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Information

Description: 12-3J14-17-S-0035
Bid invitation number: 2000004437
Purchasing Group: AMS Poultry

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time

Start Date: 11/29/2016 10:30:00 Offer Due Date: 12/13/2016 13:00:00

Opening date: 12/13/2016 13:00:00

Invitation Type: Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header:

WHOLE EGGS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000004437

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell whole eggs pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the Federal food and nutrition assistance programs. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, December 27, 2016. Deliveries are to be made between February 1, 2017 and February 28, 2017.

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 100% Total Small Business Set Aside for Material: 100047, EGGS WHOLE LIQ BULK -TANK. See FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Total Small Business Set Aside. NAICS Code 311999 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 materials 100046, EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB and 100047, EGGS WHOLE LIQ BULK -TANK.

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 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

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the Master Solicitation dated April 2015, Amendment No. 1 to the Master Solicitation dated June 2015, Amendment No. 2 dated May 2016 and the Commodity Specification for Whole Eggs dated June 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
- 2. Commodity Specification for Whole Eggs dated June 2015
- 3. Master Solicitation Amendment No 1 dated June 2015
- 4. Master Solicitation Amendment No 2 dated May 2016

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

OFFEROR REQUESTS HUBZONE SMALL BUSINESS PRICE EVALUATION PREFERENCE. APPLIES ONLY TO FIRMS CERTIFIED IN THE SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION#S HUBZONE PROGRAM (FAR SUBPART

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19.13).MUST BE THE MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER OF THE PRODUCT TO RECEIVE A PRICE 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 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:

YesNoN/A

Bid invitation Item details									
Item Material Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity						
10 EGG PRODUCTS									
20 EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB									
30 MIRA LOMA CA									
40 100046 EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	91752	40,020	LB					
50 KANSAS CITY MO									
60 100046 EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/01/2017-02/15/2017	64161	40,020	LB					
70 GARLAND TX									
80 100046 EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/01/2017-02/15/2017	75040	40,020	LB					
90 CLEARFIELD UT									
100 100046 EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	84016	40,020	LB					
110 RIPLEY WV									
120 100046 EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/01/2017-02/15/2017	25271	40,020	LB					
130 LOT: 533868474 AUSTIN TX / PHARR TX /									

Tendering text - Item: LOT: 533868474 AUSTIN TX / PHARR TX / SAN ANTONIO TX /

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140 10	0046	EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	78744	13,320	LB
150 10	0046	EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	78577	13,380	LB
160 10	0046	EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	78227	13,320	LB
170 LOT: 594380316 DALLAS TX / HOUSTON TX /						
180 10	0046	EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	75247	13,380	LB
190 10	0046	EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	77029	26,640	LB
		Total Quantity for EGGS WHOLE FRZ CTN-6/5 LB			280,140	LB
200 EGGS V	WHOLE	ELIQ BULK-TANK				
210 MON	TICELL	O MN - Subject to 8a offering				
220 10	0047	EGGS WHOLE LIQ BULK -TANK	02/01/2017-02/15/2017	55362	480,000	LB
230 10	0047	EGGS WHOLE LIQ BULK -TANK	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	55362	288,000	LB
240 WAKEFIELD NE						
250 10	0047	EGGS WHOLE LIQ BULK -TANK	02/01/2017-02/15/2017	68784	288,000	LB
260 10	0047	EGGS WHOLE LIQ BULK -TANK	02/16/2017-02/28/2017	68784	96,000	LB
	Total Quantity for EGGS WHOLE LIQ BULK -TANK				1,152,000	LB
270 ONLY 8a	a Comp	panies Sumbit Offer on 110423				
280 8A OFF	FER PO	UNDS				
290 WASI	HINGT	ON DC				
300 11	0423	8A OFFER POUNDS	12/16/2017-12/31/2017	20250	40	LB
Total Quantity for 8A OFFER POUNDS				40	LB	
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		Total Quantity for Invitation			1,432,180	LB

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