# 2016 Business Leadership Symposium Procurement at Illinois

#### What's on the Horizon

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"That's the way we have always done it"

"That takes too much time"

"What's in it for me"

Wou cannot swim for new horizons until to lose sight of the shore. William Fanlkner

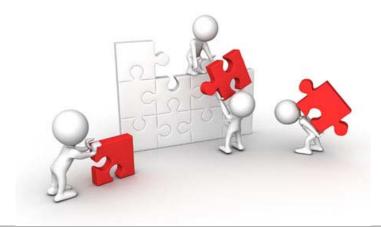
"Do we have to change"

"I can't do that"

"That's not good for me"

#### What are we working towards

- Procurement Reform/Changes
- Policy
- System Improvements/Enhancements
- P-Card/T-Card
- Other



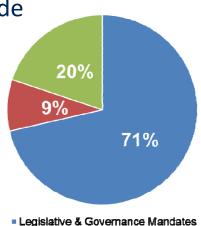
### Procurement Reform/Changes

- Currently there are 19 proposed procurement bills
  - Some comprehensive, most are for specific areas
  - Exemptions, purchase limits, methods of purchasing, CPO structure, Diversity initiatives, and many more

None get us full exemption from the Procurement Code



- UI provided input on most
- HB170 (Previous exemptions) is a must at a minimum
- We don't control this process
  - Can't put a timeline on where these will go
  - Keep your fingers crossed



- Policy Mandates
- Outreach & Innovation

## Policy Changes (Coming soon)

- Card Services
  - T-Card use for conference registration, transaction reconciliation, monthly spend limits, prohibition for tuition payments
- Human Subject Payments
  - Clarification and updates to better meet the demands of departments
- Relocation
  - Current policy is out of date; multi-functional team is bringing us to current standard
- Procurement Diversity
  - BEP Act requires a 20% aspirational goal for all purchases
- Others: Travel clarifications, Sustainability
- All will be routed to campuses for open comment periods

## System Improvements/Enhancements

#### What it looks like today



Card Management

Convey

'Cs Vendor Portal

*iBuy* 

Upside

What we want it to look like



EDW

BDMS

RightFax

...and 19 more

## System Improvements/Enhancements

- Near-term
  - Scheduled upgrades/enhancements to iCS, Banner, iBuy
  - Greater enablement (punch outs) in iBuy
  - More reports and tools for Business Managers/Users
- Long-term
  - Kicking off Business Process Improvement Initiative to streamline the source-to-pay system of processes
    - Goals
      - Provide a better experience for those purchasing goods or services
      - Make better decisions on what you purchase and from where
      - Reduce confusion and complexity of process for departments
      - Reduce amount of work required to process transactions
    - Business users will be needed for this initiative

#### P-Card/T-Card

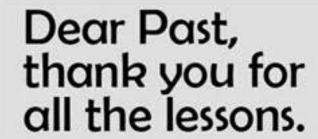
- The new Card Services contract will be awarded very soon
- Implementation and issuance plan is being drafted
  - Plan will be shared with campuses well in advance
  - Final negotiations with bank must be completed first followed by BOT approval and CPO award approval

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- Right-sizing initiative
  - Underutilized accounts have been identified
    - 24 or less transactions in a 24-month period; not been used in last 6 months
  - Notices will be sent to DCMs starting in mid-April
  - 60-Days to justify continuance of accounts
  - Units with two or less active cards are exempt

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#### Other

- Growing the Purchasing "Tool Box" (Group/University contracts)
  - Cloud Services
  - Promotional Items
  - Plumbing
  - Sundries
  - Equipment Maintenance Management
  - Plus many more
- IT/Telecommunications "Sheltered Market
- Many more policy "scrubs"
- Manpower and Resources





# Enjoy the rest of the Symposium