

#### Request for Proposals No. 1703

### Processed USDA Foods Products and Commercial Equivalents of Potato, Tomato, and Cheese Products For Super Co-Op Member Districts

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#### **NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors for the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency (SCVSFSA), Santa Clarita, CA (Los Angeles County), on behalf of the SCVSFSA and the Super Co-Op members, will receive Request for Proposal No. 1703 for the procurement of the following:

### Processed USDA Foods Products and Commercial Equivalents Of Potato, Tomato, and Cheese Products for SUPER Co-op Member Districts

Sealed bids must be delivered no later than 1:00 PM on Wednesday, February 22, 2017, to:

Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency, Attn: Dr. Lynnelle Grumbles 25210 Anza Drive Santa Clarita, CA 91355

Companies interested in proposing should request appropriate documents from Lynnelle Grumbles at the address listed above. Dr. Grumbles may be reached at (661) 295-1574 x103.

A mandatory Bidders' Conference for the purpose of acquainting prospective bidders with the unique requirements of the Agency will be held on February 6, 2017, at 8:00 AM via webinar. The webinar information will be posted at www.Super-Coop.org one week prior to the event.

An addendum will be published on February 10, 2017 by 4:00PM at www.Super-Coop.org.

Proposals will be opened in public at 9:00 AM on February 23, 2017, at the Agency office, located at 25210 Anza Drive, Santa Clarita, CA.

The Agency's Board of Directors reserves the right to reject any and all bids. No bidder may withdraw their bid for a period of ninety (90) days after the date set for the opening of bids. Refer to the formal bid documents and specifications for additional information, terms, and conditions.

Dr. Lynnelle Grumbles, RDN, SNS

Chief Executive Officer

#### Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency 25210 Anza Drive Santa Clarita, CA 91355

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#### **Request for Proposal Signature Page**

This Request for Proposal (RFP) is for the pricing of end products using USDA Foods of primarily potato, tomato and cheese (sticks, cubes, portions, shredded) as made available by USDA to the State of California and the Super Cooperative, and for the commercial equivalent items.

Please bid your lowest prices for the items or services on the attached Information Submission Worksheet. Before bidding, please read the **Provisioning Contract, Instructions and Conditions, and Specifications** and thoroughly acquaint yourself with the project.

Submit all bids in a sealed envelope showing the Company Name, Bid Number, Opening Date, and Opening Time. Bids must reach the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Department, at the address listed above by the time and date listed above. Follow the Bidder Checklist to assist with ensuring a complete bid package.

A Bidders' Conference for the purpose of acquainting prospective bidders with the unique requirements of the Agency will be held on February 6, 2017 at 8:00AM via webinar. Webinar information will be posted at www.Super-Coop.org one week prior to the event. <u>Attendance is required – lack of recorded attendance will constitute bidder disqualification due to non-responsiveness.</u> Questions and answers from the webinar will be published in an Addendum released by 4:00PM on February 10, 2017.

If further clarification is needed, call Dr. Lynnelle Grumbles at the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency at (661) 295-1574 x103.

The undersigned hereby proposes at accordance with the terms, conditions,				s or	services	as	quoted	in
Company Name:								
Signed By:								
Printed Name of Signor above:								
Title:		Date:						
Mailing Address:					_			
City	State		Zip Code					
Phone Number	Fax Numb	ber						
E-Mail Address:								

#### Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency

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#### **Bidder Checklist (Page 1 of 2)**

This checklist is provided as a convenience to assist bidders in ensuring that a complete bid package is returned. It is not represented as being comprehensive and compliance therewith does not relieve the bidder of responsibility for compliance with any bid requirement which may not be mentioned specifically in this checklist. *Original documents are required.* Fax or email documents will not be accepted under any circumstances.

All of the listed items must be returned to constitute a complete bid package. Please *check the box and initial* in the appropriate column to signify compliance. All forms listed available at www.super-coop.org

Check ☑	Initials	Item
		A company representative attended the bidder's conference webinar.  Enter name of your company representative who attended bidder's conference webinar on February 6, 2017:
		Bidder checklist (this form): All items listed are checked, initialed, signed, and included in the complete bid package.  Return completed hard copy with initials.
		Request for Proposal signature page  Return completed hard copy with original signature. Return scanned copy of signed document on data storage device.
		Provisioning Contract  Return completed hard copy with original signature. Return scanned copy of signed document on data storage device.
		Questionnaire  Return completed hard copy with original signature. Return scanned copy of signed document on data storage device.
		Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility  Return completed hard copy with original signature.
		Certification Regarding Lobbying  Return completed hard copy with original signature.
		Disclosure of Lobbying Activities  Return completed hard copy with original signature.
		Noncollusion Affidavit to be Executed by Bidder and Submitted with Bid Return completed hard copy with original signature.

#### **Bidder Checklist (Page 2 of 2)**

Check ☑	Initials	Item
		Addendum A: Questions and Answers from Bidder's Conference Webinar This Addendum will be available at www.super-coop.org on February 10, 2017 and must be signed and dated as proof of receipt.  Return hard copy of last page with original signature.
		Information Submission Worksheet (MS Excel) Form available at www.super-coop.org Return completed hard copy with original signature. Return electronic copy in Excel format on data storage device.
		Valid SEPDS  Return hard copy and electronic copy on data storage device as indicated below.
		Data storage device containing completed Information Submission Worksheet in Excel format, valid SEPDS for all processed USDA Foods items submitted, scanned copy of signed Request for Proposal signature page, scanned copy of signed Provisioning Contract, and scanned copy of signed Questionnaire.  Return data storage device containing all requested files; data storage device will not be returned to sender.

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#### **INSTRUCTIONS AND CONDITIONS**

<u>PREPARATION OF RFPs:</u> RFP's must be submitted in ink or typewritten. All applicable information and prices must be shown on the *Information Submission Worksheet*. Signature on bids must be in ink to be considered acceptable. Prices should be stated in units specified herein. All forms must be signed by an authorized agent of the prospective vendor. A Bidder Checklist is included (pages 5-6) to assist bidders in ensuring that a complete bid package is returned.

