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Being a Change Agent: Leading IT Transformations

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# What it takes to be a Change Agent

Imagination Passion **Fortitude** Endurance Courage

# Change Agent Level of Leadership

Level 5

Level 3

Level 2

Accepts /
defends need
for change

Level 1

Defines and initiates change in small increments

Leads change, translates the vision into context and helps manage Manages
complex
change,
understands
<u>cultural</u>
dynamics,
balances
current reality
with need for
rapid change

Level 4

Champions of change, challenges the status quo, uses crisis in order to support dramatic transformations

Derived from Jim Canterucci and Dagmar Recklies, October 2001

# The Kotter Change Model – 8 Steps

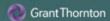
- 1. Establish a Sense of Urgency
- 2. Create the Guiding Coalition
- Develop the Vision & Strategy
- 4. Communicate the Vision
- 5. Empower a Broad Base of People to Take Action
- 6. Generate Short Term Wins
- 7. Consolidate Change & Produce even More Change
- 8. Institutionalize New Approaches in the Culture

# You Are Not Alone









# A New C<sup>4</sup> Agenda

Perspectives and Trends from State Government IT Leaders







#### State CIO goals ranked in order of mention by respondents

Item	Percent
Rationalizing/Centralizing IT services	67%
Controlling IT costs	55%
Improving IT governance and portfolio management	53%
Addressing healthcare information needs	33%
Protecting consumer/taxpayer data privacy	29%
Articulating IT value	25%
Introducing new technology	16%

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# Barriers to Effectiveness

#### Barriers to effectiveness ranked in order of mention by respondents

Item	Percent
Inadequate budgets	71%
Agency resistance to change	67%
Conflicting priorities among state programs	55%
Lack of time for strategic thinking and planning	20%
Aligning IT goals with state strategic goals	16%
Lack of support	12%
New federal or externally directed initiatives	12%
Disconnects with executive peers	10%
Overwhelming pace of technology change	10%

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# Status of Consolidations Across the Country

#### State CIO's report on the status of consolidation initiatives

	Percent			
Service	Considering	Completed	Ongoing	Planned
1. Telecom	98%	65%	27%	8%
2. Email	98%	38%	42%	20%
3. Data Centers	98%	32%	48%	20%
4. Security	94%	43%	35%	22%
5. Backups/Disaster Recovery	92%	29%	54%	17%
6. Servers	91%	21%	58%	21%
7. Storage	90%	26%	46%	28%
8. Content Management	78%	25%	43%	33%
9. Desktop Support	73%	26%	37%	37%
10. Business Applications	71%	8%	57%	35%
11. Staff	69%	23%	34%	43%
12. Imaging	69%	17%	26%	57%

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Major **Project** 



Network



App Dev



Help Desk



Managed Services



Data Center





Security



Geospatial

# Colorado Before...



Revenue Corrections

Natural Resources

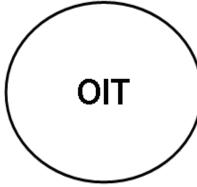
**Public Safety** 





Personnel &

Administration







**Procure** 









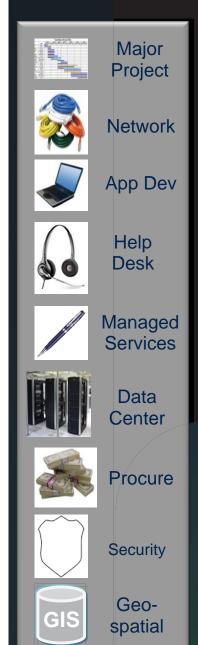




# Colorado Consolidation Legislation

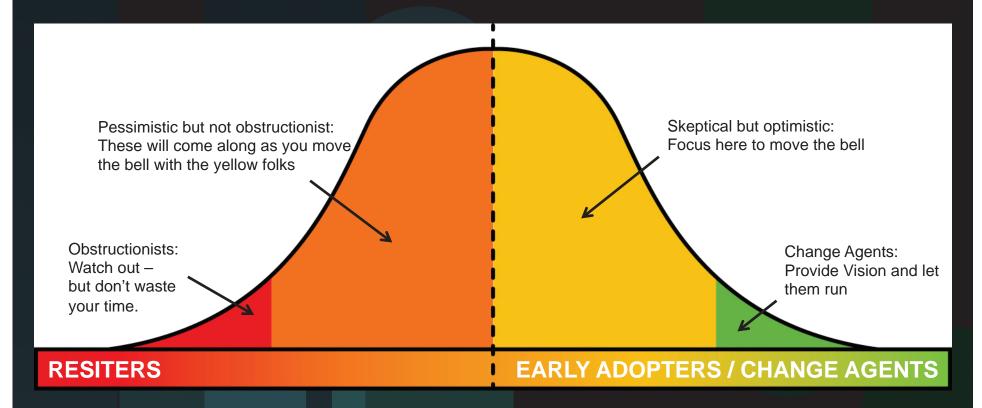
- > Consolidation Legislation Passed in 2008 with a 192 to 1 vote
- Created the Office of Information Technology
- > State CIO became a member of the Governor's Cabinet
- "Net Neutral" requirement meant that no new funds could be used for consolidation purposes
- "Revolving Fund" allowed OIT to harvest savings gained from consolidating and reinvest them in IT projects
- Single Chain of Command for all IT employees

\*\*Recession caused a 12% reduction in force and furloughs 1 day/month for 2 years



