

BID TABULATION FORM

BID DATE; Tuesday January 6, 2015

BID FOR; Newspaper Services

BID NUMBER; **RFB# 201412-284**

RESPONSE RECEIVED	TOTAL COST LISTED ON BID RESPONSE
(Company)	("Price per column inch based on 9 pt. type with 10 pt. leding" =P.#4)
Branson Tri-Lakes News Branson, Missouri	\$3.95

Tuesday January 6, 2015: Despite sending out two separate "DBIs" (Direct Bid Invitations) first on 12/20/14 – same day this Bid was released, and the other on 01/05/15 – the morning of the day the Bid closed (2:00 PM) – only one response was received. Said response, listed above, was opened in public in the Commission Hearing Room with the assistance of Renee Brusca – Building & Grounds Supervisor, who was present for other business. An agenda request has been made, and approved, to deliver a recommendation for award on Thursday January 8, 2015.

Thursday January 8, 2015: The Taney County Commission met today in reference to the above listed RFB to hear / consider award recommendation information. Newspaper Services are necessary to meet the legal requirements for several county functions and are routinely let out for Bid every year due to the fact that the cumulative costs to the county to place newspaper legal NOTICES exceed the Bid limit. The response this year, of **\$3.95**, is lower than previous responses. Therefore I recommend award for these services, via this Bid process, to the Branson Tri-Lakes News for the coming year covering the following dates; (retro) January 1, 2015 – thru - December 31, 2015.

The Taney County Commission reviewed the information, made a motion to award as such, and it passed unanimously.

Thank you.

Ron Erickson, Director of Purchasing Taney County Missouri January 8, 2015