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BID/RFP ADDENDUM

Date: 04/13/2005

Addendum No. 3

BID/RFP No.: 083-EE03  
 BID/RFP TITLE: FRUIT JUICES

This addendum modifies the conditions of the above referenced BID/RFP as follows:

- 1) New Bid Proposal Form Pages 1, 2, 3, 4, 5,6,7,8,9,10,11
- 2) U.S. Grade A has been changed to U.S. Grade A Quality for items that are fortified with Calcium and Vitamin C ( items 11 through 16 C) since these items are NAG, no applicable grade
- 3) Response to additional questions received is attached.
- 4) No change to opening date of April 21, 2005, 2:00 PM.

The attached pages containing clarifications, additional information and requirements constitutes an integral part of the referenced bid.

1 If your bid/proposal has not been mailed, substitute the pages marked REVISED and mail your entire bid/proposal package. **REMEMBER TO SIGN THE BIDDER QUALIFICATION FORM.**

OR

2. If your bid/proposal has been mailed, sign and return this addendum form with the revised pages by the time and date indicated on the Bidder Qualification Form. **BY SIGNING THIS ADDENDUM, THE VENDOR AGREES TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN THE BIDDER QUALIFICATION FORM AND ALL RELATED BID DOCUMENTS.**

I acknowledge receipt of Addendum Number

PLEASE NOTE: If your firm has mailed a copy of this bid/proposal to another vendor, it is your responsibility to forward them a copy of this addendum.

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT BELOW)

LEGAL NAME OF BIDDER: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY, STATE ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL I.D. \_\_\_\_\_ FAX # \_\_\_\_\_

BY: SIGNATURE (Manual): \_\_\_\_\_  
 OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

NAME (Typed)- \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_  
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	<p><b><u>Bid will be evaluated and awarded in the Districts best interest. It is the intent of the District to move towards juices with Vitamin C and Calcium requirements</u></b></p> <p>PACKING REQUIREMENTS: Items 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10A, 10B, AND 10C – juice items shall be packed in leak proof disposable containers (recyclable containers preferred) with an opening for insertion of a straw or for pouring and so constructed that the opening will be free of foreign matter when ready to use. <u>M-DCPS will not accept bids for product packaged in KPAK containers. The 6 oz. juice items may be a plastic pouch or gable topped carton container. All juice items:</u> shipping cases and individual containers of juice shall be coded with expiration date and product identification. Decoding instructions for translation of date coding should be furnished with the bid, so that site locations may read expiration dates. Shipping case shall be acceptable as follows: 4 oz. juices with a minimum packing of 48 containers to a maximum packing of 96 containers; 6 oz. juices with a minimum packing of 48 containers to a maximum packing of 70 containers; all shipping containers shall be of the disposable type of packaging standard to the industry.</p> <p>Alternate type of packaging may be utilized after review and approval by the Department of Food and Nutrition. Maximum packing size may be exceeded with Department of Food and Nutrition approval. The successful vendor(s) should provide, information to the consumer on each container regarding its vitamin C content, calcium content where applicable and shall bear the shield - U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p><b>IF USDA COMMODITY ORANGE JUICE IS AVAILABLE.M-DCPS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO INCORPORATE USDA COMMODITY ORANGE JUICE INTO THE AWARDED ORANGE JUICE PRODUCTS. M-DCPS WILL UTILIZE NET OFF INVOICING OR MODIFIED FEE FOR SERVICE FOR THE AWARDED BID PRICING FOR ITEMS #1 AND #10A. ALL VENDORS SUBMITTING A BID ON THESE ITEMS MUST INCLUDE AN APPROVED EPDS OR SEPDS CONTRACT FOR USDA PROCESSING WITH THEIR BID.</b></p>	14 mos			<p>NOTE: ALL QUANTITIES LISTED ON THIS BID, FOR 4 OZ. JUICES, ARE BASED ON 96 COUNT PER CASE.</p> <p>QUANTITIES LISTED ON THIS BID ARE BASED UPON CURRENT 2004-2005 JUICE USAGE.</p>

