



**Jose M. Gonzalez, Executive Vice President, Corporate Development, Florida East Coast Industries, LLC**

Mr. Gonzalez first joined Florida East Coast Industries' (FECI) predecessor company, Codina Group, in 1997. Today, as Executive Vice President of Business Development for FECI, Mr. Gonzalez is responsible for pre-development project issues including land use, zoning, environmental, traffic/transportation, NEPA and general governmental regulation, as well as property acquisition and seller due diligence issues. He leads the strategic planning for all the expansions within the various business units. Mr. Gonzalez' involvement spans across all projects for FECI and its subsidiary companies, including Brightline/Virgin Rail; Flagler, a commercial real estate development and management company and Flagler Global Logistics which is developing Class A office and industrial business parks throughout Florida. He also serves as the President of the Builders Association of South a local chapter of both the Florida Home Builders Association and the National Association of Home Builders.

Prior to joining FECI, Mr. Gonzalez held several positions within Miami-Dade County Government where he was responsible for reviewing plans and projects for the Building and Zoning Department and coordinating code issues and public hearings for the Department of Environmental Resources Management.

Mr. Gonzalez holds a bachelor's in Political Science from Florida International University.