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-LFSH-S-16-0032-P0001

Bid invitation number: 200003859
Purchasing Group: AMS-Livestock

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time

Start Date: 02/03/2016 13:40:00 Offer Due Date : 02/16/2016 13:00:00

Opening date: 02/16/2016 13:00:00

Invitation Type: Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Amendment Text:

A01: 02/11/2016 To include Amendment 2 to Supplement 511 for Catfish Products (April 2014) which replaces the Federal Purchase Program Specifications (FPPS or Specifications).

Tendering text - Header:

FROZEN CATFISH PRODUCTS SOLICITATION NO: 2000003859

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell catfish products 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, February 24, 2016. Deliveries are to be made between May 1, 2016 and July 31, 2016.

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.

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.

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 offerors 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, Supplement 511 to AMS Master Solicitation dated April 2014; Amendment 1 dated April 2015; or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3522-South; 1400

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See attached documents:

- 1. SUPPLEMENT 511 AMENDMENT 1 APRIL 2015
- 2. SUPPLEMENT 511 APRIL 2015
- 3. AMS MASTER SOLICITATION APRIL 2015
- 4. AMS MASTER SOLICITATION AMENDMENT 1 JUNE 2015
- 5 . SUPPLEMENT 511 AMENDMENT 2 FEBRUARY 2016
- 6 . SOLICITATION 2000003859 SF-30

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 SUB CONTRACTOR HAVE COMPLETED REQUIRED PERFORMANCE OF ANY USDA CONTACT 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

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PREFERENCE

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 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

Bid invitation Item details										
Iten	n Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity					
10 FISH,	FROZEN					_				
20 CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB										
30 TU	CSON AZ	•								
40	110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	07/16/2016-07/31/2016	85713	38,000	LB				
50 SACRAMENTO CA										
60	110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	07/16/2016-07/31/2016	95828	38,000	LB				
70 LOUISVILLE KY										
80	110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	05/16/2016-05/31/2016	40228	38,000	LB				
90 JACKSON MS										
100	110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	05/16/2016-05/31/2016	39201	38,000	LB				
110 HELENA MT										
120	110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/16/2016-06/30/2016	59620	38,000	LB				
130 VINELAND NJ										
140	110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	05/01/2016-05/15/2016	08360	38,000	LB				

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150 PHILADELPHIA PA										
160 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	05/01/2016-05/15/2016	19129	38,000	LB					
170 LOT: 80103552 LIMA OH / LOGAN OH / SP										
	Tendering text - Item: LOT: 801035	FIELD OH	/							
180 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/01/2016-06/15/2016	45804	12,680	LB					
190 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/01/2016-06/15/2016	43138	12,680	LB					
200 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/01/2016-06/15/2016	45503	12,640	LB					
210 LOT: 222540309 NEW ORLEANS LA / SHREV										
	Tendering text - Item : LOT: 2225403	309 NEW ORLEANS LA	/ SHREVEF	PORT LA /						
220 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/16/2016-06/30/2016	70123	15,880	LB					
230 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/16/2016-06/30/2016	71103	22,120	LB					
240 LOT: 300445908 BATON ROUGE LA / NEW O										
	Tendering text - Item: LOT: 3004459	908 BATON ROUGE LA	/ NEW ORL	EANS LA /						
250 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/16/2016-06/30/2016	70815	13,760	LB					
260 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/16/2016-06/30/2016	70123	24,240	LB					
270 LOT: 92061675 AUBURN ME / BARRE VT /										
280 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	05/01/2016-05/15/2016	04210	19,000	LB					
290 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	05/01/2016-05/15/2016	05641	19,000	LB					
300 LOT: 1122334455 COMSTOCK PARK MI / DE										
	Tendering text - Item : LOT: 1122334 PARK MI /	4455 COMSTOCK PARK	K MI / DETF	ROIT MI / O	AK					
310 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/01/2016-06/15/2016	49321	12,640	LB					
320 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/01/2016-06/15/2016	48207	12,640	LB					
330 110390	CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB	06/01/2016-06/15/2016	48237	12,720	LB					
	Total Quantity for CATFISH FLTS UNBRD RAW PKG-20/2 LB				LB					
	Total Quantity for Invitation			456,000	LB					

Amendment Details

Action Item Material Description Type
Field Old Value New Value UOM

See comments in the amendment header text for specific details.

Contracting Officer

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