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To: New Haven Board of Education Finance and Operations Committee

From: Thomas Lamb, Chief Operating Officer

Gail Sharry, Executive Director

Michael Gormany, City Budget Director

Date: Tuesday, May 24, 2022

Re: Fiscal year 2022-23, Award of Contract for NHPS Food Service for Direct

Commodity Purchase

Executive Summary: Approval is requested for an award of contract(s) under RFP# 2022-04-1440 for the purchase of **direct commodity purchase** for fiscal year 2022-23 for NHPS Food Service.

Vendor Number	Vendor Name			Award Amount not to Exceed	Minority or Women Owned Small Business?	Renewal or Award of Contract/Agreement			
TBD	Peterson Farms	P.O. Box 95	Shelby, MI 49455	10,000		Award			

Contract or Agreement #: TBD

Funding Source & Account #: 25215200-55587

Key Questions: (Please have someone ready to discuss the details of each question during the Finance & Operations meeting or this proposal might not be advanced for consideration by the full Board of Education):

- 1. What specific service will the contractor provide:
 - a. The vendor(s) will provide direct commodities based on the USDA program. NHPS-Food Service utilizes this program to receive USDA pricing on food product directly from the distributor. With this program, quantities are limited.
- 2. How was the contractor selected? Quotes? RFP? Sealed Bid or Sole Source? <u>Please</u> describe the selection process including other sources considered and the rationale for selecting this method of selection:
 - a. The vendor was selected via a request for proposal (RFP) process, based on the award criteria set forth in the solicitation.
- 3. If this is a renewal with a current vendor, has the vendor's performance been satisfactory under the existing contract or agreement?
 - a. This is not applicable as this is a new award.

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- 4. If this Contract/Agreement is a Renewal has cost increased? If yes, by how much?
 - a. This is not applicable as this is a new award.
- 5. If this Contractor is New has cost for service increased from previous years? If yes, by how much?
 - a. Vendor(s) are evaluated throughout the school year based on product sensory (food evaluation) delivery expectations, customers service, and other criteria set at the beginning of the school year.
 - b. Food cost has increased from an overall pricing standpoint, especially due to the pandemic.
 - c. The contractor(s) have been used in prior years with no issues.
- 6. Is this a service existing staff could provide? Why or why not?
 - a. No.

Contract Number 2022-04-1440

Contract Name Direct Commodity Purchase Contract Period July 01, 2022 to June 30, 2023 Contractor Peterson Farms

Award Amount \$10,000.00

Status	#	Per bid specifications:	Item Specification	Unit of Measure	Unit of measure Pack Size (Preferred)	Commodity Bid Price	Commodity Case Packing Size	Commodi ty Per Case Price	Commodity Product Code - (What will appear on Invoice)	Commercial Bid Price	Commercial Case Packing Size	Commercial Per Case Price	Commercial Product Code (What Will Appear on Invoice)	Vendor Notes or Comments
Fruit	#10-1	**Shelf-Stable Unsweetened Applesauce Cups, 1/2 cup fruit eq.	Meal pattern equivalent of 1/2 cup fruit per cup, no sugar or sweeteners added, made in USA, Peterson Farms ASA10001 or equal	Portion (cup)	Portion 1/2 cup fruit equivalent	\$0.2067	96/4.5 oz cups	\$19.8500	ASA10001	\$0.3280	96/4.5 oz cups	\$31.5000	ASA10001	Current Lead time is 10 weeks, due to Covid 19 & National demand
Fruit	#10-2	**Shelf-Stable Unsweetened Cinnamon Applesauce Cups, 1/2 cup fruit eq.		Portion (cup)	Portion 1/2 cup fruit equivalent	\$0.2067	96/4.5 oz cups	\$19.8500	ASA10013	\$0.3280	96/4.5 oz cups	\$31.5000	ASA10013	Current Lead time is 10 weeks, due to Covid 19 & National demand