



*Fifth District Honoree*

**Peggy Edwards, M.P.A.**

*President*

*Bridge to Home*

Peggy Edwards, M.P. A. is the founder and served as the Executive Director for the United Homeless Healthcare Partners from 2006 to 2016 and as the founder and Executive Director of the Los Angeles Regional Reentry Partnership from 2011 to 2016. She currently serves as President of the Board of Bridge to Home, Santa Clarita's homeless services agency.

As a partner in Ellis/Edwards, Ms. Edward's areas of expertise include strategic planning, organization development, community and employee engagement, and board and executive development. Ms. Edwards is known for her skills as an experienced leader, consultant and facilitator.

In addition to Bridge to Home, Ms. Edwards's volunteer experience includes local and regional offices for Zonta International, board membership and committee leadership for Girl Scouts of Greater Los Angeles, Sam Dixon Family Health Center, Child & Family Center, and the American Society for Public Administration. She is also a founder of Sisters in Time, a roommate matching program for senior women.

Ms. Edwards has conducted numerous pro bono strategic planning consulting projects for non-profit organizations, nationally and internationally, as well as in her community in the Santa Clarita Valley. She has received Community Service Awards by Neighborhood Legal Services in Los Angeles as well as Purdue University Alumni Association. Ms. Edwards continues to make a community impact through her work at Bridge to Home.

Ms. Edwards has received numerous honors and recognitions, including the Purdue University Alumni Association Citizenship Award for Outstanding Community Service. She has a Bachelor's of Arts degree in English and Journalism from Purdue University and a Master's of Public Administration from the Consortium of the California State Colleges and Universities.

