



Kathleen Webb

Chief Operating Officer

California State Controller's Office

Kathleen Webb joined the State Controller's Office in October 2021 as the Chief Operating Officer, and is responsible for overseeing the State Accounting and Reporting Division, Local Government and Services Division, Unclaimed Property Division, Division of Audits and Fi\$Cal Business Partnership. Prior to this, Kathleen was appointed Chief Deputy Director of the Department of Motor Vehicles in July 2019 by Governor Newsom, where she had also served as the acting director of the Department of Motor Vehicles since January 2019. Her public service career also includes serving as the Director of Performance Improvement at the Government Operations Agency from 2017 to 2019, Assistant Secretary for Innovation and Accountability from 2015 to 2017, Chief Risk and Compliance Officer for the California Public Employee Retirement System from 2012 to 2015, Director of Policy and Risk Management from 2010 to 2012 and Chief of Strategic Planning and Policy from 2009 to 2012 for California Correctional Health Care Services, Deputy Director of the Interagency Support Division at the Department of General Services from 2008 to 2009, and Director of the Governor's Office of the Insurance Advisor from 2006 to 2008. Ms. Webb also held multiple positions with State Farm Insurance from 1986 to 2006, including agency, claims management and legislative affairs. She earned her Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science and Women's Studies from UC Berkeley as a student-athlete and received a Charter Property & Casualty Underwriter (CPCU) professional designation in 2003.