- 1. <u>CO-OP LEAD AGENCY:</u> The Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency (Agency) is the Lead Agency and the representative for the Super Co-Op, a USDA Foods processing and commercial procurement cooperative. The Super Co-Op is comprised of 229 California recipient agencies eligible to receive and process USDA Foods. (See attachment with Super Co-Op member agencies.) For the 2017-18 school year, combined average daily participation for the Super Co-Op is over 1.3 million lunches per day representing over 234,436,000 Total Lunches Served (TLS) per school year, and approximately \$77.3 million in entitlement funding to purchase USDA Foods.
- 2. <u>BIDDERS CONFERENCE</u>: A Bidders' Conference for the purpose of acquainting prospective bidders with the unique requirements of the Agency and the Super Co-Op will be held on February 6, 2017 at 8:00 AM PT via webinar. Webinar information will be posted at www.Super-Coop.org one week prior to the event. <a href="Attendance is required">Attendance is required</a> lack of recorded attendance will constitute bidder disqualification due to non-responsiveness.
- **3.** ERRORS AND CORRECTIONS: No erasures permitted. Mistakes may be crossed out and corrections made adjacent and initialed in ink by person signing bid. Verify your bids before submission as they cannot be corrected after being opened or withdrawn until after the specified time period has elapsed.
- **4. FAILURE TO BID:** If you do not wish to bid on any item, please mark "no bid" on RFP Signature Page, sign and return the bid, otherwise your name may be removed from the bidder's mailing list.
- 5. ACCEPTANCE OF PROPOSALS: Awards will be made to multiple vendors as per Paragraph 13 of this document, based on the award criteria, unless otherwise specified on bid form. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids and to accept or reject any line items thereon and to make any combination of line item awards. Bids may be rejected on grounds of non-responsiveness or non-responsibility. Bids are subject to acceptance at any time within ninety (90) days after opening of same unless otherwise stipulated.
  - a. Each member of the cooperative reserves the right to purchase processed USDA Foods and commercial items from any or all approved vendors. Each member will make decisions based on the member agency's approved award criteria.
  - b. Once the proposals are accepted **no new items** and **no new vendors** will be included on the list of approved vendors and approved USDA Foods end products and commercial items.
- 6. <u>USDA FOODS END PRODUCT SALES REPORTS AND SALES VERIFICATION:</u> The Super Co-Op requires that all vendors receiving an award for USDA Foods diversion of product must submit USDA Foods End Product Sales Reports to the co-op administrator. These reports must be submitted on a daily basis, electronically through a third party clearinghouse (e.g., K12 Services or ProcessorLink) or through a format approved by the Co-op Administrator. Bids must include the name and phone number and email address of the person in your company that is responsible for the USDA Foods End Product Sales Report. Also, submit the name of company that does your USDA Foods End Product Sales Reports if you hire an outside firm to do this work. Submit the name and contact information for the company. Prior to bid award, the Co-Op administrator will contact each USDA Foods End Product Sales Report supplier to affirm that the information is available. Failure to provide USDA Foods End Product Sales Report information will result in the disqualification of the company and termination of the bid award.

- a. Vendor is fully responsible for reporting daily sales updates. These updates can be done through K12 Services, ProcessorLink or unique tracking website; however, all pertaining data must be in a format to automatically transfer to the Co-Op Administrator.
- b. Vendor is responsible for all costs for transmitting daily sales updates.
- c. Vendor is responsible to ensure all contracted distributors selling USDA Foods end products to Super Co-Op member districts transmit sales activity information daily, whether through written contract or other measures.
- d. On or before August 31, 2018, SY2017-18 final carry over pound balances by USDA Foods species will be reported to the Super Co-Op Administrator. This certification of final balances shall be deemed true and correct and no changes shall be made without written consent from the Agency.
- 7. FAILURE TO FULFILL CONTRACT: When any contractor or vendor shall fail to deliver any article or service or shall deliver any article or service which does not conform to the specifications, the Agency may, at its sole discretion, annul and set aside the contract entered into with said vendor or contractor, either in whole or in part, and make and enter into a new contract for the same items in such manner as seems to the Board of Directors to be to the best advantage of the Agency. Any failure for furnishing such articles or services by reason of the failure of the vendor or contractor, as above stated, shall be a liability against such vendor and his sureties. The Board of Directors reserves the right to cancel any articles or services which the successful bidder may be unable to furnish because of economic conditions, governmental regulations or other similar causes beyond the control of the bidder provided satisfactory proof is furnished to the Board or Directors, if requested. Failure to fulfill contract may result in bidder disqualification in subsequent year(s) due to non-responsible practices.
- **8. <u>BID SIGNATURES:</u>** All proposals must show the firm name and must be signed by a responsible officer or employee fully authorized to bind the organization to the terms and conditions herein. Obligations assumed by such signature must be fulfilled. All signatures must be original.
- 9. CANCELLATION FOR INSUFFICIENT OR NON-APPROPRIATED FUNDS: The bidder hereby agrees and acknowledges that monies utilized by the Agency and its member districts to purchase the items bid is public money appropriated by the State of California or acquired by the Agency and Districts from similar public sources and is subject to variation. The Agency fully reserves the right to cancel this bid at any time and/or to limit quantities of items due to non-availability or non-appropriation of sufficient funds and/or lack of availability of USDA Foods products.
- 10. <u>REQUIRED DELIVERY DATES:</u> Actual delivery of the USDA Foods end products and commercial equivalent food items shall be coordinated with the Agency or contractor designated by the Agency but shall not exceed the required delivery dates specified on the bid form for each particular product. The Agency, as a matter of bid non-responsiveness, shall reject all bids (regardless of price) that fail to indicate ability to deliver the product within the required time. Upon award of bid, Provisioner shall keep sufficient stocks of product and service material to insure prompt delivery and service schedules. Minimum quantities required in order for the Agency and Districts to place orders for needed items must be clearly indicated on the proposal forms.
- 11. <u>PAYMENT:</u> Prompt payment for USDA Foods end products and commercial equivalent food items may be requested after actual delivery of goods to the required destination as outlined in the conditions. Member districts are solely responsible for payment to processors and/or distributors for product ordered and delivered on their behalf.
- 12. <u>HOLD HARMLESS</u>: The vendor shall save, defend, hold harmless and indemnify the Agency and its members against any and all liability, claim, and costs of whatsoever kind and nature for injury to or death of any person and for loss or damage to any property occurring in connection with or in any way incident to or arising out of the occupancy, use, service, operations, or performance under the terms of this contract, resulting in whole or in part from the negligent acts or omissions of vendor, and subcontractor, or any employee, agent, or representative of vendor and/or subcontractor. Refer also to the Provisioning Contract.
- 13. <u>AWARD OF PROPOSAL:</u> Award of this bid shall be made by groups of line items to the responsible bidders who are fully responsive to the terms of this solicitation. Groups are clearly indicated on the Information Submission Worksheet and will be awarded based on the Award Criteria specified in paragraph 14 of this document. A bidder must be able to deliver the items within the required delivery date in order to be declared responsive to this bid.

The Agency will award each group to a primary vendor (approximately 75% of total usage) and a secondary vendor (approximately 25% of total usage). If there is no secondary bidder in a group, 100% of award will be made to a single vendor. The Agency reserves the right to make no award at all, and further reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularity or discrepancy associated with this bid. The following groups will be awarded:

Potato: Group 1 – Dehydrated

Group 2 – Frozen Group 3 – Sweets

Tomato: Group 1 – Ketchup

Group 2 - Marinara Sauce

Group 3 - Other

Cheese Portions & Shredded

Unsolicited items, services, or incentives offered as part of the bid response will NOT be evaluated or considered in the award process.

Vendors desiring to offer pricing on additional items not solicited in this RFP should respond to the Market Basket RFP No. 1702 released by this Agency on January 25, 2017.

14. EVALUATION CRITERIA: The award of this proposal shall be evaluated based on the following criteria:

Criteria	Percentage
Low Price – This indicator is calculated based on estimated quantities of line items in each group as indicated on information submission worksheet.	50%
Formula: Group Total of Estimated Quantity $\mathbf x$ FOB Distributor Truckload Quantity Portion Price	
Customer preference – This indicator is based on survey results from Super Co-Op member districts	40%
Responsible bidder – This indicator is based on manufacturer indication of ability to produce needed quantities	10%

- **15. PROPOSAL WITHDRAWAL**: Bid proposals may be withdrawn by the bidder prior to the time fixed for opening of the bids, and may not be withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) days after the opening of bids. A successful bidder shall not be relieved of the bid submitted without the consent of the Agency or bidders recourse to public Contract Code Sections 5100 et. seq.
- **16. SOLICITATION PROTEST PROCEDURES**: Consistent with Board Policy 3311(a) regarding Bids, bid protests will be conducted as per Administrative Regulation 3311(a) of the Board Policies, Regulations and Bylaws of the Board of Directors of the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency as follows:

"A bidder may protest a bid award if he/she believes that the award is not in compliance with law, Board policy, or the bid specifications. A protest must be filed in writing with the CEO or designee within five working days after receipt of notification of the contract award and shall include all documents supporting or justifying the protest. A bidder's failure to file the protest documents in a timely manner shall constitute a waiver of his/her right to protest the award of the contract.

