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Information

Description: 12-3J14-22-B-0389-0001
Bid invitation number: 2000008590
Purchasing Group: AMS-Livestock

**SOLICITATION
Domestic Commodity Invitation**

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 06/08/2022 13:30:00
Offer Due Date : 06/23/2022 13:00:00

Opening date: 06/23/2022 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Amendment Text :

06/09/2022 : M01 To include the following tendering text solicitation only.

In accordance with Federal Acquisition Regulation 9.104-1 awarded contractors must be determined to be responsible under the proposed award. Section (e) and (f) of the aforementioned clause require the necessary technical skill, equipment, facility and controls. As such, offers awards will be limited to 6 truckloads of product under this solicitation. Awarded contracts issued under this solicitation will not exceed 6 truckloads per individual prime contractor.

Tendering text - Header :

FROZEN BISON PRODUCTS SOLICITATION NO: 2000008590

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell bison 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, June 30, 2022. Deliveries are to be made between January 1, 2023 through March 31, 2023.

***** NEW***** NEW***** NEW*****

This solicitation includes the following provisions and requirements for purchases under Supplement 603 March 2021 and amends the following sections of the Federal Purchase Program Specification (FPPS) for Ground Bison March 2021.

For this solicitation only, FPPS Ground Bison 2021 is amended as follows:
Revise Section 410 to read:

410 All finished bison products shall be frozen to an internal temperature of not higher than 0°F (-17.8°C) within 72 hours from the time the lot is placed in the freezer.

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

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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 March 2022; Supplement 603 dated March 2022; 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 . AMS Master Solicitation CP - March 2022
- 2 . Supplement 603 Frozen Bison Specification - March 2022

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- 3 . GS1 Certification
- 4 . 2000008590 - Bison - Amendment 01

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 SUB CONTRACTOR HAVE COMPLETED REQUIRED PERFORMANCE OF ANY USDA CONTACT 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 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:
- Yes
 - No
 - N/A

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The offeror has reviewed the List of Required Products for GS1 Global Data Synchronization Network (GDSN) Reporting. Please see attached GS1 attribute question.

Bid invitation Item details

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
10 BISON PRODUCTS					
20 BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB					
30 BAKERSFIELD CA					
40	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	93307	LB 40,000.000
50 FRESNO CA					
60	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	02/01/2023-02/15/2023	93725	LB 40,000.000
70 CHICAGO IL					
80	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	60632	LB 40,000.000
90 LAS VEGAS NV					
100	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	89030	LB 40,000.000
110 PORTLAND OR					
120	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	02/01/2023-02/15/2023	97211	LB 40,000.000
130 LOT: 7624123 CLEVELAND OH / DAYTON OH...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 7624123 CLEVELAND OH / DAYTON OH / GROVE CITY OH /					
140	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	44110	LB 10,000.000
150	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	45417	LB 16,000.000
160	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	43123	LB 14,000.000
170 LOT: 73052985 MCCONNELLSBURG PA / WIL..					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 73052985 MCCONNELLSBURG PA / WILLIAMSPORT PA / YORK PA /					
180	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	17233	LB 10,000.000
190	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	17701	LB 20,000.000
200	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	17406	LB

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					10,000.000
210		LOT: 104147091 FREDERICKSBURG VA / LO...			
		Tendering text - Item : LOT: 104147091 FREDERICKSBURG VA / LORTON VA / RICHMOND VA /			
220	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	22408	LB
					13,360.000
230	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	22079	LB
					13,320.000
240	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	23220	LB
					13,320.000
250		LOT: 199461795 EAU CLAIRE WI / MADISO...			
		Tendering text - Item : LOT: 199461795 EAU CLAIRE WI / MADISON WI / WEST MILWAUKEE WI /			
260	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	54703	LB
					15,400.000
270	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	53716	LB
					15,400.000
280	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	53219	LB
					9,200.000
290		LOT: 206413393 EAST STROUDSBURG PA / ...			
		Tendering text - Item : LOT: 206413393 EAST STROUDSBURG PA / JENKINS TOWNSHIP PA / NAZARETH PA /			
300	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	18360	LB
					10,000.000
310	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	18640	LB
					20,000.000
320	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	18064	LB
					10,000.000
330		LOT: 349358792 ELMSFORD NY / HAUPPAUG...			
		Tendering text - Item : LOT: 349358792 ELMSFORD NY / HAUPPAUGE NY /			
340	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	10523	LB
					20,000.000
350	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	11788	LB
					20,000.000
360		LOT: 393558282 WASHINGTON DC / BALTIM...			
		Tendering text - Item : LOT: 393558282 WASHINGTON DC / BALTIMORE MD /			
370	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	03/01/2023-03/15/2023	20017	LB

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					10,000.000	
380	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	03/01/2023-03/15/2023	20017		LB
					10,000.000	
390	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	03/01/2023-03/15/2023	21227		LB
					20,000.000	
400 LOT: 394584428 FORT WAYNE IN / MERRIL..						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 394584428 FORT WAYNE IN / MERRILLVILLE IN / SOUTH BEND IN /						
410	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	46805		LB
					12,000.000	
420	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	46410		LB
					14,000.000	
430	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	46601		LB
					14,000.000	
440 LOT: 448782769 BROOKLYN PARK MN / NEW...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 448782769 BROOKLYN PARK MN / NEW HOPE MN /						
450	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	55428		LB
					31,080.000	
460	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	55428		LB
					8,920.000	
470 LOT: 463465542 SEATTLE WA / SPOKANE W...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 463465542 SEATTLE WA / SPOKANE WA / TACOMA WA /						
480	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	98108		LB
					23,600.000	
490	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	99202		LB
					11,840.000	
500	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	98499		LB
					4,560.000	
510 LOT: 474339699 COMSTOCK PARK MI / FLI...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 474339699 COMSTOCK PARK MI / FLINT MI /						
520	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	49321		LB
					11,840.000	
530	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	49321		LB
					20,000.000	
540	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	48503		LB
					8,160.000	

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550 LOT: 483297387 ELIZABETHTOWN KY / LEX...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 483297387 ELIZABETHTOWN KY / LEXINGTON KY / LOUISVILLE KY /					
560	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	02/01/2023-02/15/2023	42701	LB 13,320.000
570	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	02/01/2023-02/15/2023	40511	LB 13,360.000
580	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	02/01/2023-02/15/2023	40228	LB 13,320.000
590 LOT: 532880544 DENVER CO / GREELEY CO...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 532880544 DENVER CO / GREELEY CO / WICHITA KS /					
600	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	80239	LB 10,000.000
610	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	80631	LB 10,000.000
620	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	67211	LB 20,000.000
630 LOT: 595521688 CREEDMOOR NC / SALISBU...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 595521688 CREEDMOOR NC / SALISBURY NC /					
640	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	27522	LB 20,000.000
650	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/16/2023-01/31/2023	28147	LB 20,000.000
660 LOT: 676200902 AUBURN ME / PROVIDENCE...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 676200902 AUBURN ME / PROVIDENCE RI /					
670	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	04210	LB 20,000.000
680	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	02907	LB 20,000.000
690 LOT: 897133133 LAFAYETTE LA / NEW ORL...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 897133133 LAFAYETTE LA / NEW ORLEANS LA /					
700	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	70505	LB 20,000.000
710	110001	BISON GROUND LEAN FRZ PKG-40/1 LB	01/01/2023-01/15/2023	70123	LB 20,000.000
720 LOT: 983352556 BUFFALO NY / ROCHESTER...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 983352556 BUFFALO NY / ROCHESTER NY /					

