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818.760.2121**Fiona Hutton Rebrands One of California's Leading Public Affairs Companies**  
*Red Gate Communications now Fiona Hutton & Associates*

LOS ANGELES – Fiona Hutton, one of the best-known public affairs professionals in regional and statewide politics in California, announced today that the firm she founded in 2001, Red Gate Communications Inc., has been renamed [Fiona Hutton & Associates, Inc.](http://www.fionahuttonassoc.com) The rebranding more clearly reflects how the firm is recognized in the marketplace and additionally highlights the personalized service provided by the firm.

The firm also launched today a new website bearing its new logo and its new look, [www.fionahuttonassoc.com](http://www.fionahuttonassoc.com).

“We’re changing our name, but Fiona Hutton & Associates will continue to be your connection for communications solutions and unparalleled client service on a broad spectrum of public policy issues,” said Ms. Hutton, president, Fiona Hutton & Associates. “At Fiona Hutton & Associates, we are large enough to meet all your statewide public affairs needs – and just the right size to ensure your project will be a top priority.”

Ms. Hutton has more than two decades of experience working in the agency, corporate, political and governmental worlds. She founded a firm that has become recognized – and sought after – as one of California’s leading communications and public affairs consulting practices.

With a focus on issues and public policy, Fiona Hutton & Associates has developed extensive experience in strategic communications, message development, media relations, coalition building and outreach, issues and crisis management and statewide ballot measure campaigns.

It has represented a wide range of high-profile corporate, non-profit, government, trade association and political clients, including the California Association of Health Plans, The Home Depot, The Nature Conservancy, Los Angeles Dodgers, Association of California Water Agencies, Woodside Natural Gas and City National Bank.

The firm specializes in complex and often controversial policy issues, including energy, health care, scientific and medical research, land use, water, banking, agriculture and the environment.

“We take great pride in our creative strategies and planning, disciplined and tenacious implementation, accountability to our clients and personalized service,” said Ms. Hutton. “At Fiona Hutton & Associates, you can be assured our experienced senior principals will deliver the results you need, expect and should demand.”