The CEO or designee shall review the documents submitted with the bidder's claims and render a decision in writing within 30 working days. The CEO or designee may also convene a meeting with the bidder in order to attempt to resolve the problem.

The bidder may appeal the CEO or designee's decision to the Board. The CEO or designee shall provide reasonable notice to the bidder of the date and time for Board consideration of the protest. The Board's decision shall be final."

- 17. <u>WARRANTY/QUALITY</u>: The vendor, manufacturer, or his assigned agent shall guarantee the food products against all defects.
- **18. PRICING:** Prices quoted shall be for all Super Co-Op member districts (Attachment A), utilizing an approved Co-Op distributor.
- **19. PRICING TERM OF CONTRACT:** Minimum contract term is one (1) year. Quoted prices must stay in effect for one (1) year beginning on July 1, 2017.
- 20. FOB: All pricing is FOB delivered to the Super Co-Op approved USDA Foods distributor(s). All freight charges must be included in the bid price. Any minimum delivery amounts must be listed with the bid price. The vendor may also may provide plant direct pricing and bracket pricing based on full or partial truckload quantities. Please utilize the "Quantity" columns on the Information Submission Worksheet to be clear about minimum ship quantities to various locations. You may add additional lines as needed to be clear about bracket pricing.
- 21. <u>MULTI-YEAR EXTENSIONS:</u> Pursuant to California Education Code, Sections 17596 and 81644, this bid may be extended (by mutual consent expressed in writing) for up to two (2) additional one (1) year increments (total potential bid life of three (3) years from Board of Directors award).
- 22. NO MINIMUM OR MAXIMUM QUANTITIES, ORDER CHARGES, OR LIMITATIONS UPON NUMBER OF ORDERS: The Agency anticipates significant requirements for USDA Foods end products and commercial equivalents. The Agency, however, does not guarantee orders in these amounts nor shall the Agency be required to limit its orders to specific figures. Estimated annual quantities are indicated on the Information Submission Worksheet and based on prior year purchases of member districts. Bidders shall not specify minimum or maximum quantities or charges for order types, unless specifically allowed on the bid form. Unlimited orders within the term of the contract shall be allowed to the awarding Agency and its members at prices quoted. The estimated quantities listed on the Information Submission Worksheet are for the purposes of bid tabulation and manufacturer forecasting and not to be considered a promise to purchase.
- 23. <u>NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT</u>: Each bidder submitting a proposal shall execute and deliver a non-collusion affidavit in the form attached hereto. Failure to submit such non-collusion affidavit shall be grounds to reject a proposal as non-responsive.
- 24. "BUY AMERICAN" PROVISION: Section 104(d) of the William F. Goodling Child Nutrition Reauthorization Act of 1998 (Public Law 105-336) added a new provision, Section 12(n) of the NSLA (42 USC 1760(n)), requiring School Food Authorities to purchase domestically grown and processed foods, to the maximum extent practicable. Pursuant to 7 CFR Part 210.21(d), the definition of domestic commodity or product. In this paragraph (d), the term "domestic commodity or product" means -
  - (a) An agricultural commodity that is produced in the United States; and
  - (b) A food product that is processed in the United States substantially using agricultural commodities that are produced in the United States.

It is therefore required that bidders responding to this Request for Proposals indicate whether products offered on this proposal meet the definition of "domestic commodity or product" as stated immediately above. Indication shall be made in two locations as part of the response to this proposal:

- (1) Information Submission Worksheet (columns F and T)
- (2) Questionnaire (page 14)
- **25. SUMMARY END PRODUCT DATA SCHEDULES (SEPDS):** SEPDS forms for all processed USDA Foods products offered as response to this proposal shall be submitted as part of a complete proposal. Provisioner agrees to notify SCVSFSA and the Super Co-Op Administrator within 10 days of publication of updated forms.
- 26. <u>PIGGYBACK CLAUSE</u>: For the term of the Contract and any mutually agreed extensions pursuant to this request for proposal, at the option of the vendor and the Agency, member districts of the Super Co-Op may be added to or subtracted from this proposal. No additional entities are authorized to piggyback on this proposal unless specific permission is given in writing by the awarding Agency.

#### **Federal Nondiscrimination Statement**

In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA.

Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g. Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.), should contact the Agency (State or local) where they applied for benefits. Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at 800-877-8339. Additionally, program information may be made available in languages other than English.

To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form (AD-3027) (PDF) found online at the Filing a Discrimination Complaint as a USDA Customer Web page External link opens in new window or tab. and at any USDA office, or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call 866-632-9992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by:

mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights 1400 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; fax: 202-690-7442; or

email: program.intake@usda.gov.

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#### SPECIAL CONDITIONS - RFP No. 1703

- 1. A Bidders' Conference for the purpose of acquainting prospective bidders with the unique requirements of the Agency will be held on February 6, 2017 at 8:00 AM via webinar. Webinar information will be posted at www.Super-Coop.org one week prior to the event. Attendance is required lack of recorded attendance shall constitute bidder disqualification due to non-responsiveness. It is recommended that you attend the webinar at a desktop computer as the attendee who has questions will be required to type in the box provided on the screen. Questions and answers from the webinar will be published in "Addendum A," which will be released by 4:00PM on February 10, 2017 at www.supercoop.org. Addendum A must be downloaded, printed, the last page signed, and included with the RFP submission.
- 2. Award of this bid shall be made by groups of line items to the responsible bidders who are fully responsive to the terms of this solicitation. Groups are clearly indicated on the Information Submission Worksheet and will be awarded based on the Award Criteria specified in paragraph 16 of Instructions and Conditions. A bidder must be able to deliver the items within the required delivery date in order to be declared responsive to this bid.

The Agency will award each group in the Potato and Tomato categories to a primary vendor (approximately 75% of total usage) and a secondary vendor (approximately 25% of total usage). If there is no secondary bidder in a group, 100% of award will be made to a single vendor. A single vendor will be awarded the Cheese category. The Agency reserves the right to make no award at all, and further reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any irregularity or discrepancy associated with this bid.

Unsolicited services or incentives offered as part of the bid response will NOT be evaluated or considered in the award process.

- 3. Vendors are expected to examine specifications, schedules, and all instructions. Failure to do so will be at the vendor's risk.
- 4. All items quoted must meet specifications. When brand names are mentioned, they are to designate a level of quality. Do not quote items not meeting this level of quality.
- 5. Vendors must state the requested information on the proposal, in the designated columns of the first tab of the Information Submission Worksheet. Prices should be stated in units specified. *Instructions are on the last tab of the Worksheet.*
- 6. Required information will be provided in electronic format using the Super Co-Op's Information Submission Worksheet template (in MS Excel). Template is available at www.super-coop.org.
  - a. No bidder is allowed to make any additions or changes to the template columns; however, additional *rows* may be *added* as needed to accommodate additional information.
  - b. Items entered incorrectly will be disallowed from the RFP award.
- 7. Raw USDA Foods product shall be sent to the processor in full or partial truckload quantities. Processors will be notified of orders by the State of California and shipment delivery details should be addressed directly to the State. USDA Foods may also be held for pickup by the vendor at a site agreed upon by both the Co-Op member agency and the vendor. Please note that shipments may be adjusted throughout the year to meet member district needs.
- 8. The Agency, acting as Lead Agency for the Super Cooperative, owns all USDA Foods shipments. The vendor is responsible to track USDA Foods end product usage daily. Member districts should be billed directly for USDA Foods end products.

