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Washington, DC 20036

Information

Description: **12-3J14-20-B-0370**
Bid invitation number: **2000006907**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Fruit and Veg**

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 04/23/2020 13:00:00
Offer Due Date : 05/08/2020 13:00:00

Opening date: 05/08/2020 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

TRADE MITIGATION FROZEN FRUIT (STRAWBERRY PRODUCTS), SOLICITATION NO: 2000006907

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Frozen Fruit (Strawberry Products) pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the Trade Mitigation Food Purchase and Distribution Program. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, May 15, 2020. Deliveries are to be made between July 1, 2020 and September 30, 2020.

This invitation for bids is part of the Food Purchase and Distribution Program under the authority of the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC), with the purpose to assist farmers in response to trade damage from unjustified retaliation. Funding for this purchase is under Section 5 of the CCC Charter Act.

The contract specialist for this solicitation is Blake Bergen (Blake.Bergen@usda.gov). The contracting officer for this solicitation is Kyla Stoufer (Kyla.Stoufer@usda.gov). Please contact the specialist first with questions regarding the requirements of this solicitation. Do not discuss your bid prices with USDA staff before award.

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.

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.

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Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver. Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated October 2019, the Commodity Specification for Frozen Fruit dated March 2019 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 for Commodity Procurements October 1 201
- 2 . CommoditySpecificationsforFrozenFruitApril2020

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

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(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: - N/A
 - No
 - Yes

Bid invitation Item details

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
10		FRUIT, FROZEN				
20		STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB				
30		LONG BEACH CA				
40	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	90813	1,320.000	CS
50		VERNON CA				
60	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	90058	1,320.000	CS
70	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	90058	1,320.000	CS
80	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	90058	1,320.000	CS
90		FORT PIERCE FL				
100	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	34947	1,320.000	CS
110		MILTON FL				

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120	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	32583	1,320.000	CS
130 EAST POINT GA						
140	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	30344	1,320.000	CS
150 CHICAGO IL						
160	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	60632	1,320.000	CS
170 NEW ORLEANS LA						
180	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	70123	1,320.000	CS
190 BRONX NY						
200	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	10474	1,320.000	CS
210 PHILADELPHIA PA						
220	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	19129	1,320.000	CS
230 LOT: 48278252 BIRMINGHAM AL / MONTGOM...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 48278252 BIRMINGHAM AL / MONTGOMERY AL /						
240	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	35209	589.000	CS
250	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	36108	731.000	CS
260 LOT: 58631459 JONESBORO AR / LITTLE R...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 58631459 JONESBORO AR / LITTLE ROCK AR / TEXARKANA AR /						
270	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	72404	450.000	CS
280	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	72209	534.000	CS
290	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	71854	336.000	CS
300 LOT: 78153026 MESA AZ / TUCSON AZ /						
310	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	85210	660.000	CS
320	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	85713	660.000	CS
330 LOT: 139147497 COLORADO SPRING CO / D...						

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Tendering text - Item : LOT: 139147497 COLORADO SPRING CO / DENVER CO / GREELEY CO /						
340	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	80915	330.000	CS
350	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	80239	660.000	CS
360	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	80631	330.000	CS
370 LOT: 171282546 BUFFALO NY / LATHAM NY...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 171282546 BUFFALO NY / LATHAM NY / SYRACUSE NY /						
380	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	14206	330.000	CS
390	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	12110	660.000	CS
400	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	13209	330.000	CS
410 LOT: 212860767 BRIDGETON MO / COLUMBI...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 212860767 BRIDGETON MO / COLUMBIA MO / SPRINGFIELD MO /						
420	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	63044	330.000	CS
430	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	65202	330.000	CS
440	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	65803	660.000	CS
450 LOT: 255833866 DELMONT PA / DUQUESNE ...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 255833866 DELMONT PA / DUQUESNE PA / YORK PA /						
460	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	15626	330.000	CS
470	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	15110	660.000	CS
480	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/16/2020-08/31/2020	17401	330.000	CS
490 LOT: 304133527 RICHMOND VA / SALEM VA...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 304133527 RICHMOND VA / SALEM VA / VERONA VA /						

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500	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	23220	440.000	CS
510	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	24153	440.000	CS
520	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	24482	440.000	CS
530 LOT: 344208724 FORT WAYNE IN / MERRIL..						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 344208724 FORT WAYNE IN / MERRILLVILLE IN / SOUTH BEND IN /						
540	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	46805	410.000	CS
550	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	46410	400.000	CS
560	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	46601	510.000	CS
570 LOT: 413178779 EAST STROUDSBURG PA / ...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 413178779 EAST STROUDSBURG PA / NAZARETH PA / WILLIAMSPORT PA /						
580	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	18360	330.000	CS
590	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	18064	330.000	CS
600	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	17701	660.000	CS
610 LOT: 424907021 COMSTOCK PARK MI / DET...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 424907021 COMSTOCK PARK MI / DETROIT MI / LANSING MI /						
620	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	49321	279.000	CS
630	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	48207	652.000	CS
640	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	48906	389.000	CS
650 LOT: 451878484 BOSTON MA / HATFIELD MA /						
660	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	02118	990.000	CS
670	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	01038	330.000	CS

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680 LOT: 587900455 SEATTLE WA / SPOKANE WA /						
690	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	98108	915.000	CS
700	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	99202	405.000	CS
710 LOT: 622281657 EAU CLAIRE WI / MADISO...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 622281657 EAU CLAIRE WI / MADISON WI / MILWAUKEE WI /						
720	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	54703	461.000	CS
730	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	53716	554.000	CS
740	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/16/2020-09/30/2020	53207	305.000	CS
750 LOT: 662853690 MEMPHIS TN / NASHVILLE..						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 662853690 MEMPHIS TN / NASHVILLE TN /						
760	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	38118	660.000	CS
770	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	37228	660.000	CS
780 LOT: 742187446 HOUSTON TX / TYLER TX ...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 742187446 HOUSTON TX / TYLER TX / VICTORIA TX /						
790	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	77029	660.000	CS
800	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	75711	330.000	CS
810	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	77901	330.000	CS
820 LOT: 757130260 OKLAHOMA CITY OK / TUL...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 757130260 OKLAHOMA CITY OK / TULSA OK /						
830	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	73179	792.000	CS
840	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/16/2020-07/31/2020	74106	528.000	CS
850 LOT: 2525252525 CLEVELAND OH / GROVE ...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 2525252525 CLEVELAND OH / GROVE CITY OH / LIMA OH /						

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860	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	44110	330.000	CS
870	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	43123	462.000	CS
880	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	08/01/2020-08/15/2020	45804	528.000	CS
890 LOT: 8888877777 CREEDMOOR NC / SALISB..						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 8888877777 CREEDMOOR NC / SALISBURY NC /						
900	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	27522	660.000	CS
910	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	28147	660.000	CS
920 NAMPA ID						
930	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	83687	2,640.000	CS
940	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	83687	2,640.000	CS
950 KANSAS CITY MO						
960	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	07/01/2020-07/15/2020	64161	5,280.000	CS
970	111120	STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB	09/01/2020-09/15/2020	64161	5,280.000	CS
Total Quantity for STRAWBERRY WHOLE UNSWT IQF CTN-12/2.5 LB					55,440.000	CS
Total Quantity for Invitation					55,440.000	CS



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