

Spring 2015- Summer 2015

- Engage project stakeholders
- Prepare purpose and need statement
- Develop initial alternatives
- Hold public open house to gather input on initial alternatives and scope of environmental analysis

Fall 2015- Fall 2016

- Gather design and environmental data; conduct technical analysis
- Refine, screen alternatives
- Hold public open houses to gather input on alternatives and screening
- Identify alternatives to analyze in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)

Winter 2017- Fall 2017

- Hold open house to gather input on alternatives to analyze in the Draft EIS
- Perform environmental impacts analysis on alternatives advanced to Draft EIS
- Complete environmental reports
- Start preparing the Draft EIS

Winter 2018- Fall 2018

- Finish preparing and publish Draft EIS for public review
- Hold public hearing to gather input on Draft EIS
- Prepare Final EIS
- Publish final EIS and Record of Decision