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### **Robert (Rob) Ritter**

- FHWA Office of Planning
- Team Leader – Planning Capacity Building Team
- Previously – Director of Policy Activities  
– Eno Transportation Foundation
- Licensed professional engineer and certified planner
- Member of the TRB Metropolitan Transportation Planning Committee

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**Jeffrey Lambert**

- Formed Lambert Consulting
  - Provides planning & government relation services – public and private
- Previously – Director of Planning & Building Services – City of Santa Clarita
  - Land Use Project Manager for Kaiser Permanente
  - Served as planning commissioner for City of West Hollywood and adjunct professor for USC School of Policy Planning and Development
- Elected to National Board of Directors for APA & served as President of the California Chapter of APA

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**Tom Thompson**

- Executive Director of Chatham County-Savannah Metropolitan Planning Commission
- Over 30 years of experience in public works, planning, management and engineering
- Directed programs and projects in roadway planning, public transportation, marketing policy, engineering and community consensus building.
- Expertise is now focused on projects in Savannah
- Connecting Savannah: Moving People - Making Neighborhoods is a public participation-driven planning process to address long-term mobility and working towards building consensus on land use and transportation issues.



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### **Steve Kinsey**

- Third term Marin County CA Supervisor
- Serves on Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) since 1998 – the San Francisco Bay area's regional transportation planning and financing agency
- BA in Architecture w/ strong interest in strengthening communities
- Mobility for the Next Generation: Transportation 2030 Plan for the San Francisco Bay Area & Transit Oriented Development Policy for Regional Transit Extensions
- Transportation 2030 Plan - comprehensive roadmap for maintaining, fine-tuning and expanding the nine-county San Francisco Bay Area's transportation network that articulates a long-range vision of the Bay Area's transportation future.



## Larry Mugler

- Denver Regional Council of Governments since 1974 - serves as the Planning Services Coordinator in the Metro Vision Planning and Operations Division.
  - Responsible for programs dealing with regional development planning and general environmental studies.
  - Participated in such planning efforts as: Metro Vision 2020, the Regional Development Framework plan, Clean Water Plan, the National Urban Runoff Program, state implementation planning for air quality.
  - Prior to joining **DRCOG**, director of community development for a multi county planning organization in Oklahoma.
  - Member of the American Institute of Certified Planners
- ### **Metro Vision 2030 Planning and Implementation Program**
- Denver region's long-range plan to cooperatively address growth and development and transportation and environmental quality planning in the more than 50 cities and counties that make up the Denver region.