- 9. Price agreement shall be effective from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.
- 10. Each vendor must return the following documents as part of a complete bid packet:
  - a. Bidder Checklist, completed hard copy with initials, including name of company representative who attended mandatory bidder's conference webinar.
  - b. Request for Proposal Signature Page, completed hard copy with original signature. Scanned copy of completed form on data storage device.
  - c. Provisioning Contract, completed hard copy with original signature. Scanned copy of completed form on data storage device.
  - d. Questionnaire, completed hard copy with original signature. Scanned copy of completed form on data storage device.
  - e. A fully executed Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility form as required by Federal Regulation (7CFR 3017.110), completed hard copy with original signature.
  - f. A fully executed Certification Regarding Lobbying form, as required by U. S. Code Section 1352, Title 31, completed hard copy with original signature.
  - g. A fully executed Certification Regarding Lobbying Activities form as required by Federal Regulation (7CFR 3018.110), completed hard copy with original signature.
  - h. A fully executed Non-collusion Affidavit, as required by California Public Contract Code Section 7106, completed hard copy with original signature.
  - i. Information Submission Worksheet, completed hard copy with original signature, and electronic copy in MS Excel format on data storage device.
  - j. All related valid SEPDS, hard copy and electronic copy on same data storage device.

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#### **QUESTIONNAIRE (3 pages)**

1.	Is the submitted pricing the lowest available pricing in California for the same product directly delivered to a Recipient Agency (RA) or a distributor for a public agency?
2.	Are you willing and able to produce and deliver the estimated annual quantities of each item you provided pricing for on the Information Submission Worksheet?
3.	What Value Pass Through System (VPT) are you approved to use in California and will utilize to credit Super Co-Op member districts? Please select all applicable responses. If the VPT method varies by distributor, attach additional page outlining distributors and the VPT used by each.
	□ Rebate
	☐ Fee For Service
	□ Net off Invoice (NOI)
	□ Other
4.	Does your company have a system in place to inform RA's regarding USDA Foods balances:
	□ YES □ NO
	a. Please explain the system:
5	Are your SEPDS for 2017-18 approved by State of California? ☐ YES ☐ NO
٠.	a. If "NO," state expected date of approval:
c	
6.	
	Do all products offered on this proposal meet the definition of the Buy American Provision as defined in Paragraph 24 of the Instructions and Conditions?
	□ YES □ NO
	If "NO," indicate the items that are exceptions here, including item code and product description:
7.	Do you charge for the storage of bulk USDA Foods used in end products purchased from you?
	□ YES □ NO
	If yes, please specify duration and amounts. (Example: 0-180 days - free; 181-360 \$.10 cents per case per month.)

(Questionnaire, page 2 of 3) 8. Does your company "front load" (substitution of USDA Foods in advance of receipt)? USDA does not recommend this process and the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency and/or Super Co-Op cannot guarantee purchase or provision of USDA Foods; the Provisioner assumes risk and financial liability. ☐ YES If yes, list all applicable USDA Foods codes: 9. Does your company have a Hazard Analysis Critical Control Point (HACCP) program in effect at all production sites that would manufacture items sold under this contract? ☐ YES 10. Please list all distributor affiliations in California that deliver USDA Foods end products to Super Co-Op member districts. Attach additional pages if necessary: Company Name Contact Person Phone No. **Email 11.** USDA Foods End Product Sales Reports and Sales Verification: Person Responsible Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address If you utilize an outside firm to provide USDA Foods End Product Sales and Sales Distribution, please provide the following: Company Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Contact Phone Number \_\_\_ Email Address

(Questionnaire, page 3 of 3)

12. Name of Broker(s)		
Northern California		
Southern California		
I certify that the above is true and co	rrect to the best of my knowledge.	
Signed:(Original signal	ture of company authorized agent)	
Print Name:		
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Company Name:		
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# Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency Processed USDA Foods Products and Commercial Equivalents Of Potato, Tomato, and Cheese Products For Super Co-Op Member Districts RFP No. 1703

#### PROVISIONING CONTRACT

THIS PROVISIONING CONTRACT (this "Contract") is made and entered into as of this 22 <sup>nd</sup>	day of February,
2017, by and between	
("Provisioner"), and the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency (the "Agency"	').

#### RECITALS

- **A.** The Agency, on behalf of certain Public School Districts ("**Districts**") has solicited proposals for the provision and processing of USDA Foods end products and commercial equivalent food products via a Request for Proposal (the "RFP"), whereby the Agency or Districts may agree to purchase USDA Foods end products and commercial equivalent for the Agency's or District's use from the successful bidder(s).
- **B.** Provisioner are the successful bidders under such request for proposal, and the Agency, Districts and Provisioner hereby desire to set forth their agreement with respect to the sale to the Agency and Districts, and the purchase from Provisioner, of USDA Foods end products and commercial equivalent food products on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.
  - **NOW, THEREFORE,** for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Provisioner, Agency, and the Districts hereby agree as follows:
- 1. Provision of Food Products. Provisioner shall provide to the Agency, from time to time as ordered by the Agency or Districts or their successor or assign (the "Agency/District Contact Person") in accordance with the procedure described in <a href="Section 2">Section 2</a> below, food products as described in the <a href="Request for Proposals">Request for Proposals</a> information attached hereto. Provisioner hereby acknowledges and agrees that the Agency or Districts may deliver to Provisioner, from time to time, and Provisioner shall accept, certain USDA Foods end products obtained by the Agency or Districts under the Federal Food Distribution Program. To the extent that any such Agency and District food products are not needed for the immediate use of the Agency or District, subject to the terms and provisions of <a href="Section 3">Section 3</a> below, Provisioner shall be permitted to process such Agency or District food products and use the same for sale to third parties in connection with its normal business operations. Provisioner shall make available to every co-op member a product specification sheet about all the submitted products.
- 2. <u>Delivery of Food Products.</u> The Agency/District Contact Person shall order food products from time to time for delivery to a Co-Op's approved distributor with use of a Purchase Order. Provisioner shall deliver food products of the type, kind and quantity ordered in any such Purchase Order F.O.B. to a point of distribution designated by the Agency/District Contact Person from time to time. No additional charges other than contracted delivery price by distributors can be added to the total cost of the delivered product.
- **Price.** For USDA Foods end products, the Provisioner shall provide pricing for processed food commodities using any approved USDA system, such as NOI, rebate, fee for service, wing credits, or standard yields.
  - (1) The price shall be per case and the number of servings or units per case shall be as indicated by the Provisioner.
  - (2) For commercial equivalent food products, the Provisioner shall provide pricing based on case packaging, catalog, price list, or any other commonly recognized methodology that is standard in the industry.
  - (3) All quoted prices for USDA Foods end products and commercial equivalent food products are firm and any changes must be approved by the Agency. Any upward price deviations may result in canceling this contract.