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1	<p><b>ORANGE JUICE:</b> 4 OZ., PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE. From 100% pure concentrate, calcium fortified to provide a minimum of 133 mg calcium per serving per 4 oz. serving U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: ARDMORE FARMS, SUNFLO, MR. J. #2079 &amp; #2162, SUNSHINE GROVE, . <u>ALL OTHER BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</u></p>	19,096,000	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____
2	<p><b>APPLE JUICE:</b> PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE. From 100% pure concentrate, chilled, unsweetened, and clear. Each 4 oz. Of product must be color-good, defect-practically free, flavor good. U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: ITEM 2 – ARDMORE FARMS, SUNFLO, MR. J. #2840 AND #2847, SUNSHINE GROVE. <u>ALL OTHER BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</u></p>	7,166,852	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____
3	<p><b>GRAPE JUICE:</b> 4 OZ., PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE. From 100% pure concentrate with a deep purple color and a true grape flavor. U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: ARDMORE FARMS, SUNFLO, MR. J. #2640 AND #2647, SUNSHINE GROVE, . <u>ALL OTHER BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</u></p>	11,865,700	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____

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4	<p><b>FRUIT BLEND JUICES:</b> 4 OZ., PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE.. A) Juice to be a blend of 100% Grade A orange juice, grapefruit juice, and pineapple juice, FROM plus grape juice, apple juice, or lemon juice for added flavor or color. Blend shall be a 100% natural product.</p> <p>B. Juice to be a blend of 100% Grade A orange juice, grapefruit juice, and pineapple juice, plus grape juice, apple juice, or pear juice for added flavor or color. Blend shall be a 100% natural product.</p> <p>C. Juice to be a blend of 100% Grade A orange juice, apple juice, pineapple juice and grape juice. Blend shall be a 100% natural product.</p> <p>U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. APPROVED BRANDS: ARDMORE FARMS, SUNFLO, MR. J. #2340 AND #2347, SUNSHINE GROVE. <u>ALL OTHER BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</u></p>	8,319,200	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____
5	<p><b>ORANGE/PINEAPPLE JUICE:</b> 4 OZ., PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE.. Juice to be made from 100% U.S. Grade A orange juice and/or orange concentrate and 100% U.S. Grade A pineapple juice and/or pineapple concentrate in the approximate ratio of 2.5 parts orange to 1 part pineapple. U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: ARDMORE FARMS, SUNFLO, MR. J. #2440 AND #2447, SUNSHINE GROVE. <u>ALL OTHER BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</u></p>	9,332,400	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____

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	<b>THE PRICE FOR ITEMS 6 THROUGH 9, MUST INCLUDE PRODUCT DELIVERY TO EACH SCHOOL SITE.</b>				
6	<p>DRINKS, 16 OZ. INDIVIDUAL LEAKPROOF PLASTIC, BOTTLE SHAPED CONTAINER. FRUIT ADE PRODUCTS TO CONTAIN A MINIMUM OF 20% REAL JUICE. ICED TEA TO CONTAIN LEMON AND SUGAR FLAVORING. PACKED APPROXIMATELY 32 CONTAINERS PER CASE.</p> <p>MUST BE PROVIDED IN A MINIMUM OF THREE OF THE FOLLOWING FLAVORS: ORANGE, LEMONADE, FRUIT PUNCH, GRAPE, ICED TEA.</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: VELDA "SOL TROPICAL" -ITEM #28261, #28262, #28263.</p> <p>SAMPLES: ALL OTHER BRANDS SUBMIT ONE (1) CASE OF EACH FLAVOR FURNISHING.</p>	3,520,000	CARTON	\$ _____ PER EACH 16 OZ. CARTONS	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ CONTAINER SIZE _____ CASE COUNT _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE PRICE _____ INDICATE FLAVORS FURNISHING: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____
7	<p>JUICES, 100% JUICE, PLASTIC BOTTLE PACKAGE: 16 OZ. INDIVIDUAL LEAKPROOF PLASTIC BOTTLE, SHAPED CONTAINER. PACKED APPROXIMATELY 32 CONTAINERS PER CASE. MINIMUM FOUR FLAVORS FURNISHING. FLAVORS TO INCLUDE APPLE, ORANGE, CRANBERRY, CRANBERRY-RASPBERRY BLEND.</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: APPLE &amp; EVE #58001 #58002, #58003, #58013</p> <p>SAMPLES: ALL OTHER BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 16 OZ. SIZE ONLY, OF EACH FLAVOR FURNISHING.</p>	125,000	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 16 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) TYPE OF CONTAINER FURNISHING _____ STATE % OF JUICE CONTENT _____

