



# The Rocky Mountain Governmental Purchasing Association

## Rocky Mountain High Notes

JUL-SEP, 2011

### 66<sup>th</sup> Annual NIGP Forum & Products Exposition Submitted by Jerel Nielsen, CPPO, CPPB. Chapter President

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**Final Newsletter Article Deadline for 2011:**  
December 12

The 66<sup>th</sup> Annual NIGP Forum & Products Exposition was held at the Gaylord National at National Harbor, Maryland from August 25<sup>th</sup> through August 29<sup>th</sup>. The theme for this year’s Forum was “Capitalize on Excellence.”

To begin with, this year’s Forum presented some unique opportunities for both the NIGP conference organizers and guests as Hurricane Irene passed by to say “Howdy!” The winds picked up on Saturday evening at about 10:00 and, at least on the south side of the hotel, all electricity went out on Sunday morning at 1:00 a.m., not returning to full service until 1:00 pm. The Sunday morning schedule was cancelled and moved to Saturday late afternoon and Monday.

This year RMGPA was represented by 17 attending members and was honored to be a finalist for Large Chapter of the Year. Thank you to Danielle Hinz for her excellent submission and Board accomplishments in 2010. RMGPA was also represented by Danielle Hinz as a finalist for Chapter Manager of the Year. RMGPA was recognized with a Certificate of Achievement for High Percentage of National Members Award - 78.1% of RMGPA members also hold an NIGP membership.

Kicking off the Forum’s plenary sessions was Commander Kirk Lippold, USN Ret. that commanded the USS Cole when attacked on October 12, 2000 while it was harbored and refueled in the Yemeni port of Aden. Seventeen American sailors were killed, and 39 were injured. This presentation was a compelling account of “Leadership and Accountability When it Matters.” Many other very interesting speakers presented at the other plenary sessions.

NIGP did an excellent job in selecting a multitude of educational sessions that were presented by some of the most acknowledged experts in the public procurement profession. There was an incredible variety of topics and areas of discussion from which to choose. This year NIGP added “Conversations that Matter.” These newly formatted sessions were included within the educational program and provided an open forum for attendees to come together to discuss and debate issues on specific relevant and hot topics.

The Products Exposition is an annual event at Forum. This year there was a record number of booths on the expo floor. This provided attendees the opportunity to speak with marketing representatives concerning a wide variety of products and services. I must say, the hottest give away items at the Products Exposition were the small flashlights which, given the power outage, came in very handy!

**Mark your calendars for the 2012 NIGP Forum to be held in beautiful Seattle, Washington from August 16 – 22, 2012.**

# Letter from the President

Submitted by Jerel Nielsen, CPPO, CPPB

## Greetings RMGPA Members!

It's the 4th quarter of the year on the calendar, and for some it's the 2nd quarter of their fiscal year. Nevertheless, fall is upon us and the leaves on the trees are telling us that we are in a season of change!

As we experience this season of change, we all know that as time passes change is prevalent in family life and work life as well. Sometimes we can dictate the change that impacts us the most and other times we must absorb the change that seems to be inflicted upon us. As we venture further into 2011 and 2012, our agencies will continue to be economically challenged to find both creative and sensible ways to allocate budgeted funds. RMGPA has faced the economic challenges head on this year and has taken concrete steps to insure financial viability going forward in 2012.

The Fall Conference and Reverse Vendor Trade Show (RVTS) were both held on September 22nd. Combining these two events (Fall Conference in the AM, RVTS in the PM) proved to be very successful for both the membership and vendors! This one day event allowed agencies to not have additional travel expenses that the two-day conference and RVTS would have required, including additional time away from the office. It also provided members the choice of having no conference registration fees if they participated in the RVTS. Vendor registrations for the RVTS in 2011 were such that a half day RVTS worked perfectly to accommodate all vendors that registered for this event. The Programs and Chapter Enhancement Committees are to be commended for developing and orchestrating two suburb events on the same day!

