



**SCUTARI & CO**

**Shannon L. Scutari**  
**President, Scutari & Co., LLC.**

Shannon creates public-private partnerships to fund, design and build transportation infrastructure, community development projects and urban revitalization initiatives. As an experienced entrepreneur and industry expert with 25 years of experience, a lobbyist for over 15 years and a growth & infrastructure policy advisor for two Arizona Governors (Governor Napolitano and Governor Brewer), Shannon specializes in working with diverse constituencies and coalitions to get things done that surprise even the staunchest cynics.

**Shannon's career accomplishments include:**

- Facilitating a \$13M public-private partnership to fund the Tempe Streetcar
- Team leadership for two successful “game changing” transportation funding initiatives
  - Proposition 400: Maricopa County Regional Transportation Plan & Funding
  - Proposition 104: City of Phoenix Transportation 2050
- Co-founder of two successful multi-jurisdictional public, private, non-profit and philanthropic Collaboratives:
  - **Sustainable Communities Collaborative:** Launched a \$50M Sustainable Communities Fund leveraging over \$350M in private investment for equitable transit-oriented development in Phoenix, Tempe and Mesa
  - **South Central Collaborative** (Warehouse District / Central City South / South Phoenix): Launched a \$10M South Central Business Assistance Fund and created the South Central Design Team to influence the design of the South Central Light Rail Project
- Successfully transformed Arizona's statewide transportation and land use planning priorities:
  - Secured \$6.5M to launch and lead the state's first Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) for Passenger Rail (Phoenix-Tucson)
  - Led the team that created Arizona's first-ever State Rail Plan
  - Led efforts to ensure Arizona secured a coveted spot on the National Rail Map (Phoenix-LA & Phoenix-Vegas)
  - Collaborated with the University of Arizona Drachman Institute and Chicago-based Center for Neighborhood Technology to utilize the Housing + Transportation Affordability Index in Pinal, Pima, Maricopa and Yuma county long range planning
  - Led a partnership consisting of representatives from the City of Tempe, City of Phoenix, City of Mesa, Army Corp. of Engineers, Arizona Department of Transportation, and Maricopa County to establish policy and funding support and secure remnant parcels for the development of Tempe Town Lake (Tempe), Tempe Habitat Restoration projects (Tempe), Tres Rios Habitat Restoration (Phoenix), and Va Shly' Ay Akimel (Mesa)

Ms. Scutari earned her joint J.D./MBA and Bachelor's Degree from Arizona State University. She is a member of the State Bar of Arizona.