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8	<p>JUICES, 100% JUICE, PLASTIC BOTTLE PACKAGE: 8 OZ. INDIVIDUAL LEAKPROOF PLASTIC BOTTLE, SHAPED CONTAINER. PACKED APPROXIMATELY 70 CONTAINERS PER CASE. <b>U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. NOT FROM CONCENTRATE. FLAVORS FURNISHING, MINIMUM OF TWO: APPLE JUICE , ORANGE JUICE</b></p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS:</p> <p>SAMPLES: <b>ALL</b> BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 8 OZ. SIZE LEAKPROOF PLASTIC BOTTLE SHAPED CONTAINER ONLY OF EACH FLAVOR FURNISHING.</p>	157,500	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 8 OZ CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ CONT TYPE OF CONTAINER FURNISHING _____ STATE % OF JUICE CONTENT _____ 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____
9	<p>JUICES, 100% JUICE, PLASTIC BOTTLE PACKAGE: 10 OZ. INDIVIDUAL LEAKPROOF PLASTIC BOTTLE, SHAPED CONTAINER. PACKED APPROXIMATELY 35 CONTAINERS PER CASE. NOT FROM CONCENTRATE. U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. NOT FROM CONCENTRATE. <b>FLAVORS FURNISHING, MINIMUM OF TWO: APPLE JUICE , ORANGE JUICE</b></p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: APPLE &amp; EVE #59005, #59004</p> <p>SAMPLES: ALL OTHER BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 10 OZ. SIZE LEAKPROOF PLASTIC BOTTLE SHAPED CONTAINER ONLY OF EACH FLAVOR</p>	125,022	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 10 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ TYPE OF CONTAINER FURNISHING _____ STATE % OF JUICE CONTENT _____ 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____

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	<p><b>ITEM 10A THROUGH 10C TO BE AWARDED ON A TOTAL LOW BID BASIS. VENDOR MUST BID ALL ITEMS. PRICE TO INCLUDE PRODUCT DELIVERY TO EACH SCHOOL SITE.</b></p> <p><b>6 OZ. INDIVIDUAL LEAKPROOF, PLASTIC MINI-SIP POUCH OR GABLE TOP CARTON. PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE. MUST PROVIDE ALL THREE FLAVORS, AS LISTED BELOW:</b></p> <p>PACKAGING: All 6 oz. juice items shall be packed in leak proof disposable containers (recyclable containers preferred) with an opening for insertion of a straw or for pouring and so constructed that the opening will be free of foreign matter. <b>MDCPS will not consider bids submitted for product packaged in KPAK containers.</b></p> <p>Individual 6 oz. containers shall bear the shield – <b>U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</b></p>				<p>NOTE: ALL QUANTITIES LISTED ON THIS BID, FOR 6 OZ. JUICES, ARE BASED ON GABLE-TOP, 70 UNITS COUNT PER CASE</p>
10A	<p>ORANGE – From 100% pure concentrate as defined in the standard of identity 21, code of federal regulations (C.F.R.) 146.145. <b>U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. Calcium fortified to provide a minimum of 200 mg calcium per 6 oz. serving.</b></p> <p>APPROVED BRAND: M &amp; B #2163, #2186</p>	980,550	PLASTIC MINI SIP POUCHES OR GABLE TOP CARTONS	\$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. POUCH \$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. CARTON	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____
10B	<p>ORANGE-PINEAPPLE – Juice to be made from 100% U.S. grade A fancy orange juice and/or orange concentrate and 100% U.S. grade A Fancy Pineapple juice and/or pineapple concentrate in the approximate ration of 2.5 parts orange to 1 part pineapple. <b>U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. 6 oz</b></p> <p>APPROVED BRAND: M &amp; B #2450, #2486</p>	750,600	PLASTIC MINI SIP POUCHES OR GABLE TOP CARTONS	\$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. POUCH \$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. CARTON	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____
10C	<p>APPLE – From 100% pure concentrate, chilled, unsweetened, and clear. Product must be color-good, defect-practically free, flavor good. <b>EACH 6 OZ. POUCH TO PROVIDE A MINIMUM OF 20 MG VITAMIN C. U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</b></p> <p>APPROVED BRAND: M &amp; B #2850, 2856.</p> <p><b>SAMPLES: FOR ITEM 10A THROUGH 10C, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 6 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</b></p>	675,300	PLASTIC MINI SIP POUCHES OR GABLE TOP CARTONS	\$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. POUCH \$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. CARTON	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____