Another accomplishment for RMGPA in 2011 was the development of the Sponsorship program. At the April 27<sup>th</sup> RMGPA Board meeting, the Board unanimously voted in favor of moving forward with the development of a vendor sponsorship program. As a result, the Chapter Enhancement and Communications committees have created a "media kit" from which vendors will be presented the various options for sponsorships, including website and newsletter opportunities. RMGPA's website currently has the functionality to offer these sponsorships in various methodologies, thus no website development costs have been incurred. In considering this path of revenue generation, the RMGPA Board wishes to affirm to members that revenue obtained from these sponsorships will continue to be used, as with RVTS proceeds, in support of classes, scholarships, rewards, conferences, etc. Additionally, these types of sponsorships will not adversely impact RMGPA's tax exempt status in any way.

**As we embrace this season of change let us look forward to our Winter Conference to be held on December 1st and 2nd at the Embassy Suites in Loveland, CO.** The 2010 Fall Conference and RVTS was held at this location and we found that it provides all that is needed for an outstanding conference! As we conclude our 30th year as an organization, I look forward to seeing all of you at the 2011 Winter Conference!!

Warm Regards,

Jerel



# Education & Professional Development Report

Submitted by Kristen Spicola, Education & Professional Development Committee Chair

## 2011 Class Schedule

Date	Course Title & Location	Instructor
October 19-21	<b>Legal Aspects in Procurement</b> - City of Aurora	C. Richard Pennington, CPPO, C.P.M.
November 3-4	<b>Effective Contract Writing</b> - Arapahoe County	Mr. Michael Kolodisner, CPPO

In order for RMGPA to conduct a course, NIGP requires a minimum number of 8 registrations.



**Congratulations to the following members who took the CPPB Exam in May and received their Certification!**



The coveted Certified Public Purchasing Officer (CPPO) and Certified Professional Public Buyer (CPPB) credentials, recognized throughout the public procurement profession, demonstrate an individual's comprehensive knowledge of public procurement.

**Martha J. Hamilton, B.B.A., CPPB** - Routt County

**Erin K. Kemp, CPPB** - Jefferson County Public Schools

**William Robert R. Oliver, SPSM, CPPB** - St. Vrain Valley School Dist.

**Amanda M. Zila, CPPB** - Thompson School District R2-J



Certifications resulting from the October exams will be announced in a later newsletter.

**The spring CPPB and CPPO examination is scheduled for May 7 – 19, 2012.**

*Apply by February 06, 2012 — Register for Exam by April 02, 2012*

## Survey results prove successful candidates prepared 3-6 months in advance of their exams.

NIGP's CPPB Online Prep Course and the CPPO Online Prep Course consist of five live online classes, pre-session assignments, online practice quizzes, and online discussion within a five-week period. Attendance at all sessions of the online course is mandatory and monitored. Successful completion of the online course earns 16 contact hours. Certificates are emailed to each participant within two weeks of the course completion.

Registration is limited and will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Early registration for the upcoming winter prep courses to be announced soon on NIGP's website.

# Education & Professional Development Report

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Webinars are a great training opportunity without the travel expense! The cost is \$75 for NIGP members and \$105 for non-members.

**October 25** – “Survey Says...” An Interactive Approach to the 2011 NIGP eProcurement Survey

**November 10** – Navigating the Social Network

Register for the above webinars by going to [www.NIGP.org](http://www.NIGP.org). December webinars will be posted on NIGP’s website soon.

## Are you aware of NIGP’s Webinar Rewards Program?

Attend five Webinars during the calendar year and choose a sixth one to attend for free.

*The Pro D committee would like to thank Bill Taylor and Maria Sandoval of Denver Department of Personnel for their help in coordinating the August Performance Based RFPs course!*



## Are you positioning yourself to be competitive in today’s job market?

If you carry a widely recognized professional credential like the Certified Professional Public Buyer (CPPB) or the Certified Public Procurement Officer (CPPO) the odds are quite good that you are.

According to a 2009 survey conducted by the National Council for Public Procurement and Contracting (NCPPC), more than 76% of respondents indicated that possessing a public procurement certification gives a candidate a hiring advantage at their organization and 70% indicated that they consider professional certification when promoting or recommending promotions of employees. In addition to increasing your competitive edge, current CPPOs and CPPBs also credit certification with increasing self-confidence, improving credibility with senior management, internal customers and the supplier community and encouraging ethical behavior. **Where do you stand?**



Please be advised that the UPPCC recently announced significant changes to certification eligibility requirements that will take effect in 2014 which include degree requirements.

To review these changes, please access [www.uppcc.org/about/pr-111510.aspx](http://www.uppcc.org/about/pr-111510.aspx).



