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Washington, DC 20036

Information

Description: **12-3J14-22-B-0346**
Bid invitation number: **2000008538**
Purchasing Group: **AMS Dairy**

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 05/04/2022 10:00:00
Offer Due Date : 05/11/2022 13:00:00

Opening date: 05/11/2022 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell string cheese, cheddar slices, and pepper jack cheese pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the National School Lunch Program. Bids are due by 1pm CT on May 11, 2022. Acceptances will be announced by 5pm CT on May 18, 2022. Deliveries are to be made July 1, 2022 through September 30, 2022.

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.

Offerors are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver.

Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated March 1, 2022, the Commodity Requirements Documents for these materials, 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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Certification Questions :

ALL QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED. WHEN ANSWERING QUESTIONS, PLEASE UTILIZE ATTACHED BID CERTIFICATION QUESTIONS DOCUMENT.

See attached documents:

- 1 . Master Solicitation for Commodity Procurement (Domestic)
- 2 . Mozzarella CRD
- 3 . Cheddar CRD
- 4 . Pepper Jack CRD
- 5 . Bid Certification Questions

Attributes :

1. FOOD SAFETY MODERIZATION ACT
2. SIZE STANDARD
3. SAM REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS
4. AMENDMENTS TO SOLICITATION
5. ON TIME DELIVERIES
6. COMMERCIAL BRAND
7. PLACE OF PERFORMANCE
8. PLANTS
9. NON-MANUFACTURERS
10. SUPPLIER AGREEMENT
11. PERSON SUBMITTING OFFER
12. EMERGENCY CONTACT
13. HUBZone
14. GS1 (GDSN)

Bid invitation Item details

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
10		CHEESE, MOZZARELLA			
20		CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ			
30		DIXON CA			
40	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	09/01/2022-09/15/2022	95620	37,800.000 LB

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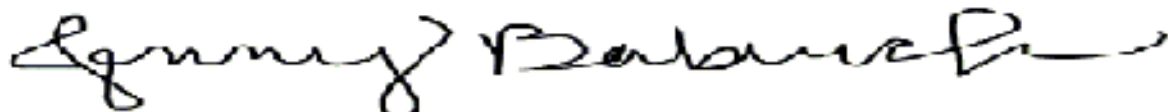
Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
50 ONTARIO CA						
60	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	09/16/2022-09/30/2022	91761	37,800.000	LB
70 SACRAMENTO CA						
80	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	07/01/2022-07/15/2022	95814	37,800.000	LB
90 TAUNTON MA						
100	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	08/16/2022-08/31/2022	02780	37,800.000	LB
110 CANTON MI						
120	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	07/01/2022-07/15/2022	48188	37,800.000	LB
130	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	09/16/2022-09/30/2022	48188	37,800.000	LB
140 WYOMING MI						
150	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	09/16/2022-09/30/2022	49548	37,800.000	LB
160 NEWARK NJ						
170	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	07/01/2022-07/15/2022	07114	37,800.000	LB
180 CYPRESS TX						
190	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	07/01/2022-07/15/2022	77429	37,800.000	LB
200 LOT: 6551 AUBURNDALE FL / RIVIERA BEA...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 6551 AUBURNDALE FL / RIVIERA BEACH FL /						
210	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	07/01/2022-07/15/2022	33823	16,155.000	LB
220	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	07/01/2022-07/15/2022	33404	21,645.000	LB
230 LOT: 565662448 CLACKAMAS OR / FIFE WA /						
240	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	08/16/2022-08/31/2022	97015	24,502.500	LB
250	110396	CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ	08/16/2022-08/31/2022	98424	13,297.500	LB
Total Quantity for CHEESE MOZ LM PT SKM STRING BOX-360/1 OZ						LB 415,800.000
260 CHEESE, NATURAL AMER						

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Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
270 CHEESE CHED YEL 0.75 OZ SLICE PKG-12 LB					
280 FRESNO CA					
290	111110	CHEESE CHED YEL 0.75 OZ SLICE PKG-12 LB	07/16/2022-07/31/2022	93722	37,440.000 LB
300 LAS VEGAS NV					
310	111110	CHEESE CHED YEL 0.75 OZ SLICE PKG-12 LB	07/16/2022-07/31/2022	89115	37,440.000 LB
320 LOT: 162518557 CONWAY AR / VAN BUREN ...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 162518557 CONWAY AR / VAN BUREN AR /					
330	111110	CHEESE CHED YEL 0.75 OZ SLICE PKG-12 LB	07/16/2022-07/31/2022	72034	12,480.000 LB
340	111110	CHEESE CHED YEL 0.75 OZ SLICE PKG-12 LB	07/16/2022-07/31/2022	72956	24,960.000 LB
350 LOT: 347449042 DIXON CA / ONTARIO CA /					
360	111110	CHEESE CHED YEL 0.75 OZ SLICE PKG-12 LB	08/01/2022-08/15/2022	95620	18,720.000 LB
370	111110	CHEESE CHED YEL 0.75 OZ SLICE PKG-12 LB	08/01/2022-08/15/2022	91761	18,720.000 LB
Total Quantity for CHEESE CHED YEL 0.75 OZ SLICE PKG-12 LB					149,760.000 LB
380 CHEESE PEPPER JACK SHRED-PKG 4/5 LB					
390 LAS VEGAS NV					
400	111220	CHEESE PEPPER JACK SHRED-PKG 4/5 LB	07/16/2022-07/31/2022	89115	38,800.000 LB
410	111220	CHEESE PEPPER JACK SHRED-PKG 4/5 LB	09/16/2022-09/30/2022	89115	38,800.000 LB
420 LOT: 16286 CORINTH MS / JACKSON MS /					
430	111220	CHEESE PEPPER JACK SHRED-PKG 4/5 LB	09/01/2022-09/15/2022	38835	12,300.000 LB
440	111220	CHEESE PEPPER JACK SHRED-PKG 4/5 LB	09/01/2022-09/15/2022	39209	26,500.000 LB
Total Quantity for CHEESE PEPPER JACK SHRED-PKG 4/5 LB					116,400.000 LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					681,960.000 LB



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