

RELEASE INTRODUCING RICHARD BACIGALUPO AS THE NEWEST
PARTNER AT CARDINAL INFRASTRUCTURE, LLC

Cardinal Infrastructure, LLC, is pleased to announce the addition of its newest partner, Richard Bacigalupo. Rick will join founding partners Sherry E. Little, Anja Graves, and Severn E. S. Miller in the firm, which last August began to provide transportation consulting services to public and private entities nationwide.

Rick brings a wealth of national transit and transportation experience to the firm, having most recently served as the federal legislative affairs manager and federal transportation liaison at the Orange County Transportation Authority. Prior to that, he was the General Counsel, and later CEO, of Chicago's Regional Transportation Authority. He began his career in Washington, DC as a transit litigation attorney at the United States Department of Transportation and went on to serve as the Federal Transit Administration's Regional Counsel in Chicago.

About his decision to join Cardinal, Rick said: "In my past executive and counsel positions, I have been able to assist numerous transit systems to navigate the federal transportation funding and regulatory process. I now look forward to using that expertise to benefit an even greater range public and private entities in the transportation industry nationwide."

Throughout his career, Rick has maintained close and collaborative ties with transportation industry associations, having twice served on the Executive Committee of the American Public Transportation Association (APTA), and as chair of APTA's Legislative and Legal Affairs Committees. He has also participated on the Executive and Legislative Committees of the California Transit Association and served for six years as Chair of the Legal Research Panel of the Transportation Research Board. Richard White, acting President & CEO of APTA speaks highly of Rick, saying, "he has been an exceptional and knowledgeable addition to the Executive and Legislative Committees with APTA. His superior skills as a transportation policy expert and federal legislative affairs professional will serve Cardinal Infrastructure and their clients well."

Rick is a valuable addition to the founders of Cardinal Infrastructure's combined 75+ years' experience and knowledge to address the conditions of today's business and Federal climate while also looking down the road. They advise public and private entities on a full spectrum of necessary services, from initial policy and planning considerations, to financing and risk assessment, contracting, procurement, project delivery methods, public-private partnership strategies, the construction and operation of infrastructure projects, and assistance in navigating the complex regulations and procedures of the Federal Government and opportunities and successful solutions to challenging issues.

Rick resides in Orange County, California with his wife Carol. His two married daughters live in San Luis Obispo, California and Fairfax, Virginia. He is also the proud grandfather of two Virginian granddaughters.