#### Colorado After... **Agency Services Team Agency Services Team Agency Services Team** D **Agency Services Team** nfrastructure **Services Team GIS Team** OIT **Cyber Security Team Customer Help Desk Team** OIT Administration Portfolio **Enterprise** Management **Application Team Services Team**

# **Anatomy of Change**



Assessing the Cultural Landscape During Transitions

# People are the key to change

Alliances with Key Department Executives/Cabinet Members

Make the effort to understand their business - CARE

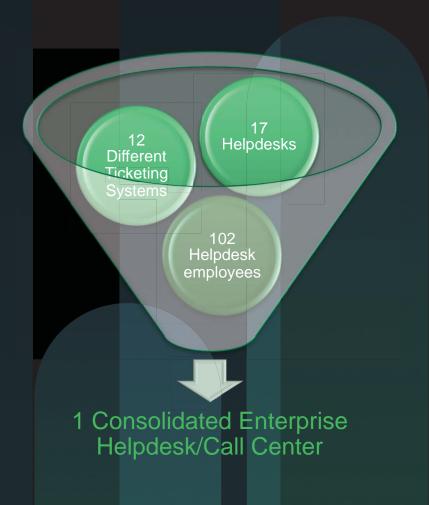


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Women's Correctional Facility Canon City, CO – IT Helpdesk

### Communication is Critical



England and America are two countries separated by a common language.

#### George Bernard Shaw

Irish dramatist & socialist (1856 - 1950)



# **Dealing With Uncertainty**

Shifting Political winds
Conflicting demands
Rapid fire decision making
Crisis Management

# Decision Making Core Values Take time to gather data Include / Delegate whenever possible Remain highly ethical

Make decisions

Do not avoid conflict

## **Lessons Learned**

**Human Resources** 

**Procurement** 

Marketing

# Change – Your View

Rising Expectations



Velocity of Technology



Access Everywhere



Financial Constraints



Mobile Workforce

Drivers Requiring Government to do Business Differently

# Federal IT Shared Services Strategy

#### Components of the strategy:

- 1. Implement a Shared First Plan
- 2. Assess & Benchmark Existing Lines of Business
- 3. Develop Roadmaps for Modernization & Improvement of Existing Services



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TECHNOLOGY SHARED SERVICES STRATEGY

"Shared First"

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## Shared Services – Potential Candidates

#### **Business Services**

**Procurement** 

Payroll

Compensation

Benefits administration

**Training** 

Travel

Policies and Procedures

Finance

Insurance

**Facilities Management** 

Fleet Management

#### **Technology Services**

**Desktop support** 

**Email/Office Productivity** 

**Imaging** 

Web Content Management

**Document Management** 

**Disaster Recovery** 

Data Storage

Server/Compute Power

**Data Center Operations** 

**Call Center Operations** 

Networks (LAN/WAN)

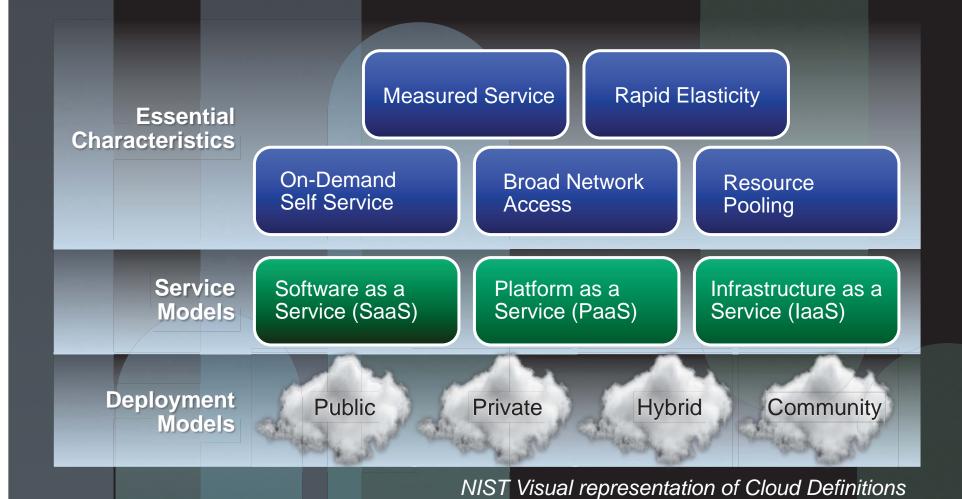
Voice/Video Communications

Inventory/Lifecycle Management

**Procurement** 

**Business Analytics** 

#### Cloud is an Enabler for Shared Services



http://www.csrc.nist.gov/groups/SNS/cloud-computing/index.html

# Utility Computing – a Consumer Model

# Shift from CapEx to OpEx

Service	Payment Model
Water	Metered usage
Electricity	Metered usage
Natural Gas	Metered usage
Phone Landline	Monthly subscription for local, metered usage for long distance
Phone Cellular	Subscription with usage limits or unlimited access
Cable/Dish TV	Bundled subscription packages comes with equipment, pay-per- view or on-demand are extras
Internet Access	Subscription for always-on services bundled with equipment, optional premium services
Data Storage	Metered usage, pay-as-you-go
Server (compute Power)	Metered usage, pay-as-you-go
Call Center Services	Subscription with leased equipment, video conferencing is extra

# Complex Transitions In Government Are Not New



Since President George Washington first relinquished the presidency to incoming President John Adams in 1797, peaceful and orderly transitions in government have symbolized both *continuity and change*.

# How do we pull this off every 4-8 years?...



Thank you.

