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Information

Description: 12-3J14-17-S-0358
Bid invitation number: 2000004856
Purchasing Group: AMS Poultry

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time

Start Date: 07/07/2017 09:00:00 Offer Due Date : 07/17/2017 13:00:00

Opening date: 07/17/2017 13:00:00

Invitation Type: Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header:

CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PRODUCTS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000004856

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell chicken and chicken 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, July 25, 2017. Deliveries are to be made between September 1 and September 30, 2017.

All bulk loads on this Solicitation are No Tolerance. Fewer than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

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.

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 AMS Master Solicitation dated April 2017; Commodity Specification for Bulk Pack Chicken and Chicken Parts dated April 2013; 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. BULK CHICKEN AND CHICKEN PARTS APRIL 2013
- 2 . AMS Master Solicitation dated April 2017

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

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

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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

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Bid invitation Item details								
Item	n Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	_		
10 CHICK	EN, BULF	<						
20 CHIC	KEN LAR	GE CHILLED -BULK						
30 GAINESVILLE GA								
40	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	30504	72,000	LB		
50	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	30504	144,000	LB		
60	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	30504	180,000	LB		
70 LUI	70 LUMBER BRIDGE NC							
80	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	28357	360,000	LB		
90	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	28357	360,000	LB		
100 N	EW HOLL	AND PA						
		Tendering text - Item : Destination re tanks.	quires fiberboard contair	ners - cann	ot accept bi	ns or		
110	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	17557	5,364,000	LB		
120	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	17557	5,400,000	LB		
130 SUMTER SC								
140	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	29150	2,016,000	LB		
150	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	29150	1,836,000	LB		
160 LOT: 147114747 NEW HOLLAND PA								
	Tendering text - Item: Destination requires fiberboard containers - cannot accept bins or tanks.					ns or		
170	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	17557	18,000	LB		
180	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	17557	18,000	LB		

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190 LOT	Ր: 15935	7852 SUMTER SC				
200 1	00103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	29150	18,000	LB
210 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	29150	18,000	LB
220 LOT	T: 36714	15892 LUMBER BRIDGE NC				
230 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	28357	18,000	LB
240 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	28357	18,000	LB
250 LOT	T: 69643	6538 LUMBER BRIDGE NC				
260 1	00103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	28357	20,435	LB
270 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	28357	12,565	LB
280 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	28357	3,000	LB
290 LOT	290 LOT: 812365249 SUMTER SC					
300 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	29150	20,876	LB
310 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	29150	15,124	LB
320 LOT	T: 86371	3565 SUMTER SC				
330 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	29150	18,000	LB
340 1	100103	CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	29150	18,000	LB
	Total Quantity for CHICKEN LARGE CHILLED -BULK				15,948,000	LB

350 CHICKEN LEGS CHILLED -BULK 360 SPRINGDALE AR

Tendering text - Item : Legs are to weigh between 5 - 19 ounces each, or be produced from ready-to-cook broiler fryer chickens that weigh 2.5 to 7 pounds per w hole carcass, without necks and giblets.

370 100113	CHICKEN LEGS CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	72764	72,000	LB	
380 100113	CHICKEN LEGS CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	72764	36,000	LB	
390 COMMERC	E CA					
400 100113	CHICKEN LEGS CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	90040	144,000	LB	
410 LOS ANGELES CA						

Tendering text - Item: Destination requires fiberboard containers - cannot accept bins or tanks. Legs are to be Large. They must weigh more than 13.6 ounces each.

420 100113	CHICKEN LEGS CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	90001	1,008,000	LB		
430 100113	CHICKEN LEGS CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	90001	1,008,000	LB		
440 GARLAND TX							

Tendering text - Item: Destination requires fiberboard containers - cannot accept bins or tanks. Legs are to be Large. They must weigh more than 13.6 ounces each.

450 100113 CHICKEN LEGS CHILLED -BULK 09/16/2017-09/30/2017 75042 144,000 LB

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<u>Item Material</u>	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	_
Total Quantity for CHICKEN LEGS CHILLED -BULK				2,412,000	LB
460 CHICKEN SM	ALL CHILLED -BULK				
470 MOOREFIE	LD WV				
480 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/01/2017-09/15/2017	26836	648,000	LB
490 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	26836	540,000	LB
500 LOT: 14892	26428 MOOREFIELD WV				
510 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	26836	7,180	LB
520 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	26836	10,820	LB
530 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	26836	18,000	LB
540 LOT: 486314860 MOOREFIELD WV					
550 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	26836	18,000	LB
560 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	26836	18,000	LB
570 LOT: 6251885821 MOOREFIELD WV					
580 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	26836	18,000	LB
590 100100	CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK	09/16/2017-09/30/2017	26836	18,000	LB
Total Quantity for CHICKEN SMALL CHILLED -BULK				1,296,000	LB
	Total Quantity for Invitation			19,656,000	LB

Jeffrey Jackson Contracting Officer

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