## What's in a Name? NIGP Has New Tagline

Submitted by Jerel Nielsen, CPPO, CPPB, President

In standard communications and promotional messages, NIGP has chosen to refer to itself only as “NIGP” or “NIGP: The Institute for Public Procurement.” This approach intends to continually reinforce NIGP’s strong name and position in public procurement, and eliminates an immediate or obvious “national” or “international” connotation, thereby removing any geographic restriction.

NIGP’s *legal* name is “National Institute of Governmental Purchasing,” but it prefers to go by the shorter, familiar name, “N-I-G-P.” Effectively, for general communication purposes, NIGP is no longer an acronym that stands for a longer name – it’s simply their name.

### **If I’m asked, “Who or What is N-I-G-P?” How should I respond?**

Simply, “NIGP is the institute for public procurement.” Questions?—Jennifer Steffan at [jsteffan@nigp.org](mailto:jsteffan@nigp.org).

## SPOTLIGHT ON... CINDY LOMBARDI, CPPB LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE CHAIR

Submitted by Kelly Wooden, Newsletter Committee Co-Chair



**Cindy Lombardi, CPPB** is RMGPA’s current Legislative Committee Chairperson. Cindy is the Director of Purchasing and Contract Services for the Colorado Department of Revenue. She has been with the department since

March of 2001. As with many purchasing agents, Cindy fell into this profession accidentally. She was initially hired into the Federal Government as a data entry clerk for the Base Procurement Office at Tinker Air Force Base in Oklahoma. From there, she was promoted to a contract specialist position with the Federal Government and then moved on to various purchasing positions within the State, ranging from Purchasing Agent to her current position as Purchasing Director.

Cindy’s love for traveling began early on. With her father being a member in the United States Air Force, Cindy, her parents and 4 sisters lived numerous places all over the United States and Germany during her grade school years. After Cindy’s father retired from the Air Force, their family settled in Oklahoma, but Cindy always had a love for Colorado. In 1995, she moved to

Colorado, where she currently resides and loves spending time with her family.

In 1998, Cindy was inducted into RMGPA and she is currently in the process of recertifying her CPPB for the second time since receiving her certification in 2001. Cindy takes great interest in reviewing legislation and its potential impact to her department within the Colorado Department of Revenue, so it seemed like a natural fit for her to be the chairperson for the Legislative Committee and for her to pass along her findings and knowledge to the public Purchasing community.

Cindy’s most unusual project has been developing solicitations for the newly created Medical Marijuana Enforcement Division. She never thought she would be writing statements of work using words like “marijuana.” The largest project Cindy has been involved with is the replacement of the State’s tax systems resulting in a contract valued over \$36 million. She is in the final phase of this project.

**A big thank you to Cindy for providing RMGPA  
with legislative updates and information!**

## Upcoming 2011 RMGPA Winter Conference

**Registration is now OPEN for the 2011 RMGPA Winter Conference!** We are headed north this year and would love to have you come along! The conference will be held at the Embassy Suites Hotel and Conference Center in Loveland, Colorado. This location was chosen in part due to its convenient access directly off I-25 at the Crossroads Blvd exit!

The registration fee is an affordable **\$95 for member registrations received prior to November 18<sup>th</sup>**. After that date, the fee will increase to \$120. Non-member registration is \$110 early or \$135 after November 18<sup>th</sup>. Don't delay ... Register today!

Along with a celebration of our 30<sup>th</sup> year, conference topics will include:

**ETHICS** - RMGPA Lifetime Member and NIGP Master Instructor, Jennie Readey, CPPO, CPPB

**LATERAL LEADERSHIP** – RMGPA Associate Member and NIGP Instructor, Richard Pennington, CPPO

**INVOLVING YOUR STAKEHOLDERS: INTERNAL COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT** – Sandi Seader, MPA, Assistant to the City Manager, City of Longmont

**ACCESSING GSA SCHEDULES** – Garrett Pride, GSA Federal Acquisition Service

**MAXIMIZING YOUR P-CARD PROGRAM: LARGE DOLLAR PURCHASES** – Jill Yellico, CPPO, CPPB, RMGPA Vice President and Purchasing Supervisor with Academy School District 20; and Carol Wills, PCard Administrator, Academy School District 20 (*see below*)

**STRATEGIC PARTNERING THROUGH THE STATE TRAVEL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM** – Lenora Kingston, CTE, RMGPA Member and State of Colorado Travel Manager

You won't want to miss this conference so plug it into your calendar now! To register for the conference or to obtain further details, visit the RMGPA website at [www.rmgpa.org](http://www.rmgpa.org).

