

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

## Information

Description: **12-3J14-20-B-0018**  
Bid invitation number: **2000006493**  
Purchasing Group: **AMS Poultry**

## SOLICITATION

### Domestic Commodity Invitation

#### Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time  
Start Date: 10/22/2019 11:30:00  
Offer Due Date : 11/05/2019 13:00:00  
  
Opening date: 11/05/2019 13:00:00  
  
Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

#### Additional requested information:

#### Tendering text - Header :

CHICKEN STRIPS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000006493

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Chicken Strips 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, November 19, 2019. Deliveries are to be made between January 1, 2020 and March 15, 2020.

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.

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.

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 Supplement 801 dated March 2017; and eligible supplier's approved technical proposal. Please review the changes in Supplement 801 for Chicken Strips dated March 2017 and update your technical proposals to Food Safety and Commodity Specification (FSCS) Division if necessary.

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 October 2019; Supplement 801 dated March 2017; or this

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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 801 March 2017 Cooked Chicken Strips
- 2 . MSCP October 2019

**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:
- There are no existing contracts/purchase orders
  - Have not been delivered, but the Offeror has notified the Contracting Officer
  - Have not been delivered
  - Have been delivered

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).

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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:     - N/A  
                               - No  
                               - Yes

**Bid invitation Item details**

	Item	Material Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
<b>10</b>	<b>CHICKEN, COOKED</b>					
<b>20</b>	<b>CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB</b>					
<b>30</b>	<b>BIRMINGHAM AL</b>					
40	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	35210		LB
					39,000.000	
<b>50</b>	<b>CLANTON AL</b>					
60	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	35045		LB
					39,000.000	
<b>70</b>	<b>PHOENIX AZ</b>					
80	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	85043		LB
					39,000.000	
<b>90</b>	<b>DIXON CA</b>					
100	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	95620		LB
					39,000.000	
<b>110</b>	<b>ONTARIO CA</b>					
120	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	91761		LB
					39,000.000	
<b>130</b>	<b>SACRAMENTO CA</b>					

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140	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	95814	LB 39,000.000
<b>150 BERKELEY IL</b>					
160	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/16/2020-01/31/2020	60163	LB 39,000.000
<b>170 GRANITE CITY IL</b>					
180	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	62040	LB 39,000.000
<b>190 BATON ROUGE LA</b>					
200	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	70806	LB 39,000.000
<b>210 BOSTON MA</b>					
220	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	02125	LB 39,000.000
230	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	02125	LB 39,000.000
<b>240 NEWPORT MN</b>					
250	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/01/2020-02/15/2020	55055	LB 39,000.000
<b>260 MOOSIC PA</b>					
270	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/16/2020-01/31/2020	18507	LB 39,000.000
<b>280 PHILADELPHIA PA</b>					
290	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/16/2020-01/31/2020	19129	LB 39,000.000
300	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	19129	LB 39,000.000
<b>310 AUSTIN TX</b>					
320	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	78744	LB 39,000.000
<b>330 LOT: 11631 WORCESTER MA</b>					
340	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	01610	LB 19,500.000
350	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	01610	LB 19,500.000
<b>360 LOT: 11632 TAUNTON MA</b>					
370	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	02780	LB 19,500.000

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380	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	02780	19,500.000	LB
<b>390 LOT: 11633 BOSTON MA / TAUNTON MA /</b>						
400	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	02125	28,500.000	LB
410	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	02780	10,500.000	LB
<b>420 LOT: 11634 WORCESTER MA</b>						
430	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	01610	19,500.000	LB
440	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	01610	19,500.000	LB
<b>450 LOT: 11635 TAUNTON MA</b>						
460	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	02780	19,500.000	LB
470	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	02780	19,500.000	LB
<b>480 LOT: 11636 BOSTON MA / WORCESTER MA /</b>						
490	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	02125	28,500.000	LB
500	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	01610	10,500.000	LB
<b>510 LOT: 99408 CREEDMOOR NC / SALISBURY NC /</b>						
520	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	27522	15,360.000	LB
530	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	28147	23,640.000	LB
<b>540 LOT: 13382756 BUFFALO NY / HALFMOON NY /</b>						
550	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	14214	120.000	LB
560	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	14214	29,130.000	LB
570	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	12065	150.000	LB
580	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	12065	9,600.000	LB
<b>590 LOT: 585006541 BRENTWOOD NY / HALFMOO...</b>						

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600	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	11717	25,500.000 LB
610	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	12065	150.000 LB
620	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	03/01/2020-03/15/2020	12065	13,350.000 LB
<b>630 LOT: 614634192 BINGHAMTON NY / BRENTW...</b>					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 614634192 BINGHAMTON NY / BRENTWOOD NY /					
640	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	13904	9,690.000 LB
650	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	13904	60.000 LB
660	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	11717	29,250.000 LB
<b>670 LOT: 728240961 OWENSBORO KY / SHEPERD...</b>					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 728240961 OWENSBORO KY / SHEPERDSVILLE KY /					
680	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/16/2020-01/31/2020	42301	14,070.000 LB
690	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/16/2020-01/31/2020	40165	24,930.000 LB
<b>700 LOT: 805535820 CONCORD NH / ESSEX VT /</b>					
710	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	03301	28,620.000 LB
720	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	03301	1,380.000 LB
730	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	02/16/2020-02/29/2020	05452	9,000.000 LB
<b>740 LOT: 984674680 HALFMOON NY / MALONE N...</b>					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 984674680 HALFMOON NY / MALONE NY / YORKVILLE NY /					
750	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	12065	18,810.000 LB
760	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	12065	150.000 LB
770	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	12953	9,480.000 LB
780	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	12953	60.000 LB

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790	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	13495	10,290.000 LB
800	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	01/01/2020-01/15/2020	13495	210.000 LB
<b>Total Quantity for CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB</b>					<b>1,131,000.00 LB</b>
<b>Total Quantity for Invitation</b>					<b>0 LB</b>
					<b>1,131,000.00 LB</b>
					<b>0</b>



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