

# PSCIOC OFFICE 365 WORKING GROUP PROGRESS UPDATE

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# SUMMARY OF RECENT WORKING GROUP DISCUSSIONS

## *SINCE OUR LAST UPDATE IN JUNE*



### July

#### **O365 Adoption and Change Management (ACM)**

- Guest speakers from the Government of Ontario and Deloitte Consulting presented that jurisdiction's work to date and future plans for O365 ACM

### August

#### **eDiscovery**

- Working Group member from Alberta presented that jurisdiction's current state of eDiscovery services, including support for GoA's legal counsel and departments

### September

#### **O365/M365 Market Intelligence**

- Guest speakers from Gartner provided an executive briefing on Microsoft's position in the global marketplace, it's recent corporate results and Cloud strategy, and how that strategy affects organizations (both public and private sector) who procure Microsoft products and services

#### **Rogers Communications Outage**

- Roundtable discussion on April and July service outages to share experiences and discuss contingencies/redundancies to mitigate risks of similar outages occur in future

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## (CONTINUED)



### November \*

#### **Recent Updates to Microsoft Teams and the Teams Rooms Pro SKU**

- Working Group Chair presented a preview of upcoming Teams features from Microsoft Ignite for the Teams Rooms Pro SKU, including the recent price change for that SKU

#### **Assessing the need for M365 vs O365 SKUs**

- Roundtable discussion on how jurisdictions are dealing with the decision of whether or not to purchase M365 versus O365, given Microsoft's better discounting of M SKUs over O and given that the pricing of the M SKUs is significantly more than O

### November (ctd)

#### **PSCIOC and Microsoft**

- Roundtable discussion on how to create a unified public sector voice when dealing with Microsoft

### December

#### **Power Platform**

- Guest speaker from the Government of Ontario presented that jurisdiction's experiences and plans for the Microsoft Power Platform with the primary objective being to create a Low Code environment that meets the needs of both business users (citizen developers) and application developers

\* October Working Group meeting was cancelled



# THANK-YOU

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