

**United States Department of Agriculture**  
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Washington, DC 20036

## Information

Description: **12-3J14-20-B-0431**  
Bid invitation number: **2000006979**  
Purchasing Group: **AMS Dairy**

## SOLICITATION

### Domestic Commodity Invitation

#### Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time  
Start Date: 05/08/2020 13:00:00  
Offer Due Date : 05/22/2020 13:00:00

Opening date: 05/22/2020 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

#### Additional requested information:

#### Tendering text - Header :

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell fresh milk pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in Federal Food and Nutrition Assistance Programs. This solicitation is issued under the authority of Section 32. Bids are due on May 22, 2020 by 1PM CT. Acceptances will be announced by 5PM CT, on May 29, 2020. Deliveries are to be made from July 6, 2020 to September 20, 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 processing plants, as listed on the FDA Interstate Milk Shippers list, and shipping points in a separate document to be uploaded in WBSCM and to be submitted with their bids.

This solicitation does not include any lots, also known as multi-stop deliveries. Quantities listed for each line are the total quantity for the indicated destination during the indicated delivery period. Quantities listed on each line are standalone quantities and are not associated with other quantities or destinations. All contract terms, as provided in the Master Solicitation, remain in effect. This solicitation contains deliveries only for the states of Idaho, Massachusetts, Montana, Washington, and Vermont.

For materials 111173, 11174, and 11176, each case is one unit of 64 fluid ounces, one half-gallon. Liquidated damages will be assessed at the rate of \$0.30/cwt/day late. This solicitation is subject to an economic price adjustment as outlined in the attached document. Constraints must be submitted as an attachment to the bid.

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.

This acquisition is unrestricted.

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. Instructions for using the export/import feature to input pricing and WBSCM instructions for bidding on large invitations are available on the AMS website. 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 May 1, 2020, the Commodity Requirements for Fluid Milk dated November 15, 2018, or this solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA,

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AMS, Room 3522-South; 1400 Independence Avenue SW; Washington D.C. 20250-0239. Telephone (202) 720-4517. Fax (202) 720-2782.

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**Certification Questions :**

All questions must be answered. When answering questions please utilize the attached bid certifications questions document.

**See attached documents:**

- 1 . Bid Certification Questions
- 2 . Economic Price Adjustment Clause
- 3 . Commodity Requirements Document DFM2
- 4 . Master Solicitation for Commodity Procurement

**Attributes :**

1. FOOD SAFETY MODERIZATION ACT
2. DUNS NUMBER
3. SIZE STANDARD
4. SAM REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS
5. AMENDMENTS TO SOLICITATION
6. ON TIME DELIVERIES
7. COMMERCIAL BRAND
8. PLACE OF PERFORMANCE
9. PLANTS
10. NON-MANUFACTURERS
11. SUPPLIER AGREEMENT
12. PERSON SUBMITTING OFFER
13. EMERGENCY CONTACT
14. FOOD DEFENSE PLAN

**Bid invitation Item details**

|           | Item                     | Material Description              | Required by           | ZipCode | Quantity  |    |
|-----------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|-----------|----|
| <b>10</b> | <b>MILK, FRESH-FLUID</b> |                                   |                       |         |           |    |
|           | <b>20</b>                | <b>MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ</b> |                       |         |           |    |
|           | <b>30</b>                | <b>BOSTON MA</b>                  |                       |         |           |    |
|           | 40                       | 111173 MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ | 07/20/2020-07/22/2020 | 02118   |           | CS |
|           |                          |                                   |                       |         | 2,700.000 |    |
|           | 50                       | 111173 MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 02118   |           | CS |

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|--|----------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---------|------------|-----|
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| 60   | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 02118   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| 70   | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 02118   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| 80   | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 09/14/2020-09/16/2020 | 02118   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| 90   | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 09/28/2020-09/30/2020 | 02118   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| <b>100 HATFIELD MA</b>                               |          |                             |                       |         |            |     |
| 110  | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 01038   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| 120  | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 01038   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| 130  | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 09/28/2020-09/30/2020 | 01038   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| <b>140 LOWELL MA</b>                                 |          |                             |                       |         |            |     |
| 150  | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 01854   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| 160  | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 09/28/2020-09/30/2020 | 01854   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| <b>170 SHREWSBURY MA</b>                             |          |                             |                       |         |            |     |
| 180  | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 08/10/2020-08/12/2020 | 01545   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| 190  | 111173   | MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ  | 09/14/2020-09/16/2020 | 01545   |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 2,700.000  |     |
| <b>Total Quantity for MILK 1% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ</b> |          |                             |                       |         |            | CS  |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 35,100.000 |     |
| <b>200 MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ</b>               |          |                             |                       |         |            |     |
| <b>210 MISSOULA MT</b>                               |          |                             |                       |         |            |     |
| 220  | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/06/2020-07/08/2020 | 59808   |            | GAL |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000  |     |
| 230  | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 59808   |            | GAL |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000  |     |
| 240  | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/20/2020-07/22/2020 | 59808   |            | GAL |
|  |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000  |     |
| 250  | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/27/2020-07/29/2020 | 59808   |            | GAL |

