

OTHER PLANNED EVENTS

Thursday, May 12, 2011

4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Optional Practicum—Federal Grant Funding: Taking the “Free” out of “Free Money”

- Grant application do’s and don’ts
- Preparing for the eventual audit
- Documenting performance

Edward T. Waters

Feldesman Tucker Leifer Fidell LLP
Washington, DC

Angela M. Hinton

Senior Assistant City Attorney
City of Atlanta - Law Department
Atlanta, GA

6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Meet and Greet Reception hosted by Diepenbrock Harrison LLP, Wells Fargo Building, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 1800

The Section gratefully acknowledges the generosity of Diepenbrock Harrison LLP for hosting this Reception for program speakers and meeting attendees in their offices, which are a 15-minute walk or a short cab ride from the hotel.

Saturday, May 14, 2011

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Section Council Meeting

The Council of the Section of Public Contract Law will meet in **open** session where a number of action and informational items will open the window on legislation, regulatory and other substantive issues of current interest and importance to government contracts practitioners. All members and registrants for the Friday program are welcome.

PROGRAM

Friday, May 13, 2011

7:30 a.m. to 8:15 a.m.

Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:15 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.

Welcome and Introduction

Patricia A. Meagher, *Program Co-Chair*

Rogers Joseph O'Donnell
San Francisco, CA

Angela M. Hinton, *Program Co-Chair*

Senior Assistant City Attorney
City of Atlanta - Law Department
Atlanta, GA

Jennifer L. Dauer, *Program Co-Chair*

Diepenbrock Harrison LLP
Sacramento, CA

8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Outsourcing: The Good, the Bad and the Ugly

- Public employee/union perspective on potential cost savings of outsourcing
- Federal lessons learned from A-76
- Extending budgets through benefits-funded contracts
- Local entity perspective

Richard W. Arnholt, *Moderator*

Crowell & Moring LLP
Washington, DC

Anne M. Giese

Senior Attorney
SEIU Local 1000
Sacramento, CA

David A. Garrison

Senior Corporate Counsel
CH2M Hill
Englewood, CO

Joseph C. Figini

Senior Vice President and General Counsel
CGI Technologies and Solutions, Inc.
Fairfax, VA

10:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

Networking Break

PROGRAM

10:15 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

Public Private Partnerships

- A successful PPP project
- A difficult PPP project
- California High Speed Rail: an up-and-coming project

Oliver L. Holmes, *Moderator*

Duane Morris LLP
San Francisco, CA

Robert Dove

Managing Director
Carlyle Infrastructure Fund
Washington, DC

J.F. Finn III, *AIA*

Managing Director
Gensler & Associates
Las Vegas, NV

Peter H. Winder

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Balfour Beatty Capital, Inc.
Larkspur, CA

John S. Santa Lucia

Duane Morris LLP
Chicago, IL

12:00 noon to 1:30 p.m.

Program Luncheon

Presiding:

Donald G. Featherstun, *Chair*

Section of Public Contract Law
Seyfarth Shaw LLP
San Francisco, CA

Speaker:

Jose Aguirre (*Invited*)

Chief Counsel and Deputy Director
California Department of General Services
Office of Legal Services
Sacramento, CA

1:45 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.

Cloud Computing: Will It Reduce IT Costs?

- What is cloud computing?
- Securing competition
- FedRAMP standards
- States' experience with implementation

PROGRAM

Timothy Sullivan, *Moderator*

Thompson Coburn LLP
Washington, DC

Tarek Tomes

Assistant Commissioner,
Customer and Service Management
Minnesota Office of Enterprise Technology
St. Paul, MN

Tom Jones (*Invited*)

Deputy Director of IT Services
California Department of General Services
Sacramento, CA

William Perlowitz

Vice President, Advanced Technology
Apttis, Inc.
Chantilly, VA

3:15 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Networking Break

3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Recent Developments in State and Local Procurement

- The growth and economics of cooperative procurement
- IT terms and conditions re limitations of liability, indemnification and data rights
- State False Claims Acts update

Margaret E. McConnell, *Moderator*

Assistant General Counsel
Maricopa Community Colleges
Phoenix, AZ

Greg Smith (*Invited*)

Administrator CPO
Nevada Department of Administration, Purchasing Division
Carson City, NV

Michael R. Rizzo

McKenna Long & Aldridge LLP
Los Angeles, CA

Nicklas A. Akers

Deputy Attorney General
California Department of Justice
San Francisco, CA

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Section Reception

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The hotel is 12 miles from Sacramento Metropolitan Airport. The fare for the 30-45 minute trip by taxi ranges between \$35-\$45. Super Shuttle operates a 24-hour shuttle bus for \$15 one way, and the trip time can vary from 30-60 minutes. Call 800-BLUE-VAN (258-3826) for reservations. The daily parking rate for registered hotel guests ranges between \$18 and \$25. For non-registered guests, the daily rate is \$18-\$24. The higher rate for both categories is for valet parking.

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You may reserve your accommodations by calling the hotel directly at 916-447-1700 or toll free at 800-325-3535, referring to the **ABA 2011 6th Annual State and Local Procurement Symposium**, and guaranteeing your reservation by credit card or deposit check. Rooms will be available for check-in after 3:00 p.m. with a check-out time of 11:00 a.m. Early arrivals or late departures will be booked on an availability basis. Individuals with guaranteed reservations must cancel their reservations within 24 hours to the scheduled day of arrival to avoid a one-night cancellation charge.

Make your reservations NOW. The hotel will release the room block on Monday, April 20, 2011, at 5:00 p.m. (CDT).