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July 24, 2024

Laurie Seymour
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Mary M. Knight School District
2987 W Matlock Brady Rd.
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RE: 2024-2025 DAIRY PRODUCTS BID

I would like to submit the following prices in reply to your bid request. The prices are based on the July 2024 Federal Market order and will change accordingly.

Half Pint 1% Milk	.3148
Half Pint FF Chocolate	.3123

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (800) 325-5011

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dean Heggie", written in a cursive style.

Dean Heggie
Dairy Fresh Farms, Inc.

Cc: file

**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION,
AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS PRIMARY COVERED TRANSACTIONS**

Instructions for Certification

- 1) By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective primary participant is providing the certification set out below.
- 2) The inability of a person to provide the certification required below will not necessarily result in denial of participation in this covered transaction. The prospective participant shall submit an explanation of why it cannot provide the certification set out below. The certification or explanation will be considered in connection with the department or agency's determination whether to enter into this transaction. However, failure of the prospective primary participant to furnish a certification or an explanation shall disqualify such person from participation in this transaction.
- 3) The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when the department or agency determined to enter into this transaction. If it is later determined that the prospective primary participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency may terminate this transaction for cause of default.
- 4) The prospective primary participant shall provide immediate written notice to the department or agency to whom this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective primary participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 5) The terms covered transaction, debarred, suspended, ineligible, lower tier covered transaction, participant, person, primary covered transaction, principal, proposal, and voluntarily excluded, as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of the rules implementing Executive Order 12549. You may contact the person to whom this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations.
- 6) The prospective primary participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by HHS.
- 7) The prospective primary participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion - Lower Tier Covered Transaction," provided by HHS, without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 8) A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the Nonprocurement List (of excluded parties).
- 9) Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 10) Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 6 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, HHS may terminate this transaction for cause or default.

**CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION,
AND OTHER RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS -- PRIMARY COVERED TRANSACTIONS**

- 1) The prospective primary participant certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals:
 - a) Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency;
 - b) Have not within a three-year period preceding this proposal been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (Federal, State or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of Federal or State antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property;
 - c) Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (Federal, State or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in paragraph (1)(b) of this certification; and
 - d) Have not within a three-year period preceding this application/proposal had one or more public transactions (Federal, State or local) terminated for cause or default.
- 2) Where the prospective primary participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

Dean Heggie
Signature

July 1, 2024
Date

Dean Heggie
Printed Name

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Title

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CALL FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that Mary M. Knight School District No. 311, Matlock, Washington is calling for bids on milk and dairy to be provided during the 2024-2025 school year.

All bids are to be individually sealed and marked "BID ONLY" on the envelope and mailed or delivered to the Mary M. Knight School District, Administrative Office, 2987 W Matlock Brady Rd, Elma WA 98541 prior to bid opening at the Mary M. Knight School District Superintendent's Office at 1:00 PM, July 24, 2024. Bids will be awarded at the regular Board meeting on July 29, 2024.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, waive any bidding informalities or accept any bids appearing to serve the best interest of the District.

The Mary M. Knight School District No. 311 participates in the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program and is required to use the nonprofit food service funds, to the maximum extent practicable, to buy domestic commodities or products for Program meals. A 'domestic commodity or product' is defined as that it is either produced in the U.S. or is processed in the U.S. substantially using agricultural commodities that are produced in the U.S. as provided in 7 CFR 210.21(d).

The Bidder assures the Mary M. Knight School District that its agency/labor union will comply with all state and federal guidelines and/or regulations. Therefore, all applicants seeking employment opportunities and all contracts for goods and services will be considered and will not be discriminated against on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. Inquiries regarding compliance and/or grievance procedures may be directed to the school district's Title IX/ RCW 28A64 Coordinator, Section 504/ADA Coordinator and/or Civil Rights Compliance Coordinator, 2987 W Matlock Brady Rd, Elma WA 98541, 360-426-6767.

Matt Mallery, Secretary
Board of Directors District No. 311
Matlock, Washington
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