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**THE FOLLOWING JUICES HAVE BEEN SPECIFIED WITH CALCIUM AND VITAMIN C REQUIREMENTS. IT IS THE DISTRICTS INTENT TO MOVE ALL PURCHASES TOWARDS THESE REQUIREMENTS.**

	<p>PACKING REQUIREMENTS: Items 11,12, 13, 14, 15, 16A, 16B, AND 16C – juice items shall be packed in leak proof disposable containers (recyclable containers preferred) with an opening for insertion of a straw or for pouring and so constructed that the opening will be free of foreign matter when ready to use. <u>M-DCPS will not accept bids for product packaged in KPAK containers. The 6 oz. juice items may be a plastic pouch or gable topped carton container. All juice items;</u> shipping cases and individual containers of juice shall be coded with expiration date and product identification. Decoding instructions for translation of date coding should be furnished with the bid, so that site locations may read expiration dates. Shipping case shall be acceptable as follows: 4 oz. juices with a minimum packing of 48 containers to a maximum packing of 96 containers; 6 oz. juices with a minimum packing of 48 containers to a maximum packing of 70 containers; all shipping containers shall be of the disposable type of packaging standard to the industry.</p> <p>Alternate type of packaging may be utilized after review and approval by the Department of Food and Nutrition. Maximum packing size may be exceeded with Department of Food and Nutrition approval. The successful vendor(s) should provide, information to the consumer on each container regarding its vitamin C content, calcium content where applicable and shall bear the shield - U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p><b>IF USDA COMMODITY ORANGE JUICE IS AVAILABLE.M-DCPS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO INCORPORATE USDA COMMODITY ORANGE JUICE INTO THE AWARDED ORANGE JUICE PRODUCTS. M-DCPS WILL UTILIZE NET OFF INVOICING OR MODIFIED FEE FOR SERVICE FOR THE AWARDED BID PRICING FOR ITEMS #1 AND #10A. ALL VENDORS SUBMITTING A BID ON THESE ITEMS MUST INCLUDE AN APPROVED EPDS OR SEPDS CONTRACT FOR USDA PROCESSING WITH THEIR BID.</b></p>				
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11	<p><b>ORANGE JUICE:</b> 4 OZ., PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE. From 100% pure concentrate, calcium fortified to provide a minimum of 133 mg calcium per serving per 4 oz. serving U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: ALL BRANDS, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</p>	19,096,000	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____
12	<p><b>APPLE JUICE:</b> PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE. From 100% pure concentrate, chilled, unsweetened, and clear. Each 4 oz. of product must be color-good, defect-practically free, flavor good. U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. From 100% pure concentrate, chilled, unsweetened, and clear. Each 4 oz. container to provide a minimum of 20 mg vitamin C and a minimum of 133-mg calcium per 4 oz serving Product must be color-good, defect-practically free, flavor good. U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: ITEM 12 SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</p>	7,166,852	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____ VITAMIN C MG. _____

