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Information

Description: 12-3J14-24-B-0116
Bid invitation number: 2000009748
Purchasing Group: AMS-Domestic

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time

Start Date: 12/05/2023 16:00:00 Offer Due Date : 12/11/2023 09:00:00

Opening date: 12/11/2023 09:00:00

Invitation Type: Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

Please review all solicitation documents.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Tortillas pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the domestic food distribution programs. Bids are due by 9:00 am CT on 12/11/2023. Acceptances will be announced by 5pm CT on 12/18/2023. Deliveries are to be made between February 1, 2024 through March 31, 2024.

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.

This Acquisition has up to 100% Small Business Set-Aside for Tortilla items. All other items are Unrestricted.

For a new-to-USDA contractor and existing contractors who are bidding on new products, a probationary period may be implemented in which awards are limited to 10 truckloads per product. Contractor must demonstrate successful delivery of at least five (5) truckloads of product in order to be removed from probationary status on future solicitations. For the purposes of this rule, successful delivery is defined as product delivered on-time and in acceptable condition according to the terms and conditions of the contract. Any delivery problems directly attributable to the Government will not be held against the contractor.

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.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver.

Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated November 7, 2023, the Commodity Requirements Document for Tortillas dated April 2016, or this Solicitation 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: (202) 720-4517.

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Certification Questions:

Please note answering Bid Certification Questions in WBSCM is a required component of the offer.

See attached documents:

- 1 . TOR2 CRD 04-15-16
- 2 . Domestic Bid Certification Questions 10-10-18
- 3 . Master Solicitation

Attributes :

1. Food Safety Modernization Act

Permitted values: - YES

- NO

- 3. SAMS Reps and Certs
- 4. Amendments to Solicitation
- 5. Timely Deliveries

Permitted values: - HAVE BEEN DELIVERED

HAVE NOT BEEN DELIVEREDNO PREVIOUS CONTRACTS

- 6. Brand Name and Pack Size
- 7. Plant Locations
- 8. Supplier Agreements

Permitted values: - YES

- NO

- N/A

9. Supplier Agreement-Capability Requirements

Permitted values: - YES

- NO

- NOT APPLICABLE

- 10.Information on POC submitting offer
- 11. Information on 24 hour Emergency POC

Bid invitation Item details

Item Material Description Required by ZipCode Quantity

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Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
20 TOR	TILLA W	HOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-12/24				
30 N	IEWARK	NJ				
40	110394	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-12/24	02/01/2024-02/15/2024	07114	40,500.000	LB
50 L	OT: 124	25 STURBRIDGE MA / TAUNTON M	IA /			
60	110394	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-12/24	02/01/2024-02/15/2024	01566	13,500.000	LB
70	110394	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-12/24	02/01/2024-02/15/2024	02780	27,000.000	LB
80 L	OT: 450	769965 NEWARK NJ / VINELAND I	NJ /			
90	110394	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-12/24	02/01/2024-02/15/2024	07114	12,150.000	LB
100	110394	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-12/24	02/01/2024-02/15/2024	08360	28,350.000	LB
		Total Quantity for TORTILLA WHOL CTN-12/24	E WHEAT FZN 8"		121,500.000	LB
110 TO	RTILLA	WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-24/1 L	.B			
120	INDUST	RY CA				
130	110741	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-24/1 LB	02/01/2024-02/15/2024	90601	72,000.000	LB
140	110741	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-24/1 LB	03/01/2024-03/15/2024	90601	36,000.000	LB
150	BRONX	NY				
160	110741	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-24/1 LB	02/01/2024-02/15/2024	10474	36,000.000	LB
170	110741	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-24/1 LB	03/01/2024-03/15/2024	10474	36,000.000	LB
180	180 HOUSTON TX					
190	110741	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-24/1 LB	02/01/2024-02/15/2024	77029	36,000.000	LB
200	110741	TORTILLA WHOLE WHEAT FZN 8" CTN-24/1 LB	03/16/2024-03/31/2024	77029	36,000.000	LB
		Total Quantity for TORTILLA WHOLLB	E WHEAT FZN 8" CT	N-24/1	252,000.000	LB

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Item Material Description

Required by

ZipCode Quantity

Lynny Babanch

Contracting Officer
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