

Sioux Falls School District Informal Request for Quotation

Global Data Synchronization Network Software Service

February 9, 2024

This request for quotation will seek to award a software service vendor that offers the Sioux Falls School District (SFSD) the ability to connect to K-12 specific and general food service product data in the Global Data Synchronization Network (GDSN) through an online software platform.

The desired subscription service product information features include the following:

- General Product Information: Product names, brand names, product codes (including GTINs), product images, preparation instructions.
- Nutrient Information: All nutrients available on the nutrition facts label along with the serving size.
- Child Nutrition Program Meal Pattern Credits: Meal Components, CN Labels, or Product Formulation Statements.
- Allergens and Dietary Flags: Big nine allergens including sesame, and dietary flags such as kosher, vegan, vegetarian, halal, etc.
- Procurement Information: Pack size, net weight, drained weight, servings per pack, country of origin, and other information available that help streamline forecasting and procurement activities.
- Data Quality Checks: Subscription software service includes quality control checks for complete product information prior to publishing.

The desired subscription software features include the following:

- Number of products in database
- Manufacturer Publications: not crowd sourced
- Regularly scheduled dynamic updates to product information
- Inclusion of exclusive brand products
- Integration of distributor catalogs
- Data matching and quality control functionality
- Data exchange with back-of-the-house software (SFSD utilizes Mosaic)

Note: Responsive/Responsible Bidders may be required to provide a product demonstration.

Please submit the attached quotation sheet by February 23, 2024 to:

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Due Date: February, 23, 2024

Software name: _____

Software Checklist: Please complete the checklist and add comments as needed.

Features	Yes	No	Describe
General Product Information			
Nutrient Information			
CNP Meal Pattern Credits			
Allergens and Dietary Flags			
Procurement Information			
Data Quality Checks			
Number of products in database			
Manufacturer Publications			
Regularly scheduled updates			
Exclusive brands			
Distributor integration			
Data matching/quality control			
Data exchange			

Annual subscription fee: _____

Initial set-up and training: _____

Signature: _____

Title: _____

Company Name: _____

Date: _____