SANTA CLARITA VALLEY SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES AGENCY

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May 16, 2017

Mr. Sean C. Leer, CEO Gold Star Foods 3781 East Airport Drive P. O. Box 4328 Ontario, CA 91761

Re: RFP No. 1704 – Distribution of Processed USDA Foods and Commercial Food Products for Super Co-Op Member Districts

Dear Sean,

On Friday, May 5, 2017, responses to RFP No. 1704 – Distribution of Processed USDA Foods and Commercial Food Products were received and opened by the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency for the period of July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018. Three Proposals were received and have been reviewed and considered by the Agency. Approximately 20 individuals from participating Member Districts participated in the proposal consideration. Gold Star Foods received 75.9 points (80 possible) on Part 1 of the award, which required a minimum of 60 points to advance to Part 2. Gold Star Foods was low bidder on Part 2 for all regions. I am pleased to inform you that your company has been awarded all seven regions for the coming year. The Board of Directors of the Agency approved the award and the attached Provisioning Contract today, May 16, 2017. Participating Member Districts are being notified of the award today and each District will be in contact with you to complete a separate Provisioning Contract with the respective pricing information based on your bid proposal.

I want to remind you about the "Buy American Provision" in Paragraph 26 of the RFP document which defines the provision and requirements of the successful bidder on this proposal to inform Member Districts of products sold under this proposal that DO NOT meet the definition of "domestic commodity or product" pursuant to 7 CFR Part 210.21(d). Member Districts shall be informed of non-compliant products at the time of order.

Please sign and return one original copy of the attached Provisioning Contract. On behalf of the Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency and the participating Member Districts of the Super Co-Op, thank you for submitting a proposal. We appreciate the business relationship we have with your company, and your willingness to work with us to provide good nutrition to the children of the Santa Clarita Valley.

Sincerely,

Dr. Lynnelle Grumbles, RDN, SNS Chief Administrative Officer

Santa Clarita Valley School Food Services Agency