

BID #	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
	CONTRACT RENEWALS	
3576	ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTION SERVICE	\$225,000.00 (not to exceed)
	EBSCO Information Services Westminster, CO	

TO: The Board of Trustees

FROM: District President H. Neil Matkin

DATE: August 25, 2015

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Renewal of Competitive Sealed Bid 3576 - Annual Contract for Magazine Subscription Service.

SCOPE: Second and final renewal of the annual contract for magazine subscription service for all District libraries. The initial term of contract was for one (1) year with an option to renew two (2) additional consecutive years upon mutual agreement and Board approval. Term of contract: 09/01/2015 through 08/31/2016.

RECOMMENDATION: EBSCO Information Services \$225,000.00
Westminster, CO (not to exceed)

JUSTIFICATION: This vendor has built a reliable working relationship with the District libraries and has assigned a local, experienced representative to handle our account. EBSCO has significantly more periodical titles available, offers users a much broader range of online access tools than the other vendors provide, and has a missing copy bank of 1-2 years of back files for more than 2,000 serial titles (the other vendors have no missing copy bank available). In addition, EBSCO provides regular scheduled online training sessions for our staff.

REQUESTING DEPARTMENT: District Libraries