Fowlerville Community Schools

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Pizza RFQ

Date of Request: 6/13/2025 for 2025-2026 school year with option to renew yearly for up to 4 years.

Quotes Due: 7/11/2025

Name of Product, Goods or Services Requested:

Fowlerville Community Schools, Food & Nutrition Services, is looking for a pizza company to provide 7" fresh personal pizzas to Fowlerville High School & Fowlerville Jr. High that are on par with restaurant quality pizza. Fowlerville High School/Fowlerville Jr. High will have 3 30-minute lunches and plans to serve about 200 pizzas per day, per building. Fowlerville High School/Fowlerville Jr. High's first day of school is August 25, 2025.

Special Conditions:

Pizza must be whole grain rich and compliant with 6-12 grade group NSLP guidelines providing at least 2 Meat/Meat Alternatives and 2 Oz. Equivalent Grain. Complete proposals must include all recipes and nutritional information.

We are requesting that the pizza company work with our current equipment as much as possible and only quote the upfront cost of any additional equipment needed for the program. Fowlerville High School/Fowlerville Jr. High has a TurboChef ventless conveyor 2620 oven and multiple Hatco drop in heated shelves as well as multiple 7" pizza pans. Pizzas must come with a personal sized pizza box and additional marketing as requested. Although we understand marketing is an important piece of most programs, Fowlerville Community Schools Food & Nutrition Department has the final say of what promotional products are or are not posted.

Evaluation:

Proposals will be evaluated in five categories. Please give detailed responses to the questions below. Points will be awarded based on the ability to best fit the needs of Fowlerville Community Schools Food & Nutrition Department. Maximum number of points available in each category is listed in the table below.

Submissions of Proposal:

All proposals and signed attachments must be received by 10:00 AM on July 11, 2025. Send printed proposals to 7677 W Sharpe Rd Fowlerville MI 48836 or electronic proposals to <u>verhellesmitha@fowlervilleschools.org.</u> It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure bid has been received by the school district by the appropriate date and time.

Please contact Amy Verhelle-Smith at <u>verhellesmitha@fowlervilleschools.org</u> with any questions regarding the requirements, specifications, or terms and conditions in this solicitation.

AWARDING OF THE CONTRACT WILL BE ON July 11, 2025. Please note that award is pending Board Approval.

Vendor's	Information

Company's Name:
Average Food Cost/Individual Pizza:
Equipment Needed & Quote:
Training Program Explanation (including dates):
Ordering Process:

RFP Evaluation Scoring Worksheet

Factor	Maximum	Supplier	
	Rating		
Food/Box Cost per Slice	25		
Equipment Quote	25		
Training Availability	20		
Ease of Ordering	20		
Marketing	10		

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