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NIGP Forum 2021 Virtual Session

Public Procurement Professional Perspectives **Current Challenges & Opportunities**

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1:45 PM - 2:45 PM ET

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Panel Participants Structure & Guidelines-10 Minutes

- **Moderators-Participant Welcome & Thank You**
 - Moderators Self Introduction-Steve Hamill & Dave Trudnowski PPEX Founders & Exchange Administrators
- **Introduce Distinguished Panel Members**
 - Moderator General Introduction
 - Each Panelist Self Introduction-Name, Title, Agency, Years in Profession
- **Introduce Agenda & Structure**
 - Three Focus Areas-PPE Crisis, Innovation & Marketplaces-15 Minutes Per Focus Area
 - Discussion for Each Area Led by 2 Panelists other Panelists to Join as Time Permits
 - Participant Polling Questions for Each Focus Area Available & Ask Participants to Respond
 - Welcome Questions & Comments-Use Chat Function Only
 - Reserved 15 Minutes for Questions & Comments At End of Session

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Introducing Public Procurement Professional Panelists

James E. Foley, CPPO, Maricopa County

Cathy A. Muse, CPPO, Fairfax County

Jack Pellegrino, NIGP-CPP, CPPO, CPCM, San Diego County

Gerald R. Plummer, Los Angeles County

Gregory K. Spearman, CPPO, NIGP-CPP, City of Tampa

Joseph Thomas, CPSM, C.P.M., Sedgwick County

Panel Moderators Stephen A. Hamill & Dave Trudnowski



Agenda

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- **PPE Crisis-Broken Supply Chain-Lessons & Remedies-12 Minutes**
 - Discussion Leaders-Cathy Muse, Greg Spearman
 - ***Polling Question-Did reliance on “just in time” delivery contribute to the PPE crisis?***

- **Innovation-Adapting to Change in Work & Service Delivery-12 Minutes**
 - Discussion Leaders-James Foley, Joe Thomas
 - **Polling Question-Should competitive bidding requirements be updated to better facilitate innovation?**

- **Marketplaces- Barriers, Solutions & Diversity Opportunity-12 Minutes**
 - Discussion Leaders- Jack Pellegrino, Gerry Plummer
 - **Polling Question-Is your agency planning to establish or have interest in an online Marketplace?**

- **Questions & Comments-14 Minutes**

- **Contact-Info@ppexhub.com**

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