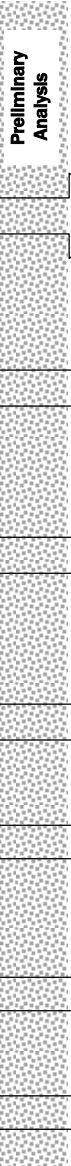


2001 - 2002

I-5 Transportation and Trade Partnership
(Vision - Concepts - Analyze - Recommend)

Concepts proposed - key components include:



Freeway

Transit

Finance

Environmental Justice

Intercity Rail (Commuter Rail)

Freight Rail

Land Use

Multiple concepts developed and recommended for further study

2004 - 2005

"You are Here"
(Columbia River Crossing Project Technical Analysis)

Technical contracts and work by Agencies/Jurisdictions... adds detailed technical information to support further analysis

Conceptual Engineering / Environmental

Finance & Tolling

Traffic & Transit

Bi-State Requirements

Regulatory Requirements

Assemble policy decision & technical information for concepts to be presented during scoping

Determine financial options that should be explored in DEIS

Analyze/determine administrative & regulatory issues affecting project

Compile information re: tolling options that should be presented in DEIS

- Other pre-DEIS actions:
- Reach consensus on travel demand forecasting assumptions for DEIS
 - Reach agreement on funding assumptions to include in DEIS
 - Develop and refine organizational structures
 - Identify and resolve procedural issues
 - Identify and resolve intergovernmental issues

Being addressed through Bi-State Rail Forum

Being addressed by MPOs

2005

Scoping - "Most Promising"

Recommend for Scoping

- Transit options
- Bridge & freeway options
- Financing options including tolling
- Structure to meet FHWA, FTA, OR & WA statutes & regulations
- Environmental Justice Plan

Answers the questions...

- Is what's being studied reasonable?
- Is the number of options reasonable?
- Is the range of options reasonable?

Scoping Meetings

2005 - 2007

DEIS

Reasonable promising alternatives for DEIS