

United States Department of Agriculture
Agricultural Marketing Service
Commodity Procurement Staff
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Room 3522-S, STOP 0239
Washington, DC 20250-0239

Information

Description: **AG-LPRK-S-15-0042**
Bid invitation number: **2000003257**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Livestock**

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 04/01/2015 13:45:00
Offer Due Date : 04/15/2015 13:00:00

Opening date: 04/15/2015 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

PORK CHOP SOLICITATION NO: 2000003257

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell frozen pork chops 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, April 22, 2015. Deliveries are to be made between July 1, 2015 and September 30, 2015.

The pork products are to be delivered fresh chilled or frozen as indicated by product type.

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.

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 offerors 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 Master Solicitation dated April 2014; Supplement 304 to AMS Master Solicitation dated May 2013, Amendment No. 1 dated June 2014; Amendment No. 2 dated February 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 . Supplement 304 to AMS Master Solicitation May 2013
- 2 . Supplement 304 Amd 1 June 2014
- 3 . AMS Master Solicitation April 2014
- 4 . SUPPLEMENT 304 AMD 2 FEBRUARY 2015

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

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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: - Yes
 - No
 - N/A

Bid invitation Item details

	Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
10	PORK, FROZEN						
20	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB						
30	NAMPA ID						
	40	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	83687	38,000	LB
	50	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	83687	38,000	LB
	60	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/01/2015-09/15/2015	83687	38,000	LB
70	INDIANAPOLIS IN						
	80	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/01/2015-09/15/2015	46241	38,000	LB
90	KANSAS CITY MO						
	100	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	64161	76,000	LB
	110	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	64161	76,000	LB
	120	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/01/2015-09/15/2015	64161	38,000	LB
130	HAUPPAUGE NY						
	140	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	11788	38,000	LB
150	OFFSHORE: CAGUAS PR						
	160	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	07250	38,000	LB
170	LOT: 2640416 LAFAYETTE IN / MUNCIE IN /						
	180	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	47909	20,640	LB
	190	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	47303	17,360	LB

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200 LOT: 182034193 FORT WAYNE IN / LOUISV...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 182034193 FORT WAYNE IN / LOUISVILLE KY / CINCINNATI OH /						
210	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	46816	22,280	LB
220	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	40228	8,120	LB
230	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	45229	7,600	LB
240 LOT: 210167653 EDGEWOOD KY / LEXINGTO...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 210167653 EDGEWOOD KY / LEXINGTON KY /						
250	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	41017	10,000	LB
260	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	40511	28,000	LB
270 LOT: 234327191 ELIZABETHTOWN KY / LOU...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 234327191 ELIZABETHTOWN KY / LOUISVILLE KY / MAYFIELD KY /						
280	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	42701	16,000	LB
290	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	40228	16,000	LB
300	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	42066	6,000	LB
310 LOT: 258498433 EDGEWOOD KY / LEXINGTO...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 258498433 EDGEWOOD KY / LEXINGTON KY /						
320	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	41017	10,000	LB
330	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	07/01/2015-07/15/2015	40511	28,000	LB
340 LOT: 354933849 BLOOMINGTON IN / EVANS...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 354933849 BLOOMINGTON IN / EVANSVILLE IN / INDIANAPOLIS IN /						
350	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	47404	10,080	LB
360	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	47711	13,040	LB
370	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	08/01/2015-08/15/2015	46241	14,880	LB
380 LOT: 454110021 GARY IN / INDIANAPOLIS...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 454110021 GARY IN / INDIANAPOLIS IN / SOUTH BEND IN /						
390	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	46408	7,680	LB
400	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	46241	17,280	LB
410	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/16/2015-09/30/2015	46634	13,040	LB
420 LOT: 557801398 GARY IN / SOUTH BEND I...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 557801398 GARY IN / SOUTH BEND IN / TERRE HAUTE IN /						
430	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/01/2015-09/15/2015	46408	15,000	LB
440	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/01/2015-09/15/2015	46634	13,480	LB

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450	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	09/01/2015-09/15/2015	47807	9,520	LB
460 LOT: 613639621 ELIZABETHTOWN KY / LOU...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 613639621 ELIZABETHTOWN KY / LOUISVILLE KY / MAYFIELD KY /						
470	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	42701	16,000	LB
480	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	40228	16,000	LB
490	110380	PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	07/16/2015-07/31/2015	42066	6,000	LB
Total Quantity for PORK CHOPS BNLS FRZ PKG-40/1 LB					760,000	LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					760,000	LB



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