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Washington, DC 20036

Information

Description: **12-3J14-22-B-0039**
Bid invitation number: **2000008153**
Purchasing Group: **AMS-Domestic**

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 10/29/2021 10:00:00
Offer Due Date : 11/10/2021 13:00:00

Opening date: 11/10/2021 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

FROZEN PANCAKES, SOLICITATION NO: 2000008153

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Frozen Pancakes 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 5pm CT on November 12, 2021. Deliveries are to be made between January 1, 2022 to March 15, 2022.

This Acquisition is Set-Aside for Small Business. Bids received for these set-aside quantities from firms who are not small business concerns will not be considered. In the event the Government is unsuccessful in contracting with an eligible small business concern(s) for the set-aside quantities, the Government may award the quantities to other than small business concerns. The Contracting Officer reserves the right to utilize Federal Acquisition Regulation Part 19.507 Automatic dissolution of a small business set-aside.

Any small business concern proposing to furnish a product that it did not itself manufacture must furnish the product of a small business and, by the offer due date/local time, submit the corresponding supplier agreement to, Attention: Contracting Officer. The supplier agreement shall: be in effect between the offeror and the product manufacturer for the period of contract performance, certify compliance with the applicable solicitation requirements, contain the DUNS number for the product manufacturer, be on the product manufacturer's company letterhead, and be signed by both parties.

A prospective contractor will be required to provide written evidence of a proposed subcontractor#s responsibility including Plant Sanitation and Food Defense surveys. The Contracting Officer will directly determine a prospective subcontractor#s responsibility, per FAR 9.104-4.

Material code 110393 is 144 bulk count and not individually wrapped. Cooking instructions shall be listed on the box, bag film or placed inside the box or bag.

For a new-to-USDA contractor and existing contractors who are bidding on new products, a probationary period may be implemented in which awards are limited to up to 10 truckloads per product. Contractor must demonstrate successful delivery of at least five (5) truckloads of product in order to be removed from probationary status on future solicitations. For the purposes of this rule, successful delivery is defined as product delivered on-time and in acceptable condition according to the terms and conditions of the contract. Any delivery problems directly attributable to the Government will not be held against the contractor.

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.

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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.

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 877-927-2648 for assistance.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only on quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver. Inquiries about the Master Solicitation, the Commodity Requirements, or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contract Specialist: Raquel Clinton, Raquel.Clinton@usda.gov or the Contracting Officer: Jenny Babiuch, Jenny.Babiuch@usda.gov.

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Certification Questions :

Please note answering Bid Certification Questions in WBSCM is a required component of the offer.

See attached documents:

- 1 . Commodity Requirements Frozen Pancakes April 2016
- 2 . Master Solicitation for Commodity Procurement Sep 2021
- 3 . Bid Certification Questions

Attributes :

1. DUNS and Business Size Standard
2. System for Award Management (SAM)
- 2a. System for Award Management (SAM)-changes to this solicitation
3. Amendment to Solicitation
4. All USDA contracts with the Offeror that have a Not-Later-Than date prior to the solicitation opening:
 - Permitted values:
 - NO PREVIOUS CONTRACTS
 - HAVE NOT BEEN DELIVERED
 - HAVE BEEN DELIVERED
5. Brand name and pack size
6. Plant locations for all items has been verified pursuant to the Place of Performance-Sealed Bidding?
7. Supplier Agreements:
 - Permitted values:
 - N/A
 - NO
 - YES
- 7a. Supplier Agreement-Capability Requirements
 - Permitted values:
 - NOT APPLICABLE
 - NO
 - YES
8. Commodity Specifications
9. Offeror Contact Information
- 9a.. Emergency Point of Contact
10. GS1 Global Data Synchronization Network (GDSN)
11. Food Safety Moderination Act

Bid invitation Item details

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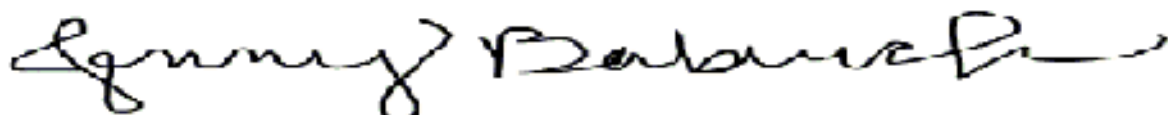
Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
10		PANCAKES			
20		PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT			
30		PHOENIX AZ			
40	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	02/01/2022-02/15/2022	85043	22,680.000 LB
50		JACKSONVILLE FL			
60	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	03/01/2022-03/15/2022	32254	22,680.000 LB
70		CEDAR FALLS IA			
80	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/01/2022-01/15/2022	50613	22,680.000 LB
90		BERKELEY IL			
100	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/01/2022-01/15/2022	60163	22,680.000 LB
110	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	02/16/2022-02/28/2022	60163	22,680.000 LB
120		GRANITE CITY IL			
130	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	02/01/2022-02/15/2022	62040	22,680.000 LB
140		TAUNTON MA			
150	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	02/16/2022-02/28/2022	02780	22,680.000 LB
160		WRIGHT CITY MO			
170	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	02/01/2022-02/15/2022	63390	22,680.000 LB
180		LAS VEGAS NV			
190	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	03/01/2022-03/15/2022	89115	22,680.000 LB
200		SCRANTON PA			
210	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/16/2022-01/31/2022	18508	22,680.000 LB
220		OFFSHORE: PONCE PR			
230	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	03/01/2022-03/15/2022	00731	22,680.000 LB
240		AUSTIN TX			
250	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	02/01/2022-02/15/2022	78704	22,680.000 LB

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Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
260 HOUSTON TX						
270	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/01/2022-01/15/2022	77092	22,680.000	LB
280 SAN ANTONIO TX						
290	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/01/2022-01/15/2022	78227	22,680.000	LB
300 LOT: 63042299 ALGONA WA / SPOKANE VAL...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 63042299 ALGONA WA / SPOKANE VALLEY WA /						
310	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/01/2022-01/15/2022	98001	11,340.000	LB
320	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/01/2022-01/15/2022	99206	11,340.000	LB
330 LOT: 111958837 TAUNTON MA						
340	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/01/2022-01/15/2022	02780	17,010.000	LB
350	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	01/01/2022-01/15/2022	02780	5,670.000	LB
360 LOT: 913120471 NEWARK NJ / VINELAND NJ /						
370	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	02/01/2022-02/15/2022	07114	13,608.000	LB
380	110393	PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT	02/01/2022-02/15/2022	08360	9,072.000	LB
Total Quantity for PANCAKES WHOLE WHEAT FZN-144 COUNT					385,560.000	LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					385,560.000	LB



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