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**Topic Title: Holder of Bonds' HR ball to step forward this week**

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**Gregory Anderson** wants to purchase the baseball hit by **Barry Bonds** for his major league-record 762nd career home run.

But Anderson doesn't know how much the ball will cost - or if it will even be for sale.

Those questions should be answered Thursday at ESPNZone, where the identity of the person with the ball is expected to be revealed during a media-only gathering.

Anderson, CEO of Denver-based GRAnderson Wealth Management Group, said Monday he would be willing to pay \$13,000 for the ball. Tuesday, Anderson upped the ante to \$15,000 - but only if the owner suspends plans for an auction.

Bonds, who remains a free agent, hit what might have been the final homer of his major league career on Sept. 5 at Coors Field.

One possible caveat: The ball does not bear the same mark of authenticity used on the balls Bonds hit to tie and surpass **Hank Aaron's** record . . .

How much would you pay to have HR ball No. 762.