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Washington, DC 20036

Information

Description: **12-3J14-24-B-0519**
Bid invitation number: **2000010219**
Purchasing Group: **AMS Dairy**

SOLICITATION

Domestic Commodity Invitation

Bid invitation Overview

Bid Timezone: Central Time
Start Date: 07/10/2024 13:00:00
Offer Due Date : 07/17/2024 13:00:00

Opening date: 07/17/2024 13:00:00

Invitation Type : Definite Delivery

Additional requested information:

Tendering text - Header :

CHEDDAR, SOLICITATION 12-3J14-24-B-0519 WBSCM NO: 2000010219

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell CHEDDAR pursuant to the AMS Master Solicitation for use in the domestic food distribution programs. Bids are due by 1pm CT on JULY 17th, 2024. Acceptances will be announced by 5pm CT on JULY 26TH, 2024. Deliveries are to be made between SEPTEMBER 1ST, 2024 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2024.

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.

This solicitation is unrestricted. Products offered in response to this solicitation must be manufactured in a plant approved by USDA Dairy Programs.

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.

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

Inquiries about the Master Solicitation dated February 2024, the Commodity Requirements 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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Certification Questions :

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

See attached documents:

- 1 . MSCP 2
- 2 . Bid Certification Questions 2
- 3 . FINALDNAC6NaturalAmericanCheeseSpec2019_09 CRD

Attributes :

- 1. Food Modernization Act
- 2. SAM
- 2a. SAM Certs
- 3. Amendment if applicable
- 4. On Time Deliveries
- 5. Commercial Brand Name
- 6. Plant Location
- 7. Supplier Agreement if applicable
- 7a. Supplier Agreement submitted
- 8. Product meets Commodity CRD
- 9. Contact Name and Email
- 9a. Emergency Contact
- 10. Enter Business Size Standard
 - Permitted values:
 - SMALL BUSINESS
 - SMALL BUSINESS FARMER-OWNED COOP
 - LARGE BUSINESS FARMER-OWNED COOP
 - LARGE BUSINESS

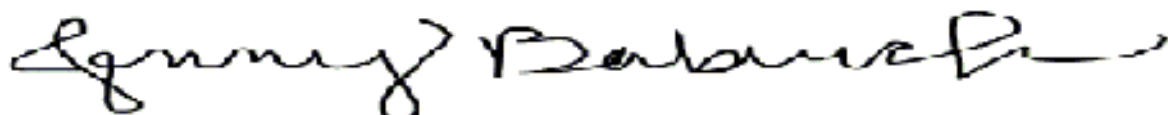
Bid invitation Item details

Item	Material Description	Required by	ZipCode	Quantity
10	CHEESE, NATURAL AMER			
20	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)			
30	DES MOINES IA			
40	110242 CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	50313	LB

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		LB(40800)			40,800.000
50 HARRISON OH					
60	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	45030	652,800.000 LB
70	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	45030	285,600.000 LB
80 HUMBOLDT TN					
90	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	38343	81,600.000 LB
100	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/16/2024-09/30/2024	38343	40,800.000 LB
110 SPENCER WI					
120	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	54479	285,600.000 LB
130 LOT: 620110708 HARRISON OH					
140	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	45030	14,900.000 LB
150	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	45030	20,400.000 LB
160	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	45030	5,500.000 LB
170 LOT: 259968306 HUMBOLDT TN					
180	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	38343	20,414.000 LB
190	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	38343	3,851.000 LB
200	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	38343	1,971.000 LB
210	110242	CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)	09/01/2024-09/15/2024	38343	14,564.000 LB
Total Quantity for CHEESE NAT AMER FBD BARREL-500 LB(40800)					1,468,800.00 0 LB
Total Quantity for Invitation					1,468,800.00 0 LB



Contracting Officer
Commodity Procurement Division
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