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13	<p><b>GRAPE JUICE:</b> 4 OZ., PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE.. From 100% pure concentrate with a deep purple color and a true grape flavor. U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p>Each 4 oz. to provide a minimum of 20 mg vitamin C and a minimum of 133 mg of Calcium per 4 oz serving. U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: <u>SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</u></p>	11,865,700	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____ VITAMIN C MG. _____
14	<p><b>FRUIT BLEND JUICES:</b> 4 OZ., PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE.. A) Juice to be a blend of 100% Grade A Quality orange juice, grapefruit juice, and pineapple juice, FROM plus grape juice, apple juice, or lemon juice for added flavor or color. Blend shall be a 100% natural product. Each 4 oz serving to provide a minimum of 20 mg of vitamin C and a minimum 133 mg of calcium.</p> <p>B. Juice to be a blend of 100% Grade A Quality orange juice, grapefruit juice, and pineapple juice, plus grape juice, apple juice, or pear juice for added flavor or color. Blend shall be a 100% natural product. Each 4 oz serving to provide a minimum of 20 mg of vitamin C and a minimum of 133 mg of calcium.</p> <p>C. Juice to be a blend of 100% Grade A Quality orange juice, apple juice, pineapple juice and grape juice. Blend shall be a 100% natural product. Each 4 oz serving to provide a minimum of 20 mg of vitamin C and a minimum of 133 mg of calcium.</p> <p>U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: <u>SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</u></p>	8,319,200	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____

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083-EE03 – REVISED ADDENDUM #3

Title: FRUIT JUICES

Buyer: LINDA LEASBURG-KRAMER, SUPERVISOR

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL INFORMATION REQUESTED BELOW

NAME OF BIDDER:

ITEM	DESCRIPTION OF ITEM	EST. QTY.	UNIT	PRICE PER UNIT	
15	<p><b>ORANGE/PINEAPPLE JUICE:</b> 4 OZ., PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE. Juice to be made from 100% U.S. Grade A Quality orange juice and/or orange concentrate and 100% U.S. Grade A Quality pineapple juice and/or pineapple concentrate in the approximate ratio of 2.5 parts orange to 1 part pineapple. Each serving to provide a minimum of 20 mg of Vitamin C and a minimum of a minimum of 133 mg calcium per 4 oz serving. U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.</p> <p>APPROVED BRANDS: <u>SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 4 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</u></p>	9,332,400	CONTAINER	\$ _____ PER EACH 4 OZ. CONTAINER	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ UNIT WEIGHT _____ GROSS WEIGHT _____ NET WEIGHT _____
	<p><b>ITEM 16A THROUGH 16C TO BE AWARDED ON A TOTAL LOW BID BASIS. VENDOR MUST BID ALL ITEMS. PRICE TO INCLUDE PRODUCT DELIVERY TO EACH SCHOOL SITE.</b></p>				
16A	<p><b>ORANGE – PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE.</b> From 100% pure concentrate as defined in the standard of identity 21, code of federal regulations (C.F.R.) 146.145. U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, <b>PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. Calcium fortified to provide a minimum of 200 mg calcium per 6 oz. serving.</b></p> <p>APPROVED BRAND: <u>M &amp; B #2163, #2186</u></p> <p><b>SAMPLES: FOR ITEM 10A THROUGH 10C, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 6 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</b></p>	980,550	PLASTIC MINI SIP POUCHES OR CABLE TOP CARTONS	\$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. POUCH \$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. CARTON	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ VITAMIN C MG. _____
16B	<p><b>ORANGE-PINEAPPLE – PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE.</b> Juice to be made from 100% U.S. grade A Quality, fancy orange juice and/or orange concentrate and 100% U.S. grade A Quality Fancy Pineapple juice and/or pineapple concentrate in the approximate ration of 2.5 parts orange to 1 part pineapple. Each serving to provide a minimum of 20 mg of Vitamin C and 133 mg of Calcium per 4 oz serving and 200 mg calcium per 6 oz serving. U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, <b>PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE 6 OZ.</b></p> <p>APPROVED BRAND:</p> <p><b>SAMPLES: FOR ITEM 10A THROUGH 10C, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 6 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</b></p>	750,600	PLASTIC MINI SIP POUCHES OR CABLE TOP CARTONS	\$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. POUCH \$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. CARTON	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) _____ VITAMIN C MG. _____

