



Hilary Norton

Chairwoman Emeritus and CTC Commissioner, Executive Director of FASTLinkDTLA, and President of Effect Strategies

Hilary Norton brings over 28 years of experience in transportation and community development to her Commission role.

As FAST's founding Executive Director since 2008, Ms. Norton has mobilized a diverse coalition of business, labor, civic groups, educational institutions, and transit organizations to support policy and infrastructure improvements to LA's mobility, livability, and economic prosperity. FAST's major initiatives include: 1) FASTLinkDTLA – a new Transportation Management Organization (TMO) for Downtown LA, which operates one of the first ever in LA County micro-transit systems which connects travelers through the flexLA multi-mobility app, and connecting new on-demand wheelchair accessible vehicles (WV), transit, vanpools, carpools, scooters, bike share, biking and walking; 2) Mobility Hubs – carshare, bikeshare, bike parking, EV charging and traveler services at transit stations, job and education centers; 3) comprehensive arterial improvements to improve travel time, encourage mode shift, and promote safety and transit connectivity; 4) Metro ExpressLanes implementation throughout LA County, creating the Metro ExpressLanes Business Roundtable to support the pilot corridors and expand into a network; 5) Expanding LA County's bus rapid transit (BRT) network; and 6) Sixth Street Viaduct, Sixth Street Park and Arts District Station – which is the largest bridge reconstruction project in LA's history, adding bicycle and pedestrian lanes, and connections to the LA River and the Metro Red/Purple Line.

Ms. Norton served as 2018 chairwoman of the Los Angeles County Business Federation (BizFed) and is on the Board of Directors of the Central City Association. She co-chairs the Transportation Committees for BizFed, the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, and the Los Angeles Business Council.

Ms. Norton also served as the Business Representative on LA County Metro's Policy Advisory Committee and was a member of the Advisory Boards for Metro's Office of Extraordinary Innovation and Metro's Next Gen Bus Study. She is a member of SCAG's GLUE Council and its TDM Working Group.

Ms. Norton is a Director for the Orthopedic Institute for Children (OIC) which provides world class health care to all children regardless of ability to pay and is a Board member of the Leo Buscaglia Foundation.

She holds a Bachelor of Arts from Wellesley College and a Master in Public Policy from Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government.