560	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	29829	12,000	LB
570	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	29072	27,000	LB
<b>580 LOT: 531660954 AUSTIN TX / MCALLEN TX...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 531660954 AUSTIN TX / MCALLEN TX / SAN ANTONIO TX /</b>						
590	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	78745	9,000	LB
600	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	78504	18,000	LB
610	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	78227	12,000	LB
<b>620 LOT: 668130049 CLEVELAND GA / DOUGLAS...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 668130049 CLEVELAND GA / DOUGLAS GA / MACON GA /</b>						
630	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	30528	8,100	LB
640	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	31533	20,730	LB
650	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	31204	10,170	LB
<b>660 LOT: 686792159 CLEVELAND OH / DAYTON ...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 686792159 CLEVELAND OH / DAYTON OH /</b>						
670	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	44135	9,750	LB
680	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	44135	9,750	LB
690	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	45402	19,500	LB
<b>700 LOT: 687127190 LITTLE ROCK AR / VAN B...</b>						
<b>Tendering text - Item : LOT: 687127190 LITTLE ROCK AR / VAN BUREN AR /</b>						
710	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	72202	7,500	LB
720	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	72956	31,500	LB

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<b>730 LOT: 703779015 DALLAS TX / HOUSTON TX /</b>						
740	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	75247	19,500	LB
750	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	77066	19,500	LB
<b>760 LOT: 898655741 CLEVELAND OH / DAYTON ...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 898655741 CLEVELAND OH / DAYTON OH /						
770	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	44135	9,750	LB
780	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	44135	9,750	LB
790	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	45402	19,500	LB
<b>800 LOT: 899117510 ALGONA WA / SPOKANE WA /</b>						
810	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	98001	18,000	LB
820	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	99206	21,000	LB
<b>830 LOT: 926983626 FOREST PARK GA / WARNE...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 926983626 FOREST PARK GA / WARNER ROBINS GA /						
840	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	30297	21,000	LB
850	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/01/2016-02/15/2016	31088	18,000	LB
<b>860 LOT: 971392168 EL PASO TX / LUBBOCK TX /</b>						
870	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	79906	19,500	LB
880	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	79404	19,500	LB
<b>890 LOT: 997399363 AUSTIN TX / MCALLEN TX...</b>						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 997399363 AUSTIN TX / MCALLEN TX / SAN ANTONIO TX /						
900	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	78745	13,020	LB
910	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	78504	13,020	LB
920	100117	CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB	02/16/2016-02/29/2016	78227	12,960	LB
Total Quantity for CHICKEN FAJITA STRIPS CTN-30 LB					1,404,000	LB
<b>930 ONLY 8a Companies Sumbit Offer on 110423</b>						
<b>940 8A OFFER POUNDS</b>						
<b>950 WASHINGTON DC</b>						
960	110423	8A OFFER POUNDS	12/16/2016-12/16/2016	20250	40	LB
Total Quantity for 8A OFFER POUNDS					40	LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					1,404,040	LB



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