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Information

Description: 12-3J14-24-B-0396
Bid invitation number: 2000010078
Purchasing Group: AMS Poultry

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 04/29/2024 14:00:00
Offer Due Date : 05/08/2024 13:00:00

Opening date: 05/08/2024 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

CHICKEN STRIPS AND FILLETS, SOLICITATION NO: 2000010078 (12-3J14-24-B-0396)

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell Chicken Fillets and Chicken Strips pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the domestic food distribution programs. Bids are due 1:00 pm CT on May 8, 2024.

Acceptances will be announced by 11:59 pm CT on May 23, 2024. Deliveries are to be made between July 1, 2024 through September 30, 2024.

The Contract Specialist for this solicitation is Lauren Heer (Lauren.Heer@usda.gov). The Contracting Officer is Carrie Meyers (Carrie.Meyers@usda.gov). Any questions or concerns regarding this solicitation should be addressed to the specialists first.

110462,,CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB
110921,,CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB

Tendering Text for Chicken Fillets

541 # Unacceptable Meat # Mechanically separated (comminuted), finely ground, flaked, finely chopped chicken meat shall not be used.

* * For a new -to-USDA contractor and existing contractors bidding on new products, a probationary period will be implemented in which awards are limited to 10 truckloads per product. Contractor must demonstrate successful delivery of at least five (5) truckloads of product 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.

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. Offshore destination ports: Guam (O-LA; Los Angeles, CA), Hawaii (O-LA; Los Angeles, CA), Puerto Rico (O-JACK; Jacksonville, FL) and Virgin Island (O-PEVE; Port Everglades, FL).

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.

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The Government reserves the right to reject, in total or in part, manufacturers lots, sub-lots, production dates or the like when non-conforming product is identified.

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, must 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.

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

Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated February 2024, Federal Purchase Program Specification (FPPS) for Grilled Chicken Breast dated November 2023; and (FPPS) for Chicken Strips dated June 2023; and Supplement for Chicken Products dated August 2022; or this Solicitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; USDA, AMS, Commodity Procurement Program, Proteins, Grains, and Oilseeds Procurement Division; 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W. S-0239; Washington, D.C. 20250 0239. Telephone: (202) 720-4517.

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See attached documents:

- 1 . FPPS Chicken Strips June 2023
- 2 . MSCP-D FEB 2024
- 3 . FPPS Grilled Chicken Breast November 2023
- 4 . Supplement for Chicken Products August 2022

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

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).

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:
- Yes
 - No
 - N/A

OFFEROR CERTIFIES THAT A FOOD DEFENSE PLAN EXISTS FOR ALL PLANTS AND SHIPPING POINTS PRIOR TO BID OPENING

DATE OF LAST SURVEY

1A) Offeror has reviewed the List of Required Products for GS1 Global Data Synchronization

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Network (GDSN) Reporting located at:

Permitted values: - YES
 - NO

https://www.ams.usda.gov/sites/default/files/media/GS1_GDSN_ListofRequiredProducts.xlsx.

1B) Offeror certifies that complete and accurate product information will be submitted to GS1 GDSN no later than December 31, 2021, if the awarded contract includes item(s) from the List of Required Products for GS1 GDSN Reporting.

1C) Offeror certifies that the information submitted in GS1 GDSN will be kept up-to-date (to reflect changes in product attributes, such as changes to the ingredient or allergen statement) until the end of the contract period.

Bid invitation Item details

Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
10		CHICKEN, COOKED			
20		CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB			
30		PHOENIX AZ			
40	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	85009	LB 39,000.000
50		DIXON CA			
60	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	95620	LB 39,000.000
70		ONTARIO CA			
80	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	91761	LB 39,000.000
90		POMONA CA			
100	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	91767	LB 39,000.000
110		SACRAMENTO CA			
120	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	95814	LB 39,000.000
130		SOUTH WINDSOR CT			
140	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/16/2024-08/31/2024	06074	LB 39,000.000
150		TAUNTON MA			
160	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	02780	LB 39,000.000
170		AUGUSTA ME			
180	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	04330	LB 39,000.000

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Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
190 WRIGHT CITY MO					
200	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	63390	LB 39,000.000
210	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	63390	LB 39,000.000
220 MCALESTER OK					
230	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	74501	LB 39,000.000
240 LINCOLN RI					
250	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	02852	LB 39,000.000
260	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	02852	LB 39,000.000
270 LOT: 48852579 ALGONA WA / GRANDVIEW WA /					
280	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	98001	LB 22,500.000
290	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	98930	LB 16,500.000
300 LOT: 108911257 SPRINGDALE AR / VAN BU...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 108911257 SPRINGDALE AR / VAN BUREN AR /					
310	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	72764	LB 12,990.000
320	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	72956	LB 26,010.000
330 LOT: 227511205 FORT WAYNE IN / SOUTH ...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 227511205 FORT WAYNE IN / SOUTH BEND IN /					
340	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	46803	LB 9,750.000
350	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	46628	LB 29,250.000
360 LOT: 800882538 EAU CLAIRE WI / MADISO...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 800882538 EAU CLAIRE WI / MADISON WI /					
370	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	54703	LB 16,800.000
380	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	53716	LB 22,200.000
390 LOT: 2743437845 HUNTINGDON PA / PHILA...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 2743437845 HUNTINGDON PA / PHILADELPHIA PA /					

