



2024 NC PEAK Conference

McKimmon Conference and Training Center

April 8 - 9, 2024

## Continuing on the Journey to Procurement Excellence

### April 8, 2024

Time	Activity
7:30 – 9:00 am	<b>Registration and Speaker/Facilitator Check-In</b> <b>Breakfast/Networking</b>
9:00 – 10:10 am	<b>Opening Session Day 1</b> 9:00-9:10 <b>Presentation of Colors</b> , Sanderson High School Color Guard led by Retired Lt. Col. USAF Richard C. Smith 9:10-9:20 <b>Welcome from PEAK Planning Committee</b> – Dr. Jody Clevon, Deputy State Purchasing Officer, P&C and Tirrell Honablew, Education Program Coordinator, P&C 9:20-9:30 <b>Greetings from DOA Secretary</b> – DOA Secretary Pamela Cashwell 9:30-9:35 <b>Video Message</b> - Governor Roy Cooper 9:35-9:45 <b>Response from State Purchasing Officer</b> – David O’Neal, State Purchasing Officer, P&C 9:45-10:10 <b>Agency Roll Call</b> – Haley Pfeiffer Haynes, DOA Deputy Secretary of Service Operations
10:10 – 11:10 am	<b>General Session #1</b> <b>Keynote Address</b> – Jamie Valvano “An Extraordinary Life”
11:15 – 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch/Vendor Expo/Networking</b>
1:00 – 2:45 pm	<b>General Session #2</b> 1:00-1:40 <b>State of Procurement Directors’ Panel</b>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1:00-1:10 P&amp;C, David O’Neal</li> <li>• 1:10-1:20 SITP, James Tanzosch</li> <li>• 1:20-1:30 SCO, Michael Shumsky</li> <li>• 1:30-1:40 HUB, Alicia Lyon</li> </ul> <p>1:40-2:00 <b>Correction Enterprises Overview</b> – Martin Kish, Deputy Director Chief Business and Administrative Officer, Correction Enterprises</p> <p>2:00-2:45 <b>HUB Best Practices</b> – John Guenther, Interim Deputy Director/Deputy to the Secretary for HUB Outreach, HUB</p>
2:45 – 3:15 pm	<b>Meet the Team</b>
3:15 – 3:35 pm	<b>Eclipse Break!/Vendor Expo/Networking</b> <b>*PLEASE PRACTICE EYE SAFETY WHEN OUTSIDE AT THIS TIME</b>
3:35 – 3:40 pm	Transition to Breakout Sessions
3:40 – 4:25 pm	<b>Concurrent Breakout Sessions #1</b> See Program for Session Descriptions/Presenters (6 sessions)
4:25 – 4:30 pm	Transition to General Session
4:30 – 5:30 pm	<p><b>General Session #3</b></p> <p>4:30-5:30 <b>NCCM/NCP Graduation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4:30-4:35 <b>Welcome</b> – DOA Secretary Pamela Cashwell</li> <li>• 4:35-4:40 <b>Remarks</b> – Dr. Jody Clevon, Deputy State Purchasing Officer, P&amp;C</li> <li>• 4:40-4:45 <b>Testimonial from Graduate</b> – Martha Slate</li> <li>• 4:45-5:00 <b>Awarding of Certificates</b> – DOA Secretary Pamela Cashwell, David O’Neal, State Purchasing Officer, P&amp;C and Tirrell Honablew, Education Program Coordinator, P&amp;C</li> </ul> <p>5:00-5:30 <b>RECEPTION</b></p>

## April 9, 2024

Time	Activity
7:30 – 8:30 am	<b>Registration and Speaker/Facilitator Check-In</b>
	<b>Breakfast/Vendor Expo/Networking</b>



8:30 – 8:45am	<b>Opening Session Day 2</b> <b>Welcome Back</b> Housekeeping, Schedule, Take Aways Activity – Dr. Jody Cleven, Deputy State Purchasing Officer, P&C
8:45 – 9:30 am	<b>Concurrent Breakout Sessions #2</b> Job-Alike Sessions (4 Sessions) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• State Agencies – Rooms 3 &amp; 6</li> <li>• Universities – Room 5</li> <li>• Community Colleges – Room 9</li> <li>• Local Government – Room 14</li> </ul>
9:30 – 9:35 am	Transition to Breakout Sessions
9:35 – 10:20 am	<b>Concurrent Breakout Sessions #3</b> See Program for Session Descriptions/Presenters (6 sessions)
10:20 – 10:30 am	<b>Break/Vendor Expo/Networking</b>
10:30 – 10:35 am	Transition to Breakout Sessions
10:35 – 11:20 am	<b>Concurrent Breakout Sessions #4</b> See Program for Session Descriptions/Presenters (6 sessions)
11:20 – 11:25 am	Transition to Breakout Sessions
11:25 – 12:10 pm	<b>Concurrent Breakout Sessions #5</b> See Program for Session Descriptions/Presenters (6 sessions)
12:15 – 1:30 pm	<b>Lunch/Vendor Expo/Networking</b>
1:30 – 2:15 pm	<b>General Session #4</b> Mastering Procurement Record Keeping in North Carolina: Navigating Compliance, Best Practices, and Technology Integration – David O’Neal, P&C, Danielle Hearst, P&C and Fran Evans, DNCR
2:15 – 2:30 pm	<b>Break/Vendor Expo/Networking</b>
2:30 – 3:30 pm	<b>General Session #5</b> Influencing Others to Embrace Change – Universal Public Procurement Certification Council (UPPCC ) – Derrick Strand
3:30 – 3:45 pm	<b>Conference Reflection</b> Final Take Aways and App Winner Announced – David O’Neal, State Purchasing Officer, P&C



3:45 – 4:30 pm	<p><b>Gold Star Agency Awards</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 3:45-3:50 <b>Remarks</b> – David O’Neal, State Purchasing Officer, P&amp;C</li><li>• 3:50-4:15 <b>Presentation of Awards</b> – DOA Secretary Pamela Cashwell, David O’Neal, State Purchasing Officer, P&amp;C, Deputy State Purchasing Officers, P&amp;C and Alicia Lyon, Interim Director/Assistant to the Secretary for HUB Outreach, HUB</li></ul> <p>4:15-4:30 <b>Conference Closing</b> – Dr. Jody Cleven, Deputy State Purchasing Officer, P&amp;C</p>
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