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**Food Products and Distribution for K-12 and Other Public Agencies**

Washington County Public Schools, MD (the "Lead Public Agency"), on behalf of U.S. Communities Government Purchasing Alliance, the members of the advisory board and all local and state government agencies, higher education and nonprofit entities that elect to access the Master Agreement is soliciting proposals to enter into a Master Agreement for Food Products and Distribution for K-12 and Other Public Agencies. The resulting contract may be awarded to multiple suppliers. The RFP is subject to the Lead Public Agency's General Conditions & Instructions to Bidders. Proposals are due no later than 4:00 PM local time on April 1, 2014. Additional information may be found at: www.wcpspurchasing.com.

**Project Documents:**
- 2014-39_Exhibit_B_Market_Basis...

**Categories:**
- Food
- Food Equipment and Supplies

**Contract Details:**
- Current Contract End Date: 5/30/2017
- Contract Term: 3 years
- Length Of Extensions: 1 year

**Agency Contact:**
- Buyer: Lisa Freeman
- Buyer Address: Maryland
- Buyer Email: freemls@wcps.k12.md.us
- Agency: Washington County Public Schools
- Owner Address: 820 Commonwealth Avenue
  Hagerstown, Maryland 21740
- Owner Phone: p: (301) 766-2800
- Owner Website: http://www.wcps.k12.md.us
STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF MULTNOMAH, s.s.
I, Marc Caplan, being first duly sworn, depose and say that I am a Public Notice Manager of the DAILY JOURNAL OF COMMERCE, a newspaper of general circulation in the counties of CLACKAMAS, MULTNOMAH and WASHINGTON as defined by ORS 193.010 and 193.020; published at Portland in the aforesaid County and State; that I know from my personal knowledge that the Goods and Services notice described as

RFP 2014-39 for Food Products & Distribution for K-12 & other Public Agencies
US. Communities; Bid Location Washington County; Due 04/01/2014 at 04:00 PM

a printed copy of which is attached, was published in the entire issue of this newspaper for 7 time(s) in the following issues:

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME
ON THE 7th DAY OF March 2014

Marc Caplan, Public Notice Manager

WASHINGTON COUNTY
PUBLIC SCHOOLS, MD
RFP 2014-39 FOR FOOD PRODUCTS
AND DISTRIBUTION FOR K-12 AND
OTHER PUBLIC AGENCIES
Proposals due 4:00 pm, Apr. 1
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
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1. That she is the BUSINESS MANAGER
   of
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   ________________________, a
newspaper published in the City of HILO, 
State of Hawaii.

   2. That the "RFP 2014-39 for Food Products and Distribution 
      for K-12...Washington County Public Schools, MD...etc.
      ________________________", 
of which a clipping from the newspaper as published is attached hereto, was pub- 
lished in said newspaper on the following date(s) 

   February 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 2014 
   ________________________, (etc.).

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Subscribed and sworn to before me
this ______________________day of March, 2014 

__________________________
SHARON H. P. OGATA
Notary Public, Third Circuit, State of Hawaii
My commission expires ________________________

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(1) PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

Food Products and Distribution for K-12 and other Public Agencies

Bid number: 2014-39

Notice is hereby given that Washington County Public Schools (WCPS) will accept sealed proposals for RFP #2014-39, Food Products and Distribution for K-12 and Other Public Agencies under a term contract.

The RFP will establish pricing for Food Products and Distribution for K-12 and Other Public Agencies. The contract will be effective for a three (3) year period with two (2) annual renewal option periods (maximum period of 5 years). This contract may include local, regional and national awards to meet the needs of WCPS and Participating Public Agencies nationwide.

Bid Documents

Posted: 02/18/2014

http://wcpspurchasing.com/group/545/food-products-and-distribution-k-12-and-other-publi... 2/20/2014
Current Solicitations

Listed below are posting details and documents for competitive solicitations currently in progress. Resulting contracts will be made available through the U.S. Communities cooperative purchasing program.

