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Information

Description: **12-3J14-20-B-0608**
Bid invitation number: **2000007201**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Livestock**

SOLICITATION
Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 07/30/2020 17:30:00
Offer Due Date : 08/07/2020 13:00:00

Opening date: 08/07/2020 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

FROZEN BEEF PRODUCTS (Coarse Ground Beef Type1(100154) and Beef, Boneless, Special Trim, Frozen (100156), SOLICITATION NO: 2000007201

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen beef 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 no later than midnight, August 14, 2020.

Deliveries for items identified as BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB - Type 1 (10054) are to be from October 01 to October 31, 2020.

All line items identified as BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB - Type 1 - unless indicated by #Item Tendering text# are for Further Processing into Fully Cooked Items - Type 1, which will determine the level of microbial testing required. Please review Sections 320.8.1 and 321.6 for Type 1 of Supplement 211, dated August 2017 for more information.

All items identified as BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB - Type1 is thirty (30%) Small Business Set-Aside - See FAR 52.219-6 Notice of Small Business Set-Aside. NAICS Code 311611- Business size 1,000 employees or less apply to this requirement.

All items identified as BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB - Type1 is ten percent (10%) Service Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) Set-Aside.

Deliveries for items identified as BEEF, BONELESS, SPECIAL TRIM, FROZEN (100156) are to be from September 01 to September 30, 2020.

All line items identified as BEEF, BONELESS, SPECIAL TRIM, FROZEN is full open and competition.

The 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.

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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.

In order to submit offers on this Solicitation, Offerors must be deemed eligible by the Contracting Officer. Product purchased under this Solicitation will be produced according to the applicable Federal Purchase Program Specification and eligible supplier's approved technical proposal.

Offerors must reference their AMS designated laboratory in their technical proposal.

NOTE: All fees associated with microbial testing for boneless beef and ground beef items and fat analysis for ground beef products will be paid by AMS. 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 non-responsive. Offerors must be active in WBSCM and have the required bidder roles in order to submit offers under this solicitation. Once connected, follow the on-line 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 May 2020; Supplement 211 to AMS Master Solicitation, dated August 2017; Supplement 213 to AMS Master Solicitation dated August 2017 or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Room 3524-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, Washington, D.C. 20250. Telephone (202)720-4517; FAX: (202)720-2782.

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See attached documents:

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- 1 . Supplement 211 AUGUST 2017
- 2 . AMS MASTER SOLICITATION - MAY 2020
- 3 . Supplement213BeefSpecialTrimAugust2017

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

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- Yes

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
10	BEEF, GROUND					
20	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB					
30	VERNON CA					
40	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	90058	126,000.000	LB
50	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	90058	252,000.000	LB
60	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/16/2020-10/31/2020	90058	252,000.000	LB
70	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/16/2020-10/31/2020	90058	126,000.000	LB
80	VINELAND NJ					
90	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	08360	42,000.000	LB
100	FAIRFIELD OH					
110	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	45014	882,000.000	LB
120	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/16/2020-10/31/2020	45014	588,000.000	LB
130	HARRISON OH					
140	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	45030	1,176,000.000	LB
150	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/16/2020-10/31/2020	45030	840,000.000	LB
160	AMARILLO TX					
170	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	79118	504,000.000	LB
180	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/16/2020-10/31/2020	79118	420,000.000	LB
190	FT WORTH TX					
200	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	76102	84,000.000	LB

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210	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/16/2020-10/31/2020	76102	LB 210,000.000
220 LOT: 344067938 HARRISON OH					
230	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	45030	LB 1,860.000
240	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	45030	LB 19,140.000
250	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	45030	LB 21,000.000
260 LOT: 513811140 VERNON CA					
270	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	90058	LB 32,000.000
280	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	90058	LB 10,000.000
290 LOT: 664855286 HARRISON OH					
300	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	45030	LB 21,000.000
310	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	45030	LB 21,000.000
320 LOT: 720063851 FAIRFIELD OH					
330	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/16/2020-10/31/2020	45014	LB 28,700.000
340	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/16/2020-10/31/2020	45014	LB 13,300.000
350 LOT: 2020070600 VERNON CA					
360	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	90058	LB 21,000.000
370	100154	BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB	10/01/2020-10/15/2020	90058	LB 21,000.000
Total Quantity for BEEF COARSE GROUND FRZ CTN-60 LB					LB 5,712,000.00 0
380 BEEF, SPECIAL TRIM					
390 BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB					
400 ADA MI					
410	100156	BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	49301	LB 42,000.000
420 LOT: 155397984 LYONS IL					

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430	100156	BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	60534	21,000.000 LB
440	100156	BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	60534	21,000.000 LB
Total Quantity for BEEF BNLS SPECIAL TRM FRZ CTN-60 LB					84,000.000 LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					5,796,000.000 LB
					0



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