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Chris O'Connor serves as Senior Vice President of Government and Industry Affairs for the Associated General Contractors of California, where he oversees the organization's legislative strategy, political advocacy and labor relations efforts across the state.

For nearly two decades, his career has included leadership roles both within government and, for advocacy organizations working on behalf of the state's business community. Before joining AGC of California, Chris served as an executive within the Silicon Valley Leadership Group. Where he helped lead regional efforts regarding land use policy, transportation infrastructure and related funding initiatives such as VTA's 2016 Measure B and MTC's 2018 Regional Measure 3.

Prior to his career advocating for California's business community, Chris resided in Washington, D.C. serving as Congressional staff, and within the U.S. Department of the State's Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation.



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