## Maximizing Your P-Card Program

Submitted by Jill Yellico, CPPO, CPPB, Vice President

In times of budgetary constraints, many organizations are realizing that printing and mailing checks is more expensive than electronic processes for transmitting payment. By most industry standards that cost can range from \$50 to \$150 per check. Many have embarked on an EFT or ACH method of electronically transmitting payment directly to a vendor's bank account to avoid that cost. But some of us have incorporated our small dollar p-card program into a larger AP solution for electronic payment. This solution not only avoids check writing costs, but also presents sometimes remarkable rebate potential.

The annual p-card rebate at Academy School District 20 has increased from approximately \$16,000 in 2009, to \$63,000 in 2010, and a projection of \$130,000 by the end of 2011. Our annual card volume has gone from \$3.5 million to \$7.5 million to a projected \$10 million in those same years.

We have learned a number of lessons in our continued efforts to maximize our program. Please join us at the Winter Conference to discuss this opportunity to both reduce costs and increase revenue in your own programs.

## Member Mind X-Change

Submitted by Marsha Peterson, CPPO, and Tim Wellmann, CPPB

RMGPA is continually seeking volunteers to assist Board and Committee members in their respective areas. During the Fall Conference, Linda Trimble, CPPB, City of Wheatridge, and Tim Wellmann, CPPB, Saint Vrain Valley School District, hosted a successful round table during the Member Mind X-Change segment of the conference resulting in a number of new volunteers.

For those of you who were unable to attend, please be aware that RMGPA is always seeking more volunteers and it's a great way to get involved with the organization. Please keep in mind that the level of participation is up to you!

Here are some examples of where **YOU** could contribute:



### **Programs Committee**

Speaker Introductions  
Conference Catering  
Sourcing Great Speakers  
Conference Site Selection  
Assist Registration Tables  
Preparing Event Materials  
Audio/Visual

### **Chapter Enhancement**

RVTS Site Selection  
Assist Registration Tables  
Preparing Event Materials

### **Communications**

Source Articles for the Chapter Website  
Monitor Website E-mails  
Advise/Recommend Site Improvements

### **Historian Committee**

Taking Pictures at Chapter Events  
Historical Research

### **Newsletter**

Source Articles  
Newsletter Development

### **Awards Committee**

Selection and Evaluations for  
*Buyer and Manager of the Year*

Did you know that if you help out RMGPA as a volunteer you obtain points for re-certification?

If you are interested in assisting in any of these areas, or any other committee not listed above, please contact the Committee Chair. You can find this information on the RMGPA Website at [www.rmgpa.org](http://www.rmgpa.org) under the "Contact Us" tab.



# CALL FOR SPEAKERS!

we need  
you



The Programs Committee is always looking for a "few good men" (and fabulous women) to present at any of the four quarterly conferences RMGPA hosts each year. Conference agendas are currently being developed for the 2012 events.

Topics could range anywhere from traditional purchasing topics, like writing specifications, managing RFPs, and contract administration (for example), to "out of the box" methods you've tried, such as supplier partnering, alternative project delivery methods. Or how about professional development topics, such as leadership, or customer service skills?

If you are interested in sharing your knowledge or have an idea for a session at an upcoming conference, please contact Danielle Hinz at [Danielle.Hinz@ci.longmont.co.us](mailto:Danielle.Hinz@ci.longmont.co.us). Come on now, don't be shy!

## Highlights from the 2011 Fall Conference and Reverse Vendor Trade Show

### 2011 Rewards Program Recipients

Each year, RMGPA rewards members who have actively participated in the Chapter and the activities organized, hosted or sponsored by RMGPA. This year, 15 applications were received and 10 Rewards were issued. Reward recipients received certificates good for \$200 toward conferences or classes. The recipients for 2011 are:

Terri Kindsfather, City of Lakewood

Kristen Spicola, Pueblo Board of Water Works

Diana Cantu, St Vrain Valley School District

Linda Trimble, City of Wheatridge

Michelle Ratcliff, City of Aurora

Cheryl Rea, City of Colorado Springs

Betty Standley, Jefferson County School District

Joe Lachermeier, City of Westminster

David Carey, City of Ft Collins

Diana Wilson, City of Longmont

Congratulations to all and thank you!



