



Partners in Project Green – Joint Meeting of the Green Purchasing Team Meeting &  
Greening Greater Toronto Procurement Council  
Tuesday, September 27, 2011 @ 10 a.m. at  
Unisource Canada, 1475 Courtneypark Drive East Mississauga

**In Attendance:** Chris Rickett (TRCA), Carol Burnham (ONEIA), Andrew Gustyn (Unisource), Marnie Banting (Supply Chain Management), Gretel Salvador (Supply Chain Management), David Fletcher (Ontario Institute of Purchasing Management Association), Gabriella Kalapos (Clean Air Partnership), Mark Melcher (BMO), David Rourke (YMCA), Alex Fuentes (Bullfrog Power), Marcia Seymour (TD), Michelle Taylor (Stikeman Elliott), Joe Gonzalez (Ontario Institute of Purchasing Management Association), Matthew Cohen (Sustainable Waterloo Region), Tiffany Vong (Greening Greater Toronto) and Linda Weichel (Greening Greater Toronto).

#### **1. Overview of Partners in Project Green Purchasing Projects**

- TRCA provided an overview of Partners in Project Green's Purchasing projects, including:
  - Template Request for Proposals (waste management, rooftop solar and green cleaning)
  - Clinton Climate Initiative Green Purchasing Alliance
  - Bullfrog Power Green Power Challenge
  - Green Vendor Directory
  - Green Technology Webinar

#### **2. Unisource – Green Purchasing in Action**

- Unisource provided an overview of their green purchasing program that focuses both on the products they use, but also what they sell.

#### **3. International Centre – Green Purchasing in Action**

- The International Centre provided an overview of their sustainability program, with a specific focus on their local food procurement program for events.

#### **4. Greening Greater Toronto – Update on Green Procurement Activities**

- Greening Greater Toronto provided an overview their activities, including:
  - Green Procurement Commitment – TRCA and Greening Greater Toronto will be launching the commitment's supporting guide and case study database in November 2012.

- Future Green Procurement Council meetings will be hosted by partner organizations. The next meeting will be hosted by the Clean Air Partnership.