- **4.** Rebates. When rebates are used as Value Pass Through (VPT) method, the provisioner shall rebate the member district directly by check, within 30 days of delivery of the product. If the value of the monthly rebate is less than \$25.00, the provisioner may rebate the member district quarterly. The provisioner must submit proof of rebate to the Co-Op Administrator by the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month following the issue of rebate.
- 5. USDA Foods End Product Sales Reports and Sales Verification: All Provisioners receiving an award for USDA Foods diversion of product must submit USDA Foods End Product Sales Reports to the Co-op Administrator. These reports must be submitted on a daily basis, electronically through a third party clearinghouse (e.g., K12 Services or ProcessorLink) or through a format approved by the Co-op Administrator. Bids must include the name and phone number and email address of the person in your company that is responsible for the USDA Foods End Product Sales Report. Also, submit the name of company that does your USDA Foods End Product Sales Reports if you hire an outside firm to do this work. Submit the name and contact information for the company. Prior to bid award, the Co-Op administrator will contact each USDA Foods End Product Sales Report supplier to affirm that the information is available. Failure to provide USDA Foods End Product Sales Report information will result in the disqualification or termination of the bid award.
  - a. Provisioner is fully responsible for reporting daily sales updates. These updates can be done through K12 Services, ProcessorLink or unique tracking website; however, all pertaining data must be able to be automatically transferred to the Co-Op administrator.
  - b. Provisioner is responsible for all costs for transmitting daily sales activity data.
  - c. Provisioner is responsible to ensure all contracted distributors selling USDA Foods end products to Super Co-Op member districts transmit sales activity information daily, whether through written contract or other measures.
- 6. Summary End Product Data Schedules (SEPDS). Valid SEPDS forms for all processed USDA Foods products offered as response to this proposal shall be submitted as part of a complete proposal. Provisioner agrees to notify SCVSFSA and the Super Co-Op Administrator within 10 days of publication of updated forms.
- 7. Term of Contract. This contract shall be valid from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018. However, upon mutual agreement of Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency and the Provisioner before the end of the contract period, the contract may be continued for an additional school year. The parties may agree each year to continue the contract on a yearly basis for up to a total of three one-year periods, including the 2019-2020 school year. Renewal may NOT include an increase in cost of goods. In the event of a general price decrease, the Agency reserves the right to revoke the bid award unless the decrease is passed on to the Agency and it members. If the contract is continued, new Member Districts may be added and current Member Districts may withdraw from the Super Cooperative. Withdrawing Member Districts shall terminate at the end of the school year (June 30). New districts may be added only by agreement between the Agency and Provisioner. Services to new districts shall commence at the beginning of the new school year (July 1).
- **8.** <u>Insurance.</u> Provisioner shall carry and maintain during the entire term of this Contract the following insurance coverage:
  - (1) Comprehensive General Liability Insurance for Combined Single Limit Bodily Injury and/or Property Damage of not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$5,000,000 aggregate. The policy(ies) so secured and maintained shall include, among other things, coverage for contractual or assumed liability, products liability, and owned, hired and non-owned automobiles insurance and shall be maintained with so self-insured retention;
  - (2) Workers' Compensation Insurance in such amounts as may be required by law; and
  - (3) Such other insurance as is customarily maintained by large-scale processors and distributors of food products of the type, quality and grade provided for under this Contract.
  - (4) Provisioner shall furnish to the Agency certificates of insurance, signed by an authorized representative of the insurance carrier no later than thirty (30) days after the Agency's board's approval of the Contract or prior to the first delivery of food products hereunder, whichever occurs first, which certificates shall be endorsed as follows:
    - i This policy shall not be suspended, cancelled, reduced in coverage or required limits of liability or amounts of insurance or non-renewed until notice has been mailed to the Agency. Date of

- suspension, cancellation, reduction or non-renewal may not be less than thirty (30) days after the date of mailing such notice. The insurance afforded by this policy is primary and any other insurance carried by the Agency with respect to the matters covered by such policy shall be excess and non-contributing.
- The certificates of insurance and insurance policies required under this Contract shall name the Agency and the other District indemnities named in the Request for Proposals as additional insured. Facsimile or reproduced signatures are not acceptable. If complete and proper insurance certificates as required hereunder are not delivered to the Agency within the time period provided in subsection (4) above, the Agency may declare the Contract unexecuted and void. The Agency reserves the right to require complete certified copies of the required insurance policies.
- iii The insurance companies providing the insurance required under this Contract shall be subject to the Agency's prior written approval, which shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- iv If Provisioner fails to purchase and maintain any insurance required under this Section, the Agency may, but shall not be obligated to, upon five (5) days' written notice to Provisioner, purchase such insurance on behalf of Provisioner and shall be entitled to be reimbursed by Provisioner promptly thereafter or deduct the amount of such premiums from amounts otherwise due to Provisioner hereunder. Any amounts expended by the Agency hereunder shall bear interest from the date expended until repaid to the Agency at the rate of ten percent (10%) per annum.
- 9. <u>Indemnification.</u> Provisioner shall hold harmless, indemnify and defend (with counsel acceptable to the Agency) the Agency, the Districts, their boards, directors, employees, agents and consultants from and against any and all obligations, liabilities, claims, losses, damages, costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees and costs) arising from or in connection with (a) any defects in the food products, (b) Provisioner's conduct or negligent, willful or improper procedures in connection with the discharge of its responsibilities and obligations hereunder (including, without limitation, the processing of food products) or any other negligent behavior or willful misconduct of Provisioner, or (c) any breach or default by Provisioner under this Contract. The terms and provisions of this Section shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Contract.
- 10. Default Remedies. The delivery of defective products, or the breach of any other term or provision of this Contract by Provisioner, shall constitute a "Default" of Provisioner hereunder. Provisioner shall have seven (7) days after delivery of notice of any Default from the Agency to cure any such Default, other than a Default relating to the delivery of defective products. No cure period shall be provided Provisioner with respect to any Default relating to the delivery of defective products. If Provisioner fails to cure the Default within the aforementioned cure period (or the Default relates to the delivery of defective products for which no cure period applies), the Agency may, without prejudice to any other right or remedy of the Agency, elect to terminate this Contract by delivery of a written termination notice to Provisioner. Immediately upon the delivery of such termination notice, this Contract shall be terminated and all rights and obligations of the parties hereunder, except those that expressly survive the termination of this Contract, shall terminate and be of no further force or effect. In addition to the right to terminate the Contract pursuant in the preceding sentence, the Agency may pursue any other right or remedy that may be available to it at law or in equity. which may include an action for damages measured by all additional costs and expenses incurred by the Agency or the Districts to procure food products from other sources for the remaining term of this Contract (including, without limitation, the difference between the price charged by such other sources for the food products and the price that would have been charged for the same or similar food products hereunder).
- 11. Provisions Required by Law. Each and every provision of law and clause required to be inserted into this Contract shall be deemed to be inserted herein and this Contract shall be read and enforced as though it were included herein, and if through mistake or otherwise any such provision is not inserted or is not inserted correctly, then upon application of either party this Contract shall forthwith be physically amended to make such insertion or correction.
- 12. <u>Due Authorization.</u> This Contract is duly authorized, executed and delivered by Provisioner, is the legal, valid and binding obligation of Provisioner enforceable against Provisioner in accordance with its terms (except to the extent that such enforcement may be limited by applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, moratorium and other principles relating to or limiting the rights of contracting parties generally), and does not and will not violate any provisions of any agreement to which Provisioner is a party or may become a party or to which is it subject or may become subject. Each individual and entity executing this Contract hereby represents and warrants that he, she or it has the capacity set forth on the signature page hereof