Accepting Rewards certificates, from left to right :

Cheryl Rea; Michelle Ratcliff; Pat Johnson (standing in for Diana Wilson); Terri Kindsfather; Barbara Ruley (standing in for Betty Standley); Diana Cantu; Linda Trimble, John Stephen (standing in for David Carey)

# Scenes from the 2011 Fall Conference and Reverse Vendor Trade Show





## The National Purchasing Institute's 43rd Annual Conference and Products Exposition to be Held in Colorado October 30 through November 2, 2011

Billed as "the premier public sector event," **The National Purchasing Institute's 43rd Annual Conference and Products Exposition** is being held in **Broomfield**, Colorado at the Omni Interlocken Resort, **October 30-November 2**. This year's theme is "Leadership in Action," and includes a series of workshops, seminars, and a products exposition.

For more information and to register, go to:

<https://www.npicconnection.org/events/conference.asp>

## Talking Dog for Sale

A guy is driving around the back woods of Montana and he sees a sign in front of a broken down shanty-style house that says, '**Talking Dog for Sale.**' He rings the bell and the owner appears and tells him the dog is in the backyard.

The guy goes into the backyard and sees a nice looking Labrador retriever sitting there.

"You talk?," he asks.

"Yep," the Lab replies.

After the guy recovers from the shock of hearing a dog talk, he says, "So, what's your story?"

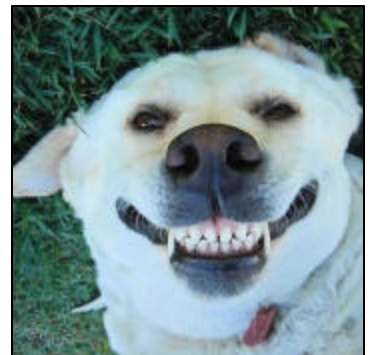
The Lab looks up and says, "Well, I discovered that I could talk when I was pretty young. I wanted to help the government, so I told the CIA. In no time at all they had me jetting from country to country, sitting in rooms with spies and world leaders, because no one figured a dog would be eavesdropping. I was one of their most valuable spies for eight years running. But the jetting around really tired me out, and I knew I wasn't getting any younger so I decided to settle down. I signed up for a job at the airport to do some undercover security, wandering near suspicious characters and listening in. I uncovered some incredible dealings and was awarded a batch of medals. I got married, had a mess of puppies, and now I'm just retired."

The guy is amazed. He goes back in and asks the owner what he wants for the dog.

"Ten dollars," the guy says.

"Ten dollars? This dog is amazing! Why on earth are you selling him so cheap?"

"Because he's a liar. He's never been out of the yard."



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the Year in 2006 and 2009!**

**THE LAST WORD**

**Purchasing Dictionary**

**Engineers:** people who know a great deal about very little, and who go along learning more and more about less and less, until finally they know practically nothing about nothing.

**Salespeople:** people who know very little about many things, and who keep learning less and less about more and more, until they finally know practically nothing about everything.

**Purchasing Agents:** people who start out knowing everything about everything, but end up knowing nothing about anything, due to their association with engineers and salespeople.

**Auditors:** people who go in after the war is lost and bayonet the wounded.

**Lawyers:** people who go in after the auditors and strip the bodies.

**MUSICAL CHAIRS!**

Brad Kemper resigned as Chair of the Communications Committee in July. That opening had a kind of domino effect on the board committee positions. As one vacancy was filled by another board member, a new vacancy appeared. And then Linda Trimble moved out of state leaving yet another vacancy. In order to better understand the shuffle, here is what it looks like:

Committee Chair Position	THEN	NOW
Communications	Brad Kemper	Marsha Peterson
Awards	Marsha Peterson	Traci Gorman
Programs	Traci Gorman	Danielle Hinz—until filled
Historian	Linda Trimble	Vera Kennedy

Jerel Nielsen, Chapter President, said it best when he described this series of changes:

*“Our ability to provide a seamless leadership transition is a testament to our strength and dedication to our mission! Our membership greatly benefits from this dedicated approach.”*

Many thanks to all of the Committee Chairs and for all they do for RMGPA!

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