

NCPP Lunch & Learn



NCPP hosted its annual “Lunch & Learn” luncheon to support the National Procurement Institute’s (NPI) Achievement of Excellence in Procurement® Award. We applaud the AEP committee for recognizing that cooperative procurement has changed over the past decade, and thus, updated their criterion for the cooperative procurement category to reflect current procurement team strategies when using this contracting tool.

Six model submittals were chosen by their evaluation committee as being the highest ranked in that category:

- City of Garland, TX
- City of San Antonio, TX
- County of San Bernardino, CA
- County of Santa Clara, CA
- Snohomish County, WA
- Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority

An NCPP “Let’s Just Cooperate” t-shirt was presented to those who were present. NCPP also presented the CPX “Cooperative Procurement Excellence” award to the County of Santa Clara as the top ranked candidate chosen by our NCPP committee.

Congratulations to all the AEP awardees and to Brian Garrity who was awarded the Institute's highest award - the Carlton N. Parker Award for contributions to the profession and excellence in public procurement.