

Contracts update
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The Materials contract is in mid-cycle. There are no unresolved questions or issues at this time.

The current Supplies and Serials contracts end June 30, 2014. Each contract has a stipulation for an additional two one year renewal option. The Executive Committee will need to make a decision on whether or not they would like to use this option or to go ahead with another RFP in the Spring of 2014.

Soon after the first of the year, I will be sending out a vendor evaluation survey for the Supplies and Serials vendors. I will publish the results of this survey on the listserv and on the website for reference by our members but this is also used in the contract evaluation process. It is an important component of our process so I ask that each of you encourage the person responsible for surveys at your library to complete the survey.

As always, if there are any questions or problems that arise that I can help with, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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