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|--------------------------|----------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---------|-----------|-----|
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 260                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 59808   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 270                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/10/2020-08/12/2020 | 59808   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 280                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 59808   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 290                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/24/2020-08/26/2020 | 59808   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 300                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 59808   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 310                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/14/2020-09/16/2020 | 59808   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 320                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 59808   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| <b>330 EVERETT WA</b>    |          |                             |                       |         |           |     |
| 340                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 98201   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 350                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 98201   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 360                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 98201   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 370                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 98201   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 380                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 98201   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| <b>390 MOSES LAKE WA</b> |          |                             |                       |         |           |     |
| 400                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 98837   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 410                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 98837   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 420                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 98837   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 430                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 98837   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| 440                      | 111201   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 98837   |           | GAL |
|                          |          |                             |                       |         | 1,200.000 |     |
| <b>450 SEATTLE WA</b>    |          |                             |                       |         |           |     |

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|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----|
| 460                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 98108          | 6,300.000       | GAL |
| 470                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 98108          | 6,300.000       | GAL |
| 480                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 98108          | 6,300.000       | GAL |
| 490                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 98108          | 6,300.000       | GAL |
| 500                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 98108          | 6,300.000       | GAL |
| <b>510 SPOKANE WA</b>  |                 |                             |                       |                |                 |     |
| 520                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 99202          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| 530                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 99202          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| 540                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 99202          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| 550                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 99202          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| 560                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 99202          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| <b>570 TACOMA WA</b>   |                 |                             |                       |                |                 |     |
| 580                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 98409          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| 590                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 98409          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| 600                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 98409          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| 610                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 98409          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| 620                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 98409          | 2,400.000       | GAL |
| <b>630 TUMWATER WA</b> |                 |                             |                       |                |                 |     |
| 640                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 98512          | 1,200.000       | GAL |
| 650                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 98512          | 1,200.000       | GAL |
| 660                    | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 98512          | 1,200.000       | GAL |

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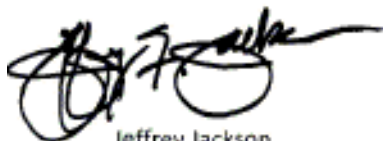
| <b>Item</b>   | <b>Material</b> | <b>Description</b>          | <b>Required by</b>    | <b>ZipCode</b> | <b>Quantity</b>    |            |
|---|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|--------------------|------------|
| 670   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 98512          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 680   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 98512          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| <b>690 VANCOUVER WA</b>                               |                 |                             |                       |                |                    |            |
| 700   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 98661          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 710   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 98661          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 720   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 98661          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 730   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 98661          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 740   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 98661          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| <b>750 WALLA WALLA WA</b>                             |                 |                             |                       |                |                    |            |
| 760   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 99362          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 900.000            |            |
| 770   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 99362          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 900.000            |            |
| 780   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 99362          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 900.000            |            |
| 790   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 99362          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 900.000            |            |
| 800   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 99362          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 900.000            |            |
| <b>810 YAKIMA WA</b>                                  |                 |                             |                       |                |                    |            |
| 820   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 07/13/2020-07/15/2020 | 98902          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 830   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 98902          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 840   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 98902          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 850   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 98902          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| 860   | 111201          | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 09/21/2020-09/23/2020 | 98902          |                    | GAL        |
|   |                 |                             |                       |                | 1,200.000          |            |
| <b>Total Quantity for MILK 2% FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ</b> |                 |                             |                       |                | <b>103,200.000</b> | <b>GAL</b> |

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|--|----------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|--------------------|------------|
| <b>870 MILK 2% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ</b>                    |          |                                |                       |         |                    |            |
| <b>880 BARRE VT</b>                                      |          |                                |                       |         |                    |            |
| 890  | 111174   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ     | 08/03/2020-08/05/2020 | 05641   | 1,800.000          | CS         |
| 900  | 111174   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ     | 08/17/2020-08/19/2020 | 05641   | 1,800.000          | CS         |
| 910  | 111174   | MILK 2% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ     | 08/31/2020-09/02/2020 | 05641   | 1,800.000          | CS         |
| <b>Total Quantity for MILK 2% FRESH CTR-64 FL OZ</b>     |          |                                |                       |         | <b>5,400.000</b>   | <b>CS</b>  |
| <b>920 MILK WHOLE FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ</b>                |          |                                |                       |         |                    |            |
| <b>930 COEUR D'ALENE ID</b>                              |          |                                |                       |         |                    |            |
| 940  | 111203   | MILK WHOLE FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ | 08/24/2020-08/26/2020 | 83815   | 900.000            | GAL        |
| <b>Total Quantity for MILK WHOLE FRESH CTR-128 FL OZ</b> |          |                                |                       |         | <b>900.000</b>     | <b>GAL</b> |
| <b>Total Quantity for Invitation</b>                     |          |                                |                       |         | <b>144,600.000</b> | <b>GAL</b> |



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