Food Products and Distribution for K-12 and Other Public Agencies

Lead Agency:
Washington County Public Schools, MD

RFP Documents:
RFP 2014-39
RFP 2014-39 Exhibit B: Market Basket Pricing

Postings

Posting Information:
- U.S. Communities: Current Solicitations
- Owala DemandStar
- Washington County Public Schools
- Canadian MERX Public Tenders
- State of Hawaii and Oregon
- Oregon Association of Counties

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- Feb 18, 2014-April 1, 2014
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Roofing Supplies and Services

Lead Agency:
Cobb County, GA

RFP Documents:
ITB 14-5903

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Pharmaceutical Products, Medical Equipment and Supplies and Related Products and Solutions

Lead Agency:
Dane County, WI

RFP Documents:
RFP 113102
RFP 113102 Attachment J: Market Basket Pricing
RFP 113102 Addendum 1

http://www.uscommunities.org/solicitations/
Maryland State Department of General Services

**ORGANIZATION**
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- **Address**: 301 West Preston Street
  - Baltimore, MD 21201
- **Purchaser**: Cindy Scully
- **Info Contact**: Michelle Schultz 301-765-2844, schultm@wcps.k12.md.us

**DEPARTMENT**
- **Department**: WPSP
- **Bill-to-Address**: Washington County Public Procurement
  - 820 Commonwealth Ave.
  - Hagerstown, MD 21740

**Ship-to-Address**: Washington County Public Procurement
- 820 Commonwealth Ave.
- Hagerstown, MD 21740

**BID INFORMATION**
- **Description**: 2014-39 Food Products and Distribution for K-12 and Other Public Agencies
- **Bulletin Desc.**: Food Products and Distribution
- **Bid Number**: MD/WPS310130033
- **Bid Type**: Open Market
- **Alternate Id**: WCPS 2014-39
- **Bid Opening Date**: 04/01/2014 4:00 PM
- **Type Code**: Request for Proposal (RFP)
- **Fiscal Year**: 2014
- **Available Date**: 02/18/2014 4:04 PM
- **Pre-Bid Conference**: Wednesday, March 5, 2014 at 1:00pm local time at the WCPS Center for Education Services, 10435 Downsville Pike, Hagerstown, MD 21740

**AMENDMENTS**

**ITEMS**

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This Bid has been published and email notifications have been sent to all the vendors who are on the bidders list, unless the Available Date was set in the future, in which case it will be published and email notifications sent as of that date and time. Please print a copy of this email and attach it to your contract file for audit purposes.

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Qualified and experienced firms are invited to submit written proposals in accordance with the RFP instructions. Institutions require that Proposals be submitted in two separate packages: 1) Technical (addressing the company’s ability to meet the technical requirements) and 2) Price proposal. To obtain a copy of the RFP Solicitation Document, which includes instructions and specification requirements, contact the WCPS Purchasing Department, telephone 301-792-6241. Seal proposals must be submitted for receipt on or before 4:00 PM on April 1, 2014, at the WCPS Center for Education Services, Purchasing Department, 10485 Bowieville Pike, Hagerstown, Maryland 21740.

A pre-proposal meeting will be held at 11:00 A.M., March 6, 2014, at the WCPS Center for Education Services, Purchasing Room (first floor), 10485 Bowieville Pike, Hagerstown, Maryland 21740. All inquiries and questions about the RFP Solicitation Document must be submitted in writing to the Supervisor of Purchasing by 4:00 PM March 6, 2014. The Board of Education of Washington County, Maryland reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, make partial awards, waive technicalities, and may make such award as it deems to be in the best interest of the Washington County Public Schools.

The Board of Education of Washington County, Maryland does not discriminate in the selection of contractors and the award of bids based on race, color, sex, age, national origin, religion or disability.

By order of:
Washington County Public Schools Lisa Freeman, Supervisor of Purchasing