

## **California Transportation Commission**

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## Fran Inman and Paul Van Konynenburg Named as Chair and Vice Chair of the California Transportation Commission

**[Rocklin]** – At its January 30, 2019 meeting, the California Transportation Commission (Commission) reelected Fran Inman as its Chair and elected Paul Van Konynenburg as Vice Chair, effective March 1, 2019.

Fran Inman was first appointed to the Commission by Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger in 2010 and was later reappointed by Governor Jerry Brown. Ms. Inman is a founding member of the National Freight Advisory Committee, served as Chair of the Board of the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce and serves as Vice Chair for the California Business Properties Association. She is also a long-time member of the Coalition of America's Gateway and Trade Corridors. In addition to her work in the transportation sector, Ms. Inman directs government relations and community affairs for Majestic Realty Co., one of the nation's largest privatelyheld real estate development companies. She is the founding president of the Majestic Realty Foundation.

Paul Van Konynenburg was appointed to the Commission in 2017 by Governor Jerry Brown. He is the managing partner of Britton Konynenburg Partners – a Global GAP certified sustainable producer of peaches, apples, cherries, almonds and apricots. Mr. Van Konynenburg is experienced in regional public-private collaborations through his work serving on the executive committee of Opportunity Stanislaus, as Chairman of the Stanislaus County Economic Development and Workforce Alliance, and with the Stanislaus County Economic Development Orporation. Mr. Van Konynenburg has also held a leadership role in Stanislaus County's DC Collaborative, an organization that advocates for federal funding of regional public works projects in Washington DC.

The California Transportation Commission is an independent commission responsible for programming and allocating funds for the construction of highway, passenger rail, transit and active transportation improvements throughout California. The Commission also advises and assists the Secretary of the California State Transportation Agency and the Legislature in formulating and evaluating state policies and plans for California's transportation programs. The Commission is also an active participant in the initiation and development of State and Federal legislation that seeks to secure financial stability for the State's transportation needs.



Commission Chair Fran Inman



Incoming Commission Vice Chair Paul Van Konynenburg

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