

Finance, Audit and Infrastructure

COMMITTEE

October 26, 2018 MEETING DATE

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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Contracts \$250,000 up to \$500,000

PRESENTED BY: John Shipley

BACKGROUND/CURRENT STATUS/MATTERS REQUIRING ACTION/FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

In accordance with Board and Committee approval requirements, there is one transaction requiring Finance, Audit and Infrastructure Committee approval. This is a pass through transaction between the University and Barnes and Noble Bookstores to conduct the Inclusive Access program. More detail is presented on the attached report.

Barnes and Noble Bookstore, Inc. \$450,000

BOARD RESOLUTION REQUESTED:

This transaction requires approval by the Finance, Audit and Infrastructure Committee. The resolution is attached.

Wright State University FY2018/FY2019 Contracts and Expenditures September 1, 2018 through September 30, 2018

\$250,000 up to \$500,000 (Finance, Audit, and Infrastructure Committee Approval Required)
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Contract Information Description of Services

The following contracts and expenditures are pass through only

Vendor:Barnes & NobleCommitted Contract Period:2/1/16-1/31/21Approval Amount:\$450,000.00

Current Annual Amount: Previous Annual Amount:

Contract Options:

Last Bid Date: 2015

The University bookstores are operated by Barnes & Noble Bookstore Inc. (B&N). This item relates to the new textbook affordability initiative, where student are provided with course materials on the first day of class, which are procured by B&N at or below list price and billed with the students tuition and fees. WSU collects the fees as they are billed to the students account, the funds are then remitted to B&N.