

## General Bid Form

The accompanying Forms & Documentation are hereby submitted as a Bid in response to the subject IFB. All information, statements and prices are true, accurate, and binding representations of the Bidder's intentions and commitments in responding to this IFB.

SFS of New England, Inc.

Brian Jette

Company Name

Contact Person

PO Box 600

978-407-1024

Street

Phone

Hubbardston MA 01452

N/A

City, State, Zip

Fax

bjette@sfsone.com

Email

Bidder acknowledges receipt of the Invitation for Bids (IFB) and Addendum No(s) MAPC, dated 9/27/23, and submits the attached Bid for this Invitation for Bids to the Metropolitan Area Planning Council (MAPC), on the authority of the undersigned and as dated below who by signing confirms and pledges to abide by and be held to the requirements of this IFB and its resulting contract, to perform any tasks and deliver any documents required, and to execute a Contract with the MAPC.

Authorized Agent of the Bidder:



Signature (blue ink please)

Brian Jette

Printed Name

President

(If a corporation, attach certificate of vote or  
apply corporate seal here)

Title

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Date:

10/6/23

## Statement of Competency

I hereby certify that the Bidder meets or exceeds the competency criteria set out in this IFB.

I further attest to the following assertions:

- The Bidder has been in business for a minimum of 1 year.
- Provision of the items specified in this IFB is consistent with the Bidder's normal lines of business.
- The Bidder is incorporated, and if required licensed, to do business in Massachusetts.

Authorized Agent of the Bidder:

  
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Signature (blue ink please)

Brian Jette

Printed Name

President

Title

School Food Services of New England, Inc.

Name (as used for tax filing)

~~School~~ 27-2987389

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### Certificate of Non-Collusion

As required under Chapters 233 and 701 of the Massachusetts Acts and Resolves of 1983 and as required under M.G.L. c. 30B certification must be made to the following by signing in the space indicated below. Failure to offer such signature will result in rejection of the Bid.

"The undersigned certifies under penalties of perjury that this Bid has been made and submitted in good faith and without collusion or fraud with any other person. As used in this certification, the word person shall mean any natural person, business, partnership, corporation, union, committee, club or other organization, entity, or group or individuals."

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Signature (blue ink please)

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Printed Name

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### Certificate of Tax Compliance

"Pursuant to M.G.L. c. 62C, s. 49A, I certify under the penalties of perjury that to my best knowledge and belief the undersigned has complied with all laws of the Commonwealth relating to taxes, reporting of employees and contractors, and withholding and remitting child support."

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Signature (blue ink please)

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### Certification of Compliance for Federally Funded Procurement

The Contractor, if paid from federal funding sources, certifies that it complies with: E.O. 11246, "Equal Employment Opportunity," as amended by E.O. 11375, "Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity," and as supplemented by regulations at 41 CFR part 60, "Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor;" 18 U.S.C. 874 and 40 U.S.C. 276c (Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act); 40 U.S.C. 276a to a-7 (Davis-Bacon Act, as Amended); 40 U.S.C. 327-333 (Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act); 37 CFR part 401 (Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement); 42 U.S.C. 6201 (Energy Policy and Conservation Act); 42 U.S.C. 7401 et seq., as amended (Clean Air Act); 33 U.S.C. 1251 et seq., as amended (Federal Water Pollution Control Act); 31 U.S.C. 1352, as implemented 34 CFR Part 82 (Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment); E.O.s 12549 and 12689 (Debarment and Suspension); Section 106 of "TVPA" (Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000); American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009; Pub. L. 111-5 ("ARRA"), Section 1605 of ARRA; and 2 CFR part 176.140 (Buy American.)

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Company Name (DBA SFS of New England, Inc)

Brian Jette  
Authorized Representative Name (Printed)

  
Authorized Signature

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## Conflict of Interest Certification

The Bidder hereby certifies that:

1. The Bidder has not given, offered, or agreed to give any gift, contribution, or offer of employment as an inducement for, or in connection with, the award of a Contract pursuant to this IFB.
2. No consultant to, or subcontractor for, the Bidder has given, offered, or agreed to give any gift, contribution, or offer of employment to the Bidder, or to any other person, corporation, or entity as an inducement for, or in connection with, the award to the consultant or subcontractor of a Contract by the Bidder.
3. No person, corporation, or other entity, other than a bona fide full time employee of the Bidder has been retained or hired to solicit for or in any way assist the Bidder in obtaining a Contract pursuant to this IFB upon an agreement or understanding that such person, corporation or entity be paid a fee or other compensation contingent upon the award of a Contract to the Bidder.
4. Bidder understands that the Massachusetts Conflict of Interest Law, M.G.L. c. 268A, applies to the Bidder and its officers, employees, agents, subcontractors, and affiliated entities with respect to the transaction outlined in the Invitation for Bids.
5. Bidder understands that the Bidder and its officers, employees, agents, subcontractors, and affiliated entities, shall not participate in any activity which constitutes a violation of the Massachusetts Conflict of Interest Law or which creates an appearance of a violation of the Massachusetts Conflict of Interest Law.

