

## How Ontario Governs: Mid-Term Check-Up

October 5 and 6, 2005  
The Ontario Club - Toronto, Ontario

### Agenda

October 5, 2005

Renaissance Room  
11:30 a.m.

**Registration**

12:00 p.m.

**Welcoming Remarks: Setting the Context**

Nancy Averill, Director, Research and Methodology, Public Policy Forum

**Introduction by the Conference Co-Chair**

Jodi White, President, Public Policy Forum

**-Lunch-  
"Decoding the Government"**

Don Guy, Chief of Staff, Office of the Premier and Cabinet Office, Government of Ontario

Engineers' Room  
2:15 p.m.

**Economic Forecast for Ontario**

Timothy O'Neill, H. Ian Macdonald Visiting Economist, Ministry of Finance, Government of Ontario

3:00 p.m.

**Networking Break**

3:15 p.m.

**Panel - Education: Training for the Smart Economy**

*Chair:* David Lindsay, President, Association of Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology of Ontario

David Paterson, Vice President, Corporate and Environmental Affairs, and Greg Parker, Manager, Government Relations, GM Canada  
Sheldon Levy, President, Ryerson University  
Rhonda Kimberley-Young, President, The Ontario Secondary Schools Teachers' Federation

4:15 p.m.

**Pundits Panel: The Mid-Term Check-up**

*Chair:* David Sword, Director, Governmental Affairs, Union Gas Ltd. A Duke

Energy Company

John Duffy, Principal, StrategyCorp. Inc.  
[Graham Murray, G.P Murray Research Ltd.](#)  
[Ian Urquhart, Queen's Park Columnist, The Toronto Star](#)

Renaissance Room

5:30 p.m. Networking Reception with Minister Smitherman

6:15 p.m.

**Dinner**

Ontario's Health Strategy

The Honourable George Smitherman, Minister of Health and Long-Term Care, Government of Ontario

8:30 p.m.

**Adjourn**

October 6, 2005

Renaissance Room  
8:00 a.m.

**Networking Breakfast -- Introduction to Day Two**

8:15 a.m.

**Management Reorganization: Lubricating the Gears and Levers**

[Michelle DiEmanuele, Associate Secretary to Cabinet and Deputy Minister, Government Services, Government of Ontario](#)

Engineers' Room  
9:15 a.m.

**Panel: Ontario's Infrastructure Renewal Strategy: Will Public-Private Partnerships Work?**

*Chair:* Michael Sherman, Senior Manager, Government and Community Relations, TD Bank Financial Group

[Claude Lamoureux, President and CEO, Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan](#)

Leah Casselman, President, Ontario Public Service Employees Union (OPSEU)

[Angela Iannuzziello, Chair, Infrastructure Committee, The Toronto Board of Trade](#)

10:45 a.m.

**Networking Break**

11:00 a.m.

**Panel - Energy: Making Markets Work**

*Chair:* Bryne Purchase, School of Policy Studies, Queen's University

Greg Ebel, President, Union Gas Ltd., A Duke Energy Company  
[Paul Shervill, Vice President, Retail Services, Ontario Power Authority](#)  
Mike Kuriyuchuk, Manager, Energy Development, Bowater, and Chair

[Association of Major Power Consumers Ontario](#)

**Renaissance Room**  
**12:30 p.m.**

**Lunch: Evaluation from the Opposition**

Jim Flaherty, MPP (Whitby-Ajax), Ontario Progressive Conservative Party, Critic for Public Infrastructure Renewal, Government of Ontario

**2:15 p.m.**

**Concluding Remarks**

**2:30 p.m.**

**Adjourn**

