AGENDA ITEM
CA 5

Travel Approval Form

Department: Purchasing

Event Name: National Procurement Institute
2026 Annual Conference

Location: Frisco, TX

Event Dates: 10/04/26 - 10/07-26

Purpose:
- ☑ Required Continuing Education/Certification
- ☑ Job Training
- ☐ Other: _____

Court Decision:
This section to be completed by County Judge's Office

Johnson County ★ APPROVED ★ Commissioners Court

6.08.2026

Name of Attendees:

Lance Anderson

Required Documents Checklist:

✶✶ **Same-Day Travel - Commissioners Court Approval is not required** ✶✶

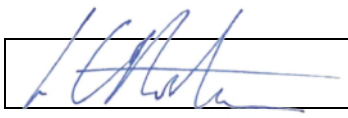
Overnight Travel

- ☑ Travel Approval Form
- ☑ Registration Information or Confirmation
- ☑ Itinerary, Agenda, or Breakdown
- ☑ Hotel Information, Confirmation, or Hotel Reservation Request Form

For Out of State Travel, please also include:

- ☐ Cost Estimation Breakdown for Trip with Airfare, Rental Car, Meals, Hotel, Etc.
- ☐ Narrative as to why the Out of State Travel is necessary

Signature of Elected Official/Department Head:



Approved in CC on 9/11/2023

Invoice Number	5212
Invoice Date	05/22/2026
Invoice Due	06/06/2026

Billed to
Johnson County Purchasing
Lance Anderson
411 Marti Drive
Cleburne, Texas 76033
United States

From
National Procurement Institute, Inc.
PO Box 2774
Rockport, TX 78381

Paid

Transactions

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Lance Anderson: CONFERENCE FEES: These fees cover all scheduled sessions and meals, per person. - Full Conference - $775.00	$ 775.00

Payments

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Credit Card Payment - Mastercard 1849 on 05/22/2026	$ 775.00

Total Amount	**$ 775.00**
Amount Paid	**$ 775.00**
Amount Due	**$ 0.00**



NPI 2026 Annual Conference

The Power of Procurement Leadership – Leading with Purpose, Delivering with Excellence

October 4 - 7, 2026

Hyatt Regency - Frisco, TX

The NPI Conference Committee is pleased to offer our Delegates outstanding educational and networking opportunities at the 58th Annual Conference and 31st Annual Achievement of Excellence in Procurement® Recipient Recognition and Celebration.

Conference Schedule

Sunday, October 4th	
1:00 - 4:00 pm	Pre-Conference Session-TBD
5:00 - 6:00 pm	First Timers Session
6:00 - 8:00 pm	Welcome Reception
Monday, October 5th	
7:30 – 8:00 am	Breakfast
8:00-8:45 am	Keynote : TBD
8:45 – 9:45 am	General Session: Michele Skaggs, Virtually Said: Leveraging Technology without Losing the Human Touch
10:00 am – 12:00 pm	Exhibit Hall

12:00-1:00 pm	Lunch with Exhibitors
1:15 – 2:15 pm	Breakout Session 1a / Carrie Mathes, The Protest Spectrum: Different Designs, Same Destination
1:15 – 2:15 pm	Breakout Session 1b / Sherri Barnhardt/Faith Harper, Turn Friction to Function in Procurement Collaboration
1:15 – 2:15 pm	Breakout Session 1c / Spencer Lord, Short vs. Long Term - The False Choice
2:30-3:45 pm	Breakout Session 2a / Richard Ehlert, The Request for Proposal (RFP) Process
2:30-3:45 pm	Breakout Session 2b / Partners for Public Good, Advanced Project Management for Continuous Excellence in Public Procurement
2:30-3:45 pm	Breakout Session 2c / Maria Roux, From Contracts to Clout: How Organizational Savvy Drives Procurement Success
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Breakout Session 3a / Candida Kelcourse, Continued Pursuit of Excellence Criteria 18 (Cyber Security and Procurement)
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Breakout Session 3b / Edna Johnson, Mastering Audit Preparedness in Public Procurement
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Breakout Session 3c / Partners for Public Good, Data-Driven Leadership in Public Procurement
Tuesday, October 6th	
7:30 - 8:00 am	Breakfast
8:00 – 9:00 am	General Session: Dietrich von Biedenfeld, Purposeful Leadership Means Evidencing Excellence
9:15 – 10:30 am	General Session: Ruben Martinez, DOJ Antitrust Division: Procurement Collusion Update
10:45. – 11:45 am	Breakout Session 4a / Dietrich von Biedenfeld, Stare Decisis Meets Disruption: Context is Key with Criteria #18
10:45. – 11:45 am	Breakout Session 4b / Maria Roux, Grow Up: Maturity, Accountability, and People Management that work
10:45. – 11:45 am	Breakout Session 4c / Kim Cullen, Grow Up: The Hidden Cost of Supplier Friction: How Process and Mindset Shape Procurement Outcomes
12:00 – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:15 – 2:15 pm	Breakout Session 5a / Partners for Public Good, Measuring What Matters: Evaluating the Impact of Procurement Performance Improvements
1:15 – 2:15 pm	Breakout Session 5b / Chris Robinson/Brandon Harper, Lessons from Landman: Excellence in Procurement from the Patch
1:15 – 2:15 pm	Breakout Session 5c / Dan Marran, Pursuing Ethical Procurement