- with full power and authority to bind the party on whose behalf he, she or it is executing this Contract to the terms and provisions hereof.
- **13.** <u>Assignment.</u> Provisioner shall not assign or transfer, by operation of law or otherwise, any or all of its rights, burdens, duties or obligations under this Contract (or any part hereof) without the prior written consent of the Agency, which may be granted or withheld in the Agency's sole and absolute discretion.
- 14. Notices. All notices, requests, demands, consents, instructions or other communications hereunder shall be in writing (which shall include telex, telegram or telecopy) and shall be deemed to have been duly given or made upon transmittal thereof by telex, answer back received, if transmitted on a business day, otherwise on the first business day after transmittal, or on the date of confirmed dispatch if sent by telecopy on a business day, otherwise on the first business day thereafter, or upon the delivery thereof to the telegraph office if sent by telegraph on a business day, otherwise on the first business day thereafter, or three (3) business days after deposit in the mail if sent by certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested, or on the next business day if sent by overnight personal delivery, in each case addressed to the party to which such notice is requested or permitted to be given or made hereunder, at the addresses and facsimile numbers set forth underneath such party's signature line to this Contract, or at such other address and/or facsimile number of which such party shall have notified in writing the party giving such notice. For purpose of this Contract, the term "business day" shall mean a day other that a Saturday, Sunday or any day on which the Agency is authorized or required by law to be closed.
- 15. Attorneys' Fees. In the event of any dispute between the Agency, Districts, and Provisioner pertaining to this Contract or the services or products provided for hereunder, the prevailing party (as determined by the court or arbitrator in any such action) shall be entitled to recover from the other party its reasonable attorneys' fees, costs and expenses incurred in connection therewith. The term "attorneys' fees" or "attorneys' fees and costs" shall mean the fees and expenses of counsel to the parties hereto, which may include printing, photo-stating, duplicating and other expenses, air freight charges, and fees billed for law clerks, paralegals and other persons not admitted to the bar but performing services under the supervision of an attorney, and the costs and fees incurred in connection with the enforcement or collection of any judgment obtained in any such proceeding. The terms and provisions of this Section shall survive the expiration or earlier termination of this Contract.
- **16.** <u>Waiver.</u> No action or failure to act by the Agency or any Agency or District representative shall constitute a waiver of a right or duty afforded them under this Contract, nor shall such action or failure to act constitute approval of, or acquiescence in, a breach there under, except as may be specifically agreed in writing.
- 17. Entire Agreement: Amendments. This Contract and all documents comprising the RFP constitute the entire and integrated agreement between the parties hereto with respect to the matters set forth therein and supersede all prior negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. The documents comprising the RFP are hereby incorporated into this Contract and made a part hereof. The Contract may be amended or modified only by a writing executed by both parties hereto.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** this Contract has been duly executed by the above-named parties, on the day and year first above written.

AGENCY:	PROVISIONER:
Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency	
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Signature	Signature of Company Authorized Agent
By: <u>Dr. Lynnelle Grumbles</u> Print Name	Print Name
Its (Title): Chief Executive Officer	Its (Title):
Address:	Mailing Address:
Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency Attn. Dr. Lynnelle Grumbles 25210 Anza Drive Santa Clarita, CA 91355 Phone: (661) 295-1574 x103	
	Phone No.:
	Fax No.:
	E-mail:

#### U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

#### <u>Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility</u>

and Voluntary Exclusion – Lower Tier Covered Transactions

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension, 7 CFR Part 3017, Section 3017.510, Participants' responsibilities. The regulations were published as Part IV of the January 30, 1989, Federal Register (pages 4722-4733). Copies of the regulations may be obtained by contacting the Department of Agriculture agency with which this transaction originated.

#### (BEFORE COMPLETING CERTIFICATION, READ ATTACHED INSTRUCTIONS)

- (1) The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- (2) Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

	RFP No. 1703	
Organization Name	PR/Award Number or Project Name	
Name and Title of Authorized R	epresentative	
Signature	Date	

#### **INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION**

- 1. By signing and submitting this form, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out on the reverse side in accordance with these instructions.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representative of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective lower tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the person to whom this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective lower tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Order 12549. You may contact the person to which this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations.
- 5. The prospective lower tier participant agrees by submitting this form that , should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this form that it will include this clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the Non-procurement List.
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the Federal Government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

#### CERTIFICATION REGARDING LOBBYING

**INSTRUCTIONS:** To be completed and submitted <u>ANNUALLY</u> by 1) any child nutrition entity receiving Federal reimbursement in excess of \$100,000 per year and 2) potential or existing contractors/vendors as part of an original bid, contract renewal or extension when the contract exceeds \$100,000.

#### Applicable to Grants, Sub-grants, Cooperative Agreements, and Contracts

Exceeding \$100,000 in Federal Funds

Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction and is imposed by section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. 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.

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 a Federal contract, the making of a Federal grant, the making of a Federal loan, the entering into a cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of a 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 grant 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 covered sub-awards exceeding \$100,000 in Federal funds at all appropriate tiers and that all sub-recipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

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### NONCOLLUSION AFFIDAVIT TO BE EXECUTED BY BIDDER AND SUBMITTED WITH BID

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(Date)	(Signature)

### Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency 25210 Anza Drive, Santa Clarita, CA 91355

#### Code of Ethics and Conduct for Employees Engaged in Award and Administration of Contracts

#### Background

This document is intended to provide guidance to employees of the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency (SCVSFSA) that are engaged in the award and administration of contracts and other conduct related to procurement of goods and services. 7 CFR 3016.36(b)(3) and 3019.42, require entities receiving federal funds to develop and implement a written code of conduct designed to govern the performance of employees engaged in procurement. SCVSFSA Board Policy 9270 outlines additional conflict of interest requirements under the California Political Reform Act. This document will summarize these requirements and provide guidance for SCVSFSA employees.

#### SCVSFSA Board Policy

SCVSFSA Board Policy 9270 requires that employee shall not make, participate in making, or in any way use or attempt to use his/her official position to influence a governmental decision in which he/she knows or has reason to know that he/she has a disqualifying conflict of interest. A conflict of interest exists if the decision will have a "reasonably foreseeable material financial effect" on one or more of the Board member's or designated employee's "economic interests," unless the effect is indistinguishable from the effect on the public generally or the Board member's or designated employee's participation is legally required. (Government Code 87100, 87101, 87103; 2 CCR 18700-18709)

Board members, employees, or SCVSFSA consultants shall not be financially interested in any contract made by the Board on behalf of SCVSFSA, including in the development, preliminary discussions, negotiations, compromises, planning, reasoning, and specifications and solicitations for bids. If a Board member has such a financial interest, the SCVSFSA is barred from entering into the contract. (Government Code 1090; Klistoff v. Superior Court, (2007) 157 Cal.App. 4th 469) Board members and designated employees may accept gifts only under the conditions and limitations specified in Government Code 89503 and 2 CCR 18730.

The limitation on gifts does not apply to wedding gifts and gifts exchanged between individuals on birthdays, holidays, and other similar occasions, provided that the gifts exchanged are not substantially disproportionate in value. (Government Code 89503)

Gifts of travel and related lodging and subsistence shall be subject to the current gift limitation except as described in Government Code 89506.

