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Infrastructure Management Group, Inc. Professionals Participate in Annual ARTBA PPV Conference

Washington, DC, September 2009—Infrastructure Management Group, Inc. (IMG) professionals presented at several panels at this year's American Road and Transportation Builders Association (ARTBA) annual "Public Private Ventures in Transportation Conference" in Washington, D.C. on September 24th and 25th.

IMG Vice President Sasha Page served as moderator on the "Maximum Available Budget, Minimum Subsidies, Availability Payments and Other Forms of Mini P3s" panel. Panelists included the Honorable Dr. William Ankner, Secretary, Louisiana Department of Transportation; John Munoz, Texas Department of Transportation; and Chris Kane, P3 Collaborative LLC. They discussed new P3 approaches that were appropriate for smaller projects, non-revenue generating industries, such as transit, and ways to maximize private involvement for projects whose direct revenues would not fully cover costs.

IMG Manager Alene Tchourumoff participated in "P3s and High Speed Rail," discussing how the California High-Speed Rail Authority is seeking to leverage P3s to fund the \$33.6 billion project.

Finally, Mr. Page provided comments from a private developer perspective on the Federal Highway Administration's recent report: *Public Private Partnerships for Highway Infrastructure: Capitalizing on International Experience* on the "Translating International PPP Experience into U.S. Practice" panel. This presentation can be

found on IMG's website at

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