

**ORANGE COUNTY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS (OCCOG)**

**AUTHORIZATION:** Resolution No. 96-6 adopted on January 8, 1996 by the City of Newport Beach in support of the formation of an Orange County Association of Governments.

**MEMBERSHIP:** Mayor and Mayor Pro Tem (Alt)

**TERM:** Coincides with SCAG appointment

**PURPOSE & RESPONSIBILITIES:** Provide a forum for addressing regional planning issues; and

Provide Orange County with an arena for its public agencies to exchange ideas and information, conduct studies and projects to improve common government responsibilities, build consensus among members on regional and subregional issues, advocate Orange County interests at the regional, state and federal level, and assist in coordinating subregional planning efforts.