A gift of travel does not include travel provided by SCVSFSA for Board members and designated employees. (Government Code 89506)

#### Acceptance of Gifts by SCVSFSA Personnel

Employees of the SCVSFSA are prohibited from soliciting gifts, travel packages, and other incentives from current or prospective contractors for personal use.

"Gifts" are considered an item or items purchased specifically for an individual that is not generally offered to other business interests.

Employees shall not expect or accept gifts as a condition for providing services to the Agency.

Employees may not accept gratuities, compensation, or gifts of any kind in excess of \$50.00 per occasion, or \$460.00 per year from any one source, expressly from current or prospective contractors, for personal use. Any gifts with value of \$50.00 or more shall be immediately reported to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO).

This does not prohibit employees from accepting unsolicited gifts of a nominal value such as promotional items (e.g., calendars, notebooks, pens, or gadgets) that are offered to all as part of their marketing program.

This does not restrict the acceptance of gifts or tokens of minimal value delivered in recognition or appreciation of service from sources other than current or prospective contractors.

Agency staff is expected to exercise sound professional judgement in the acceptance of gifts.

Failure to comply with the above policy shall be brought to the attention of the CEO. Investigation and appropriate disciplinary action will be taken depending on the severity of the violation, in accordance with state and federal Codes.

This policy shall be distributed to designated staff on an annual basis.

<u>Date of Approval: June 16, 2015</u> Santa Clarita Valley School Food Service Agency Board of Directors

#### **Attachment A**

### SY 2017-18 Estimated TLS and Entitlement List Super Cooperative

Agency	TLS**	Entitlement*	
ABC Unified School District	1,994,520	\$658,192	_
Acalanes Union High School District	131,990	\$43,557	
Alameda Unified School District	455,023	\$150,158	
Albany City Unified School District	197,962	\$65,327	
Alhambra Unified School District	1,456,151	\$480,530	
Alta Loma Elementary School District	475,042	\$156,764	
Alview-Dairyland Union Elementary School District	49,913	\$16,471	
Alvord Unified School District	2,265,338	\$747,562	
Anaheim Union High School District	4,989,154	\$1,646,421	
Antioch Unified School District	1,701,133	\$561,374	
Arcadia Unified School District	469,230	\$154,846	
Armona Union Elementary School District	152,022	\$50,167	
Aromas-San Juan Unified School District	126,981	\$41,904	
Atwater Elementary School District	706,280	\$233,072	
Azusa Unified School District	1,172,387	\$386,888	
Baldwin Park Unified School District	1,944,403	\$641,653	
Banning Unified School District	607,235	\$200,388	
Barstow Unified School District	704,265	\$232,407	NEW
Bass Lake Joint Union Elementary School District	69,185	\$22,831	
Bassett Unified School District	527,015	\$173,915	
Bear Valley Unified School District	226,063	\$74,601	
Beaumont Unified School District	891,705	\$294,263	
Bellflower Unified School District	1,133,334	\$374,000	
Bonita Unified School District	556,888	\$183,773	
Brea-Olinda Unified School District	464,593	\$153,316	
Brentwood Union Elementary School District	516,993	\$170,608	
Brittan Elementary School District	48,241	\$15,920	
Buckeye Union Elementary School District	253,161	\$83,543	
Buena Park Elementary School District	667,499	\$220,275	
Burbank Unified School District	718,742	\$237,185	
Byron Union Elementary School District	111,783	\$36,888	
Castro Valley Unified School District	456,991	\$150,807	
Central Unified School District	1,884,561	\$621,905	
Central Union Elementary School District	209,716	\$69,206	
Centralia Elementary School District	489,590	\$161,565	
Ceres Unified School District	1,797,210	\$593,079	
Chaffey Joint Union High School District	1,823,287	\$601,685	
Charter Oak Unified School District	448,818	\$148,110	
Chino Valley Unified School District	2,000,500	\$660,165	
Chowchilla Elementary School District	472,441	\$155,906	NEW
Chowchilla Union High School District	79,954	\$26,385	
Claremont Unified School District	527,847	\$174,190	

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Clovis Unified School District	3,155,004	\$1,041,151	_
Coachella Valley Unified School District	2,723,275	\$898,681	
Coalinga-Huron Unified School District	432,307	\$142,661	
Coast Unified School District	56,023	\$18,488	
Colton Joint Unified School District	2,892,988	\$954,686	
Compton Unified School District	3,005,294	\$991,747	
Corcoran Joint Unified School District	373,125	\$123,131	
Corning Union Elementary School District	310,936	\$102,609	
Corona-Norco Unified School District	4,292,839	\$1,416,637	
Covina Valley Unified School District	1,297,524	\$428,183	
Cucamonga Elementary School District	303,383	\$100,116	
Culver City Unified School District	491,832	\$162,305	
Cupertino Union School District	693,614	\$228,893	
Cutler-Orosi Joint Unified School District	578,437	\$190,884	
Cypress Elementary School District	410,998	\$135,629	
Dinuba Unified School District	743,315	\$245,294	
Dixon Unified School District	264,105	\$87,155	
Downey Unified School District	2,574,464	\$849,573	
Duarte Unified School District	477,582	\$157,602	
East Nicolaus Joint Union High School District	22,863	\$7,545	
East Whittier City Elementary School District	935,409	\$308,685	
El Monte City School District	1,293,985	\$427,015	
El Monte Union High School District	1,152,167	\$380,215	
El Rancho Unified School District	814,677	\$268,843	
El Segundo Unified School District	128,185	\$42,301	
Escondido Union High School District	552,250	\$182,243	
Exeter Union School District	226,328	\$74,688	
Fontana Unified School District	5,122,626	\$1,690,467	
Fowler Unified School District	291,847	\$96,310	
Fremont Unified School District	1,333,697	\$440,120	
Fullerton Elementary School District	1,207,264	\$398,397	
Garvey Elementary School District	863,246	\$284,871	
Glendora Unified School District	380,545	\$125,580	
Golden Plains Unified School District	290,946	\$96,012	
Golden Valley Unified School District	114,185	\$37,681	
Granada Hills Charter High School	286,522	\$94,552	
Greenfield Union School District	527,723	\$174,149	NEW
Hacienda La Puente Unified School District	2,315,330	\$764,059	
Hamilton Unified School District	86,763	\$28,632	
Hanford Elementary School District	725,875	\$239,539	
Hemet Unified School District	2,663,434	\$878,933	
Hesperia Unified School District	2,364,674	\$780,342	
Hickman Community Charter School District	44,255	\$14,604	
Hollister School District	574,350	\$189,536	
Hueneme Elementary School District	1,067,316	\$352,214	
Huntington Beach Union High School District	724,787	\$239,180	
Irvine Unified School District	1,238,514	\$408,710	
Jurupa Unified School District	2,001,114	\$660,368	
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Kerman Unified School District	549,983	\$181,494
Kern High School District	2,774,886	\$915,712
King City Union School District	301,302	\$99,430
King Canyon Joint Unified School District	1,326,409	\$437,715
Kings River Hardwick Union Elementary School District	57,358	\$18,928
Kingsburg Elementary Charter School District	221,221	\$73,003
La Habra City Elementary School District	541,881	\$178,821
Lake Elsinore Unified School District	2,212,095	\$729,991
Las Virgenes Unified School District	237,690	\$78,438
Laton Joint Unified School District	97,821	\$32,281
Lemon Grove School District	498,721	\$164,578
Lemoore Union Elementary School District	455,968	\$150,469
Lemoore Union High School District	92,461	\$30,512
Lindsay Unified School District	661,110	\$218,166
Little Lake City School District	567,280	\$187,202
Live Oak Elementary School District	144,419	\$47,658
Lodi Unified School District	3,404,331	\$1,123,429
Lompoc Unified School District	834,518	\$275,391
Los Alamitos Unified School District	525,928	\$173,556
Los Banos Unified School District	1,215,806	\$401,216
Lowell Joint School District	229,797	\$75,833
Lynwood Unified School District	2,019,725	\$666,509
Madera Unified School District	2,555,547	\$843,331
Magnolia Elementary School District	1,040,678	\$343,424
Marcum Illinois Union Elementary School District	19,144	\$6,318
Mariposa County Unified School District	121,549	\$40,111
McSwain Union Elementary School District	75,260	\$24,836
Mendota Unified School District	453,058	\$149,509
Menifee Union Elementary School District	664,326	\$219,228
Merced Union High School District	937,870	\$309,497
Monrovia Unified School District	553,308	\$182,592
Monson Sultana Joint Union Elementary School District	75,992	\$25,077
Monterey Peninsula Unified School District	848,235	\$279,918
Moorpark Unified School District	347,828	\$114,783
Moreno Valley Unified School District	3,974,133	\$1,311,464
Morgan Hill School District	522,886	\$172,552
Morongo Unified School District	800,313	\$264,103
Mountain View Elementary School District	1,256,083	\$414,507
Mountain View School District	244,068	\$80,542
Mt. Diablo Unified School District	2,312,148	\$763,009
Murrieta Valley Unified School District	1,190,712	\$392,935
Natamos Unified School District	1,215,089	\$400,979
National School District	975,422	\$321,889
Newport-Mesa Unified School District	1,746,275	\$576,271
Norwalk-La Mirada Unified School District	2,182,643	\$720,272
North County Jt Union School District	65,334	\$21,560
Novato Unified School District	380,429	\$125,542
Oak Park Unified School District	73,890	\$24,384