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16C	<p>APPLE – PACKED AS PER REQUIREMENTS ABOVE. From 100% pure concentrate, chilled, unsweetened, and clear. Product must be color-good, defect-practically free, flavor good. <b>Each 6 oz. container to provide a minimum of 20 mg vitamin C and a minimum 200 mg calcium per 6 oz serving. Product must be color-good, defect-practically free, flavor good. U.S. GRADE A QUALITY, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE. The successful vendor for the 6 oz. apple juice product should provide on each container, information to the consumer regarding its vitamin C content.</b></p> <p>APPROVED BRAND:</p> <p>SAMPLES: FOR ITEM 10A THROUGH 10C, SUBMIT A ONE (1) CASE SAMPLE, 6 OZ. SIZE ONLY.</p>	675,300	PLASTIC MINI SIP POUCHES OR GABLE TOP CARTONS	\$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. POUCH \$ _____ PER EACH 6 OZ. CARTON	BRAND _____ MFG. BY _____ PRODUCT # _____ CASE COUNT _____ CASE PRICE(\$) PRICE PER OZ.(\$) VITAMIN C MG. _____



U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE, SHIELD, AS APPLICABLE



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- 1) I cannot supply sample cases of products as we are not yet in production. We can provide lab samples if that is acceptable.

Response: Per Special Condition 3. Samples: Vendors bidding on alternate brands, on only those items where “or equal” is stated, are required to submit samples, **no later than the date and time of the scheduled bid opening**, in the sample quantities stipulated for each item. **Samples shall be identical to the items to be delivered.**

- 2) I don't have access to a local distributor to deliver them individually to the schools. Does the school system have an internal distribution system?

Response: No, you must be able to deliver as per Special Condition 5. O: ORDERS AND DELIVERIES

- 3) Is TetraPak an acceptable package format? It is recyclable.

Response: Alternate type of packaging may be utilized after review and approval by the Department of Food and Nutrition. Maximum packing size may be exceeded with Department of Food and Nutrition approval.

- 4) The “Specifications for Fruit Juices” (4 ounces and 6 ounces page) has been completely deleted. The last sentence of the page stated:

The successful vendor(s) should provide, information to the consumer on each container regarding its vitamin C content, calcium content where applicable and shall bear the shield - **U.S. GRADE A, PACKED UNDER CONTINUOUS INSPECTION OF THE U.S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE.**

Grape Juice, Apple Juice and Fruit Blend have no Grade A Standard. Also, any product including Orange that is fortified with Vitamin C and/or Calcium has no Grade A Standard.

Response: The information you are referring to was inserted into the Bidders Response form as part of the Packaging Requirements (page 1) preceding Item 1 and repeated again (page 7) prior to item 11. To additionally clarify the term U.S. Grade A Quality is being used on juices requiring Calcium and Vitamin C fortification. The district expects that vendors meet all the analytical criteria for Grade A (although it won't have the label).

- 4) In our email to you of 3/23/05, we asked a number of questions about bid specifications. We still would like to know the results of the evaluation of the samples that we submitted when bids were last opened for this requirement (January 16, 2003).

Response: The Department of Food and Nutrition should be contacted regarding sample results from the previous bid cycle.

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- 5) Our samples of the Calcium Fortified products have been submitted. We would appreciate receiving the results of your sampling review prior to the April 21<sup>st</sup> bid opening date (Addendum #2)

Response: Samples are required to be submitted as per Special Condition 3. SAMPLES. Samples will be evaluated as part of the bid evaluation process and will not begin until after the bid closing of April 21, 2005, 2:00 PM.

- 6) In our email to you of 3/31/05, we wrote about the time leading up to the last time bids were opened for this requirement (January 16, 2003), when we learned that the essence of all of the correspondence that we had with M-DCPS relative to the solicitation was made available to our competitors.

Response: As per Special Condition 25. BID ADDENDUMS / QUESTIONS: It is the bidders responsibility to continuously monitor the M-DCPS, Procurement website, for any addendums that may be posted, prior to the opening of this solicitation. The procurement website, which lists all bids, addendums, and award information, is as follows: <http://procurement.dadeschools.net>, (click on) *Bid Solicitation*. A Q&A link is provided to address all inquiries that may be received on this bid prior to bid opening.

All inquiries received are responded to and publicly posted on the Districts web site, as noted above. Additionally, an addendum may be issued in response to solicitations, if deemed necessary, by Procurement Management.