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Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
400	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	16652	LB 29,250.000
410	110921	CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	19129	LB 9,750.000
Total Quantity for CHICKEN FILLETS UNBRD FRZ CTN-30 LB					LB 702,000.000
420 CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB					
430 BAKERSFIELD CA					
440	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	93301	LB 39,000.000
450 DIXON CA					
460	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	95620	LB 39,000.000
470 ONTARIO CA					
480	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	91761	LB 39,000.000
490 POMONA CA					
500	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	91767	LB 39,000.000
510 SACRAMENTO CA					
520	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	95814	LB 78,000.000
530	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	95814	LB 39,000.000
540 SOUTH WINDSOR CT					
550	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	06074	LB 39,000.000
560 DELAWARE CITY DE					
570	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	19706	LB 39,000.000
580 LOUISVILLE KY					
590	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/16/2024-08/31/2024	40208	LB 39,000.000
600 TAUNTON MA					
610	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	02780	LB 78,000.000
620 AUGUSTA ME					
630	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	04330	LB

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Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
					39,000.000
640		HELENA MT			
650	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	59620	LB
					39,000.000
660		CREEDMOOR NC			
670	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	27522	LB
					39,000.000
680	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	27522	LB
					39,000.000
690		SALISBURY NC			
700	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	28147	LB
					39,000.000
710	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	28147	LB
					39,000.000
720		NEWARK NJ			
730	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	07114	LB
					78,000.000
740		VINELAND NJ			
750	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	08360	LB
					39,000.000
760		MCALESTER OK			
770	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	74501	LB
					39,000.000
780		CLACKAMAS OR			
790	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	97015	LB
					78,000.000
800		HUNTINGDON PA			
810	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	16652	LB
					39,000.000
820	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	16652	LB
					39,000.000
830		PHILADELPHIA PA			
840	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	19129	LB
					39,000.000
850		LINCOLN RI			
860	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	02852	LB
					39,000.000

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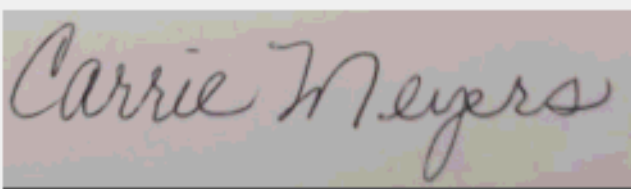
Item	Material	Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity	
870	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/16/2024-08/31/2024	02852		LB
					39,000.000	
880	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	02852		LB
					39,000.000	
890 SAN ANTONIO TX						
900	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	78227		LB
					39,000.000	
910 ESSEX VT						
920	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/16/2024-08/31/2024	05452		LB
					39,000.000	
930 ALGONA WA						
940	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	98001		LB
					39,000.000	
950	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	98001		LB
					39,000.000	
960 GRANDVIEW WA						
970	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	98930		LB
					39,000.000	
980 BALDWIN WI						
990	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/16/2024-08/31/2024	54002		LB
					39,000.000	
1000 LOT: 14795 AUBURNDALE FL / LARGO FL /						
1010	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	33823		LB
					27,000.000	
1020	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	33773		LB
					12,000.000	
1030 LOT: 22652136 FRESNO CA / SACRAMENTO ...						
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 22652136 FRESNO CA / SACRAMENTO CA /						
1040	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	93722		LB
					19,500.000	
1050	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/16/2024-07/31/2024	95814		LB
					19,500.000	
1060 LOT: 116638380 HOUSTON TX / LUBBOCK TX /						
1070	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	77095		LB
					23,580.000	
1080	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	79404		LB
					15,420.000	
1090 LOT: 130175883 RICHMOND VA / SUFFOLK ...						

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1100	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	23230	LB 26,070.000
1110	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	23435	LB 12,930.000
1120 LOT: 257285148 SOUTH WINDSOR CT / AUG...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 257285148 SOUTH WINDSOR CT / AUGUSTA ME /					
1130	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	06074	LB 30,060.000
1140	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	08/01/2024-08/15/2024	04330	LB 8,940.000
1150 LOT: 474466216 NAMPA ID / SEATTLE WA /					
1160	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	83687	LB 14,520.000
1170	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	98148	LB 24,480.000
1180 LOT: 641555248 SPRINGDALE AR / VAN BU...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 641555248 SPRINGDALE AR / VAN BUREN AR /					
1190	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	72764	LB 17,520.000
1200	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	72956	LB 21,480.000
1210 LOT: 733134421 HOUSTON TX / SAN ANTON...					
Tendering text - Item : LOT: 733134421 HOUSTON TX / SAN ANTONIO TX /					
1220	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	77095	LB 19,290.000
1230	110462	CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB	07/01/2024-07/15/2024	78227	LB 19,710.000
Total Quantity for CHICKEN STRIPS FRZ CTN-30 LB					LB 1,716,000.00 0
Total Quantity for Invitation					LB 2,418,000.00 0



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