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Ocean View School District	564,187	\$186,182	•
Ojai Unified School District	146,651	\$48,395	
Orange County Department of Education	67,241	\$22,190	
Orange Unified School District	1,706,665	\$563,199	
Orcutt Union Elementary School District	454,133	\$149,864	
Oro Grande Elementary School District	179,273	\$59,160	
Oroville Union High School District	154,041	\$50,834	
Oxnard School District	2,162,658	\$713,677	
Oxnard Union High School District	1,003,376	\$331,114	
Pajaro Valley Unified School District	1,844,250	\$608,603	
Palm Springs Unified School District	2,640,049	\$871,216	
Palo Verde Unified School District	343,982	\$113,514	
Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District	418,038	\$137,953	NEW
Paradise Unified School District	354,274	\$116,910	
Parlier Unified School District	481,979	\$159,053	
Pasadena Unified School District	1,702,169	\$561,716	
Paso Robles Joint Unified School District	383,203	\$126,457	
Perris Elementary School District	1,050,767	\$346,753	
Perris Union High School District	938,152	\$309,590	
Petaluma Joint Union High School District	348,066	\$114,862	
Pioneer Elementary School District	140,271	\$46,289	
Pixley Union School District	181,823	\$60,002	
Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District	1,615,156	\$533,001	
Placerville Union Elementary School District	120,328	\$39,708	
Plumas Lake Elementary School District	112,848	\$37,240	
Pomona Unified School District	3,228,838	\$1,065,517	
Porterville Unified School District	1,650,955	\$544,815	
Red Bluff Union Elementary School District	278,560	\$91,925	
Redondo Beach Unified School District	491,665	\$162,249	
Reef Sunset Unified School District	418,779	\$138,197	
Rescue Union Elementary School District	219,363	\$72,390	
Rialto Unified School District	3,587,982	\$1,184,034	
Riverdale Joint Unified School District	244,652	\$80,735	
Riverside Unified School District	4,625,280	\$1,526,342	
Romoland Elementary School District	461,727	\$152,370	
Rosemead Elementary School District	390,337	\$128,811	
Roseville Joint Union High School District	665,380	\$219,575	
Rowland Unified School District	1,763,014	\$581,795	
Saddleback Valley Unified School District	1,384,762	\$456,971	
Salinas City Elementary School District	1,201,071	\$396,353	
San Benito High School District	136,753	\$45,128	
San Bernardino City Unified School District	6,424,867	\$2,120,206	
San Gabriel Unified School District	535,513	\$176,719	
San Juan Unified School District	3,026,468	\$998,734	
San Lorenzo Unified School District	1,356,442	\$447,626	
San Luis Coastal Unified School District	393,638	\$129,901	
San Marino Unified School District	114,382	\$37,746	
San Mateo-Foster City School District	590,224	\$194,774	

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San Rafael City Elementary School District	516,510	\$170,448	
Sanger Unified School District	1,382,259	\$456,145	
Santa Ana Unified School District	7,966,280	\$2,628,872	
Santa Clara County Probation Department	50,823	\$16,772	
Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency	1,863,729	\$615,031	
Santa Cruz City Elementary School District	322,854	\$106,542	
Santa Maria-Bonita School District	2,434,515	\$803,390	
Santa Monica-Malibu Unified School District	574,346	\$189,534	
Selma Unified School District	821,373	\$271,053	
Sierra Unified School District	106,160	\$35,033	
Simi Valley Unified School District	1,217,318	\$401,715	
Sonoma Valley Unified School District	348,161	\$114,893	
South Bay Union School District	1,194,403	\$394,153	
South Pasadena Unified School District	312,785	\$103,219	
South San Francisco Unified School District	583,998	\$192,719	
South Whittier Elementary School District	440,130	\$145,243	
Sweetwater Union High School District	2,395,001	\$790,350	
Temecula Valley School District	1,396,254	\$460,764	
Temple City Unified School District	556,487	\$183,641	
Thermalito Union Elementary School District	229,553	\$75,752	
Tipton Elementary School District	101,474	\$33,486	NEW
Torrance Unified School District	1,456,377	\$480,604	
Tracy Joint Unified School District	1,209,811	\$399,238	
Tulare City School District	1,278,687	\$421,967	
Tulare Joint Union High School District	416,221	\$137,353	
Tustin Unified School District	1,466,354	\$483,897	
Upland Unified School District	894,701	\$295,251	
Val Verde Unified School District	2,360,572	\$778,989	
Ventura Unified School District	1,340,957	\$442,516	NEW
Victor Valley Union High School District	962,627	\$317,667	
Vista Unified School District	2,333,650	\$770,105	NEW
Visalia Unified School District	2,513,864	\$829,575	
Walnut Valley Unified School District	1,096,052	\$361,697	
Washington Unified School District	838,758	\$276,790	
West Covina Unified School District	1,144,712	\$377,755	
Westminster School District	1,292,622	\$426,565	
Whittier City Elementary School District	638,461	\$210,692	
Whittier Union High School District	814,056	\$268,638	
Woodlake Unified School District	331,319	\$109,335	
Yosemite Union School District	135,535	\$44,727	
Yucaipa Calimesa Joint Unified School District	786,214	\$259,451	
	234,436,193	\$77,363,944	

<sup>\*</sup>Entitlement based on \$0.33

<sup>\*\*</sup>TLS is annual Total Lunches Served