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### Information

Description: 12-3J14-24-B-0025-0001

Bid invitation number: 2000009647
Purchasing Group: AMS Dairy

# SOLICITATION Master/Shortfall Invitation

#### **Bid invitation Overview**

Bid Timezone: Central Time

Start Date: 10/18/2023 14:45:00 Offer Due Date : 11/01/2023 13:00:00

Opening date: 11/01/2023 13:00:00

Invitation Type: Master

#### Additional requested information:

#### **Amendment Text:**

A01 10/18/23 - This amendment is issued to add the following tendering text:

14. Offerors will submit a unit price in WBSCM, for delivery to each state, inclusive of all costs associated through final delivery. Note: State pricing entered shall be the same for all delivery points within each state and be inclusive of all delivery charges, including multi-stop loads. Trucks may have from one to three delivery stops. If multiple delivery stops are required, and some of the stops are in different states, the portion of the load being delivered within each state shall be at the price applicable to that state.

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#### Tendering text - Header:

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell CCC PROCESS CHEESE listed in this solicitation pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the domestic food distribution programs.

Please review all Solicitation documents attached to this solicitation. Solicitation attachments are incorporated by reference into the contract.

Bids are due by 1:00 pm CT on 11/01/2023. Acceptances will be announced 11/6/2023.

Capacity must be entered in full truckloads and the number of stops will be limited to a maximum of three.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

This Acquisition is unrestricted. 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. Solicitation questions should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Commodity Procurement Program, Proteins, Grains, and Oilseeds Procurement Division; 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W. S-0239; Washington, D.C. 20250-0239. Telephone: (816-560-3130). The USDA prohibits discrimination against its customers, employees, and applicants for employment on the bases of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender identity, religion, reprisal, and where applicable, political beliefs, marital status, familial or parental status, sexual orientation, or all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program, or protected genetic information in employment or in any program or activity conducted or funded by the Department. (Not all prohibited bases will apply to all programs and/or employment activities.) To file a complaint of discrimination, write: USDA, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410 or call (866) 632-9992 (Toll-free Customer Service), (800)877-8339 (Local or Federal

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## **Certification Questions:**

ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED. WHEN ANSWERING QUESTIONS, PLEASE UTILIZE ATTACHED BID CERTIFICATION QUESTIONS DOCUMENT.

#### See attached documents:

- 1 . Master Solicitation(04-05-2023)
- 2 . DPPC CRD
- 3 . Copy of Exhibit 2 Estimates Based on Anticipated Demand
- 4 . IDDQ Solicitation Tendering Text\_2000009647
- 5 . SF-30 2000009647 A01

#### Attributes:

- 1. FOOD SAFETY MODERNIZATION ACT
- 2. DUNS Number
- 3. SIZE STANDARD
- 4. SYSTEM FOR AWARD MANAGEMENT
- 5. AMENDMENTS TO SOLICITATION
- 6. ON TIME DELIVERIES
- 7. COMMERICIAL BRAND
- 8. PLANT LOCATION(S).
- 9. PLANTS
- 10. NON-MANUFACTURERS
- 11. SUPPLIER AGREEMENT
- 12. CONTACT INFORMATION.
- 13. EMERGENCY CONTACT

Bid invitation Item details					
	Iten	n Material	Description	Quantity	
10	0 CHEESE, PROCESSED				
	20	100019	CHEESE PROCESS WHT SLC LVS-6/5 LB	L	LB
				3,960,000.00	
				0	
			Total Quantity for CHEESE PROCESS WHT SLC LVS-6/5 LB	L	LB
				3,960,000.00	

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Date: 10/18/2023

Action

Item

Material

Description

Old Value

New Value

Type

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See comments in the amendment header text for specific details.

Field

Kashawa & Brown Contracting Officer

Commodity Procurement Division
United States Department of Agriculture