

# Marion County Board of Education

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ADDENDUM #1 TO BID #24-06 WALK IN FREEZER Brilliant Elementary School Lunchroom

**Please note the following clarification:**

The following page 12, section 2, #F Requirements under the following heading:

**Required Federal Provisions for Procurement in Child Nutrition Program**

**Contract Provisions for Non-Federal Entity Contracts Under Federal Awards**

**Requirements**

- A. The successful bidder shall be an established company experienced in handling institutional products listed on the bid and must maintain a current business license.
- B. Vendor must submit a copy of its Good Agricultural Practices Certificate and/or United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Inspection Certificate. A current copy of company's health inspection report is also acceptable.
- C. Each bidder must have a certified Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point (HACCP) plan that will be used in the case that damaged/contaminated produce must be removed. This must be available upon request.
- D. Physical Facilities: The potential bidders warehouse and trucks may be inspected by a representative of the Marion County Board of Education or the Consortium at any given time. The warehouse and trucks shall: 1. Be clean, 2. Be free of insects and rodents, 3. Be adequate for storing and delivering products (dry or chilled) that potential contractor proposes to supply, and meet all FDA requirements.
- E. All products must be from a primary grower shipper market that provides No. 1, Grade A Fancy or higher quality products. The Buy American provision (7CFR Part 210.21(d)) is one of the procurement standards school food authorities must comply with when purchasing commercial food products served in the school meals program.
- F. Each bidder must have an adequate number of refrigerated trucks to insure all deliveries will be made on schedule.

**This section refers ONLY to bids for food items; please understand this will not apply to any equipment bid.**

Thank you for your time and effort in bidding on this much-needed equipment, and call with any more questions.

Please respond to the email to confirm receipt of this information.

Thank you,

*Jennifer Roberts*

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