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Nabers to speak at North American Infrastructure Leadership Forum

Denver event Oct. 25-27 to highlight North America's top 50 infrastructure projects

AUSTIN, TX (8/16/201) – Mary Scott Nabers, president and CEO of Strategic Partnerships, Inc. and co-founder of the Gemini Global Group, will again be among the speakers for the annual CG/LA Infrastructure-sponsored North American Infrastructure Leadership Forum. This year's event, the organization's eighth, is set for Oct. 25-27 in Denver. CG/LA works with both public- and private-sector organizations and can point to 25 years of experience covering all infrastructure sectors in the developed and developing world.

A nationally recognized expert in public-private partnerships (P3s/PPPs), Nabers is also the author of [*Collaboration Nation: How Public-Private Ventures Are Revolutionizing the Business of Government*](#). At last year's forum in Washington, D.C., she moderated a panel on P3s that included private-sector experts from the legal, financial, transportation and infrastructure fields as well as from the U.S. Department of Transportation. The group discussed the type of expertise that most public officials seek when they are about to launch a P3 solicitation.

"Infrastructure needs continue to grow and government funding is scarce," said Nabers. "The goal of this forum is to bring together leaders of the various industries that can make important and long-overdue projects happen and encourage collaboration between the public and private sectors."

As in years past, the forum will present North America's top infrastructure projects – 50 of them this year – that can ensure global competitiveness and create jobs. These projects

collectively are valued at billions of dollars and will offer large, high-dollar contracting opportunities for financial, equipment and technology, engineering and construction firms as well as for the public sector through collaborative efforts and public-private partnerships. The projects include surface transportation, water and wastewater, new and traditional energy, urban mass transportation, oil and energy, ports and logistics and digital infrastructure.

In addition to presentations on each of the projects, the forum also will include pre-scheduled private meetings with project presenters and event sponsors, workshops and round tables discussions and multiple networking opportunities. [Registration](#) is now open for the event. CG/LA Infrastructure Inc. is headquartered in Washington, D.C., and maintains offices in São Paulo, Brazil, and Mexico City with affiliates and strategic partners that span the globe.

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About Strategic Partnerships, Inc.:

SPI is a full-service procurement consulting firm. SPI is recognized as a pioneer in the business of partnering public and private entities for commercial purposes. SPI was founded by Mary Scott Nabers, a published expert on public-private partnerships (P3s). For more information, contact SPI at 512-531-3900 or by visiting www.spartnerships.com.