

# Sowing the Seed: The Future of Public-Private Partnerships in Manitoba

MAY 2, 2017 | FORT GARRY HOTEL | WINNIPEG, MANITOBA

## *Program*

**7:00 - 7:45 am**

Registration and Networking

**7:45 am**

Welcome

**Mark Romoff**, President & CEO, The Canadian Council for Public-Private Partnerships

**8:10 - 8:40 am**

Keynote Address

**The Honourable Brian Pallister**, Premier of Manitoba

**8:45 – 8:50 am**

Remarks

**His Worship Brian Bowman**, Mayor of Winnipeg

**8:50 - 9:05 am**

Networking Break

**9:05 am**

Opening Remarks From Sessions Chair

**Loren Remillard**, President & CEO, The Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce

**9:10 – 10:00 am**

Session #1 – Explaining P3s and Value for Money

*Value for Money* plays a critical role in driving the P3 process. This panel will begin with a presentation explaining what value for money is, and how it is calculated. The presentation will be followed by a moderated session delving into the value for money process, including its strengths and limitations.

Presenter/Moderator:

**Mark Hodgson**, Partner, Infrastructure & Capital Projects, Deloitte LLP

Panel:

**Marianne M. Smith**, Partner, Blake, Cassels & Graydon LLP

**Michael Gabert**, Regional Director, Prairies, BTY Group

**Olivia MacAngus**, Vice President, Corporate Development, Plenary Group

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**10:05 - 10:55 am**

Session #2 – Role for Local and Small Business

This session will explore how local companies play a leading role in delivering P3 projects across the country. Panelists will bring perspectives from diverse backgrounds in the infrastructure sector to discuss the value local participants bring to the P3 process.

Moderator:

**Lou Serafini Jr.**, President & CEO, Fengate Real Asset Investments

Panel:

**Joseph Mancinelli**, International Vice President and Regional Manager, Labourers' International Union of North America (LIUNA)

**Sean Barnes**, Vice President and District Manager, PCL Constructors Canada Inc.

**Henry Borger**, President, Borland Construction Inc.

**10:55 - 11:10 am**

Networking Break

**11:10 – 12:00 pm**

Session #3 – Manitoba's Infrastructure Pipeline

This discussion will examine various infrastructure opportunities across Manitoba communities and how the P3 model can play a role in helping deliver these ambitious infrastructure programs.

Moderator:

**Michael F. Ledgett**, Co-Chair National Infrastructure/PPP Practice Group, Dentons Canada LLP

Panel:

**His Worship Irvine Ferris**, Mayor, City of Portage La Prairie

**Georges Chartier**, Chief Asset & Project Management Officer, City of Winnipeg

**Derron Bain**, Senior Vice President, Concert Infrastructure

**12 Noon**

Closing remarks

**Mark Romoff**, President & CEO, The Canadian Council for Public-Private Partnerships

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