Authorized Agent of the Bidder:

  
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Signature (blue ink please)

Brian Jette  
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Printed Name

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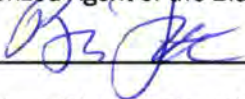
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### Certificate of Compliance with M.G.L. c. 151B

The Bidder hereby certifies that it is in compliance with and shall remain in compliance with Massachusetts General Laws (M.G.L.) c. 151B and shall not discriminate on any prohibited basis outlined therein. The Bidder also hereby certifies that it shall comply with any and all applicable Commonwealth of Massachusetts Supplier Diversity Office (SDO) thresholds that have been established in conjunction with this Invitation for Bids.

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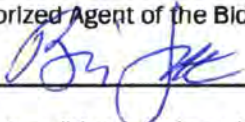
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### Certificate of Non-Debarment

The Bidder hereby certifies that it is presently not debarred, suspended, or otherwise prohibited from practice by any federal, state, or local agency, and that, should any proceeding arise in which it is debarred, suspended, or otherwise prohibited from practice by any federal, state, or local agency, the Bidder shall inform the MAPC and participating cities, towns, and school districts within one (1) business day of such debarment, suspension, or prohibition from practice.

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Signature (blue ink please)

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## Lobbying Activities

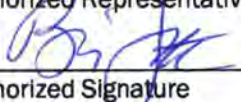
The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

(1) No federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

(2) If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying", in accordance with its instructions.

(3) The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all sub-awards at all tiers (including sub-contracts, sub-grants and contracts under grants, loans and cooperative agreements) and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31 U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

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## Equal Opportunity Requirements

I certify that all information, statements, and pricing made in my Bid are true, accurate, and binding representations of the Bidder's intentions and commitment in responding to this IFB. Any such representations that exceed the minimum requirements of the IFB constitute legal obligations on the part of the Bidder to perform as stated and that failure to so perform may be used by MAPC as grounds to terminate the my contract.

I certify that pursuant to 28 CFR Part 42.204 (d) my employment practices comply with Equal Opportunity Requirements and comply with 28 CFR Part 42.202.; that my organization complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Authorized Agent of the Bidder:

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### Acknowledgement of Specifications

The undersigned certifies that they have read the Bid Specifications and agree to abide by these specifications should they be the successful vendor.

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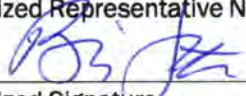
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## HUB Certification

Vendors submitting bids that have been certified as Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) entities (Minority, Small Business, Woman Owned), are asked to indicate their HUB status when responding to this Invitation for Bid. I certify that my company has been certified as a Historically Underutilized Business (HUB). (Attach a copy of the HUB Certification to this form.)

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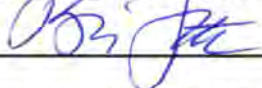
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## Right to Know Law Page

Any Bidder who receives an order or orders resulting from this invitation, agrees to submit a Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) for each toxic or hazardous substance or mixture containing such substance, pursuant to M.G.L. c. 111F, s. 8, 9, 10 and the regulations contained in 454 CMR 21.06 when deliveries are made. The Bidder agrees to deliver all containers properly labeled pursuant to M.G.L. c. 111F, s. 7 and the regulations contained in 454 CMR 21.05. Failure to submit an MSDS and/or label on each container will place the Bidder in noncompliance with the Purchase Order. Failure to furnish MSDSs and/or labels on each container may result in civil or criminal penalties, including bid debarment and action or prevent the Bidder from selling said substances or mixtures containing said substances within the Commonwealth. All Bidders furnishing substances or mixtures subject to M.G.L. c. 111F are cautioned to obtain and read the Law and Rules and Regulations referenced above. Copies may be obtained from the State House Bookstore, State House, Room 117, Boston, MA 02133 (617-727-2834) for a fee.

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THESE REQUIREMENTS COULD RESULT IN THE CANCELLATION OF YOUR CONTRACT.

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