2:30 – 3:45 pm	Breakout Session 6a /TBD
2:30 – 3:45 pm	Breakout Session 6b / TBD
2:30 – 3:45 pm	Breakout Session 6c / TBD
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Breakout Session 7a / What We Learned from a GFOA Award of Excellence: Practical Procurement Innovations You Can Use Today. (AEP Criteria #18)
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Breakout Session 7b / David Gragan, Developing Leaders in Public Procurement
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Breakout Session 7c / Dan Marran, Battling Perceptions: Providing Great Customer Service in Purchasing
Wednesday, October 7th	
7:30 - 8:00 am	Breakfast, Board and Officer Installation
8:00 – 9:00 am	Keynote, Tiffani Barton, The Strategic No: Strengthening Procurement Leadership Through Clear, Confident Communication
9:15 – 10:30 am	General Session, Dan Marran, Integrity in Action: Practical Trust Building for Public Procurement
10:45 -11:45 am	Breakout Session 8a / Ryan Quigley, Emotional Intelligence: The Leadership Advantage
10:45 -11:45 am	Breakout Session 8b / TBD
10:45 -11:45 am	Breakout Session 8c / TBD



Our Partners

Confirmation: #33063671

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Hyatt Regency Frisco - Dallas

Hyatt Regency | Award Category 3

2615 Preston Rd, Frisco, Texas 75034, United States

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DESTINATION FEE: Future Changes: Bookings on and beyond March 01, 2026 - A daily destination fee of $20.00 (subject to change) is applied to each room of your stay in order to provide services and amenities which enhance the guest experience. Please contact the hotel directly for more information. Click here to view all inclusions. TAX: Frisco Tourism (TPID) Assessment of 2% will be applied to bookings beginning January, 01, 2023. Please contact the hotel directly with any questions.

Guest Details

Lance Anderson

411 Marti Dr, Cleburne, TX, 76033, US

1 (817) 556-6382

PUR@JOHNSONCOUNTYTX.ORG

Standard | King Bed

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Special Rate: G-NPIC

Guests	1 Adult
Check-in	Sun, Oct 4, 2026, 04:00 PM
Checkout	Wed, Oct 7, 2026, 12:00 PM

Price Summary

Total Cost Per Room*	**$831.51**
3 Night Stay	**$717.00**
Sun, Oct 4	$239.00
Mon, Oct 5	$239.00
Tue, Oct 6	$239.00
Taxes & Fees	**$114.51**
City tax	$50.19
Recovery charge	$4.50
Rec chg sales tx	$0.60
State tax	$43.02
Frisco toursim	$16.20

*Changes in taxes or fees will affect the total price.

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Payment details cannot be edited within two days of arrival. To update, please present your new payment method upon check-in.

Special Requests

Additional Beds

No special requests added.

Bed Preference

No special requests added.

Room Requests

No special requests added.

Accessibility

No special requests added.

Smoking Preference

All guest rooms are nonsmoking.

Is there anything else you'd like to request for your visit?

No special requests added.

Terms & Conditions

Cancellation Policy

48Hours Prior or 1 Night Fee/ Credit Card Req

Deposit Policy

Credit Card Guarantee Required

Need help with your reservation? Contact Hyatt Customer Service **+1 800 233 1234**