

JOINT Chapter General Meeting and ICP Meeting

DATE & TIME:

May 2, 2019 11:30am - 1:00pm

LOCATION:

City of Beaverton 3rd Floor E-Suites Training Room 12725 SW Millikan Way Beaverton, OR 97005

- 11:30 Welcome and Introductions: Christy Tran / Annie Teav
- 11:35 Lunch (catered from Thai Bloom)
- 11:45 Chapter Announcements
 - Membership Updates: Anthony Blackmon, on behalf of Emmanuel Amunga
 - Pro-D Updates: Kathi Braeme-Burr
 - Regional Conference/NIGP Forum Reminder: Christy Tran
 - Reverse Vendor Trade Show: Diane Seaton

11:55 Cooperative Purchasing: Team Trivia Edition

Why reinvent the wheel? Local governments are legally allowed to collaborate - but do you know when, why, and how to share purchasing work with your peers? Over the last few months, Columbia Chapter ICP has partnered with CoProcure (www.coprocure.us), a missiondriven technology startup, to create a new tool to support cooperative purchasing in our

region. In this hands-on activity, moderated by ICP and CoProcure, we'll break into teams that will compete for the title of cooperative purchasing trivia champions. By the end of this session, you will be able to:

- Explain cooperative purchasing and identify how and when to use it in your day-to-day work:
- Get access to resources, both online and offline, that can help you collaborate with purchasing peers;
- Connect with and learn from procurement peers in our chapter.
- 12:40 Wrap up activity: Mariel / Annie and Cate
- 1:00 Adjourn: Christy Tran

Next Meeting:

General Meeting September 5, 2019, 11:30am-1:00pm