

GARLAND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

501 SOUTH JUPITER ROAD Garland, Texas 75042

June 3, 2022

ADDENDUM 1, RFP #17-23-01 (48532)

MISCELLANEOUS REFRIGERATED/FROZEN, DRY/STAPLE FOODS AND DISPOSABLE PRODUCTS FOR STUDENT NUTRITION SERVICES (SNS)

This addendum modifies the original document as listed below and is hereby incorporated to the contract documents. Acknowledge receipt of this addendum by returning the completed and signed form with the solicitation response. Failure to submit the addendum will be used as an evaluated factor.

QUESTION:

Can vendors provide less than full case for sample for example bag, can, each, etc. It's still relatively hard on manufactures to provide full case samples due to short staff or production runs. Many school districts across the country are accepting samples after bid evaluation to help vendors and manufactures.

Having a policy such as this will create a broader competitive range on proposed products as it keeps cost down.

ANSWER:

Broken units will be accepted due to COVID and supply chain issues. All broken units must be properly labeled per Bid Specifications.

QUESTION:

For line #68, fruit cups, is the Lime Juice a type-o?

ANSWER:

No.

QUESTION:

Will you accept e-signatures?

ANSWER:

Yes

QUESTION:

Will Garland accept drop ship of full quantities on line items that have small case counts? Most manufactures have larger pickup minimums.

ANSWER:

Drop ships may be accepted depending on the case minimums. Please specify your minimums on required paperwork.

QUESTION:

RE: line #38 Mini Corn Dogs

Tasty Brands sent in a full case sample of Mini Corn Dogs for the GISD 17-23 bid – see attached Tasty Brands sample log in Sheet for bid #17-23

Since this item is being re-bid, would Tasty Brands have to submit a second sample of this item that was previously bid on #17-23, if new bid pricing is submitted?

Can you please advise on the status of the samples sent on the previous bid?

ANSWER:

Yes, new samples are required for each bid.

DELETE:

1.2.9. PRICE ESCALATION PROVISIONS

The District may elect to place several orders during the term of the awarded contract. Proposers must specify minimum order quantities – if any – and are required to hold proposed prices for the first year of the contract. Increases may be submitted for approval but shall not exceed the Consumer Price Index - Food Away From Home for the previous year.

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