## LA Law Library Request for Proposal Commercial Property and Casualty Insurance Agent / Broker Services

Questions & Response Log

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## **RFP Process**

- 1. Who is the incumbent? What is their current compensation?

  Our current broker is Keenan & Associates. The compensation is currently \$45K/year.
- 2. Which/how many brokers are participating? Four brokers were invited to participate; however, the RFP is published on our website and is open to any qualified broker who is willing to submit an RFP.
- 3. Why are you going to bid?

  Every 3 to 5 years we evaluate our broker and go out to bid on services as part of our Board's due diligence.
- 4. Who is part of the selection committee?

  The selection committee will be composed of the Executive Director, Senior Director, and the Finance Manager. The recommendation of the committee will then be presented to the Board of Trustees.
- 5. Will we be able to have a brief discovery meeting with some or all members of the selection committee meeting?

  Due to the timing, we may not be able to accommodate discovery meetings.

## **Organization Priorities**

- 1. What are your organization's key priorities in the next 2-3 years?

  Continue to control costs while at the same time making sure the Library has adequate coverage for its employees, officers and property.
- 2. What are your top concerns/pain points as an organization?

  The changing insurance market in California; our funding; our employees' safety.

## Service

- 1. What are key attributes of your ideal broker?

  Strong public entity background, responsive, and able to step in when needed. The ideal broker should also be able to provide guidance on cost-cutting measures and be able to understand fully the Library's operations.
- 2. What internal services/resources do you use for claims (centralized risk mgmt., in-house legal)? We have staff that is designated to manage WC claims. Our outside HR consultant will also step in to manage claims. Our ED is an attorney and our in-house legal resource.
- 3. What safety programs do you currently have in place?

  We have an in-house safety program. We have staff safety trainings at least once a year.