

**United States Department of Agriculture**  
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Room 3522-S, STOP 0239  
Washington, DC 20036

## Information

Description: **12-3J14-18-S-0152**  
Bid invitation number: **2000005194**  
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Livestock**

## SOLICITATION

### Domestic Commodity Invitation

#### Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time  
Start Date: 01/24/2018 15:00:00  
Offer Due Date : 01/31/2018 13:00:00  
  
Opening date: 01/31/2018 13:00:00  
  
Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

#### Additional requested information:

#### Tendering text - Header :

CANNED MEATS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000005195

The U.S. Department of Agriculture Canned Meats(USDA) invites offers to sell Canned Meats 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, February 7, 2018. Deliveries are to be made between April 1, 2018 and June 30, 2018.

For this solicitation canned meats will be filled into cylindrical cans.

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 destination (Puerto Rico, Hawaii, etc.), offerors have the option to choose to enter their bids direct to the offshore destination to the port.

Purchases will be made on f.o.b. destination basis to cities on this Solicitation. Destination quantities listed are estimated and subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient needs, market conditions, and program operation.

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 most current Item Description and Checklist of Requirements and eligible supplier's approved technical proposal.

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

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the Master Solicitation dated April 2017; Supplement 704 to AMS Master Solicitation dated August 2017; 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 APRIL 2017
- 2 . SUPPLEMENT 704 AUGUST 2017

**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

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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:       - Yes  
                               - No  
                               - N/A

**Bid invitation Item details**

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
<b>10</b>		<b>BEEF, CANNED</b>				
<b>20</b>		<b>BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ</b>				
<b>30</b>		<b>NAMPA ID</b>				
40	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	83687	36,000	LB
<b>50</b>		<b>KANSAS CITY MO</b>				
60	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	64161	36,000	LB
70	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	05/16/2018-05/31/2018	64161	36,000	LB
<b>80</b>		<b>OFFSHORE: BAYAMON PR</b>				
90	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	00956	36,000	LB
100	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00956	36,000	LB
<b>110</b>		<b>OFFSHORE: CAGUAS PR</b>				
120	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	00725	36,000	LB
130	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00725	36,000	LB
140	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	05/01/2018-05/15/2018	07250	72,000	LB
<b>150</b>		<b>OFFSHORE: CANOVANAS PR</b>				

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160	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	00629	36,000	LB
170	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00629	36,000	LB
<b>180 OFFSHORE: PONCE PR</b>						
190	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	00731	36,000	LB
200	100127	BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00731	36,000	LB
<b>Total Quantity for BEEF CAN-24/24 OZ</b>					<b>468,000</b>	<b>LB</b>
<b>210 BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ</b>						
<b>220 NAMPA ID</b>						
230	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	83687	72,000	LB
240	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	05/01/2018-05/15/2018	83687	36,000	LB
250	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	05/16/2018-05/31/2018	83687	36,000	LB
260	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	83687	36,000	LB
270	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	06/16/2018-06/30/2018	83687	36,000	LB
<b>280 KANSAS CITY MO</b>						
290	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	64161	180,000	LB
300	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	04/16/2018-04/30/2018	64161	180,000	LB
310	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	05/01/2018-05/15/2018	64161	180,000	LB
320	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	05/16/2018-05/31/2018	64161	180,000	LB
330	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	64161	144,000	LB
340	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	06/16/2018-06/30/2018	64161	108,000	LB
<b>350 HELENA MT</b>						
360	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	04/16/2018-04/30/2018	59620	36,000	LB
<b>370 TAHLEQUAH OK</b>						
380	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	04/16/2018-04/30/2018	74465	36,000	LB
390	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	05/01/2018-05/15/2018	74465	36,000	LB
400	100526	BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ	06/16/2018-06/30/2018	74465	36,000	LB
<b>Total Quantity for BEEF STEW CAN-24/24 OZ</b>					<b>1,332,000</b>	<b>LB</b>
<b>410 PORK, CANNED</b>						
<b>420 PORK CAN-24/24 OZ</b>						
<b>430 OFFSHORE: BAYAMON PR</b>						
440	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	00956	36,000	LB
450	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00956	36,000	LB
<b>460 OFFSHORE: CAGUAS PR</b>						
470	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	00725	72,000	LB

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480	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00725	36,000	LB
490	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	07250	72,000	LB
500	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	07250	72,000	LB
<b>510 OFFSHORE: CANOVANAS PR</b>						
520	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	00629	72,000	LB
530	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00629	36,000	LB
<b>540 OFFSHORE: PONCE PR</b>						
550	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	04/01/2018-04/15/2018	00731	72,000	LB
<b>560 LOT: 193265170 MAYAGUEZ PR / PONCE PR /</b>						
570	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00708	18,000	LB
580	100139	PORK CAN-24/24 OZ	06/01/2018-06/15/2018	00731	18,000	LB
<b>Total Quantity for PORK CAN-24/24 OZ</b>					<b>540,000</b>	<b>LB</b>
<b>Total Quantity for Invitation</b>					<b>2,340,000</b>	<b>LB</b>



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