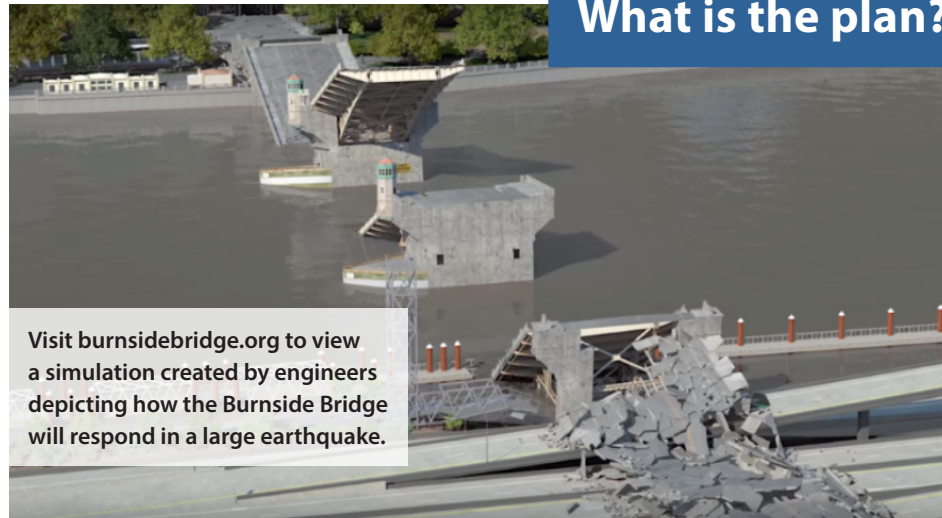


Portland’s aging downtown bridges are not expected to withstand a major earthquake.

Since 1926, the Burnside Bridge has served us well. To take us across the river for another 100 years, it needs an upgrade. Over the next several years, Multnomah County will evaluate options for creating a resilient Burnside crossing that will withstand a major earthquake.

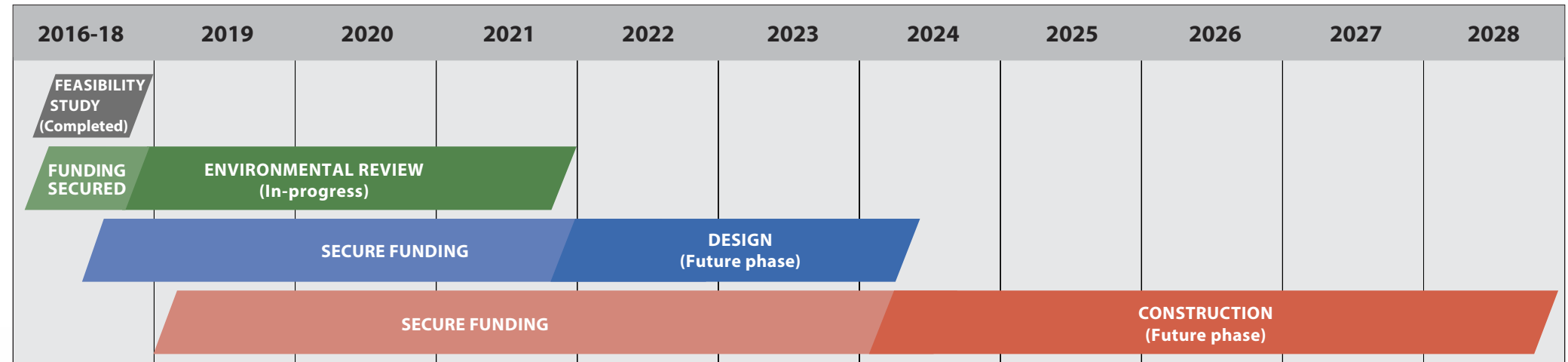
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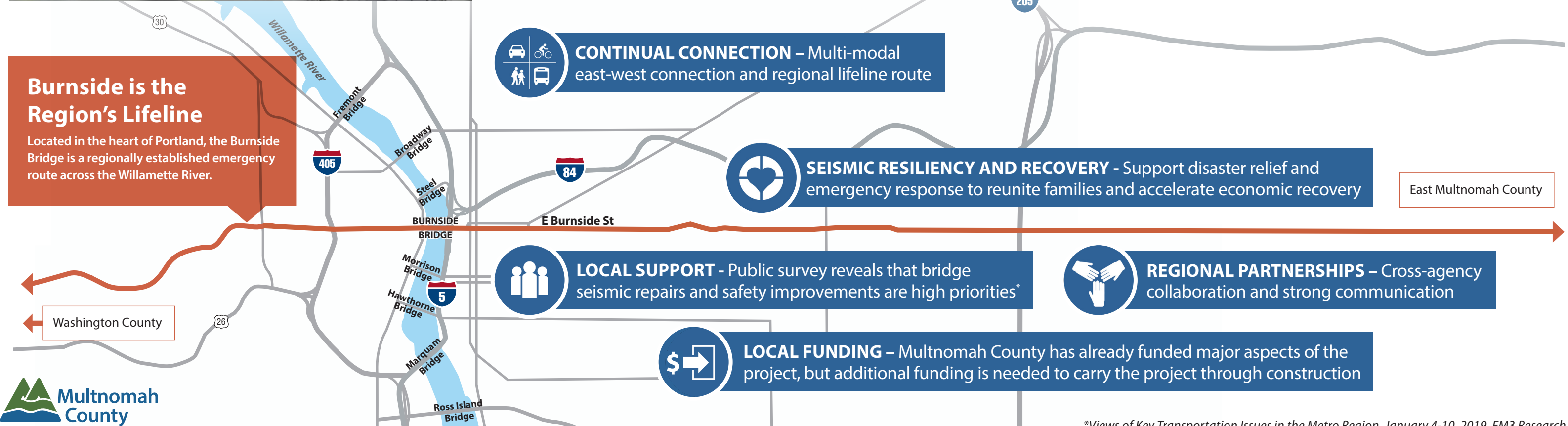
Visit burnsidebridge.org to view a simulation created by engineers depicting how the Burnside Bridge will respond in a large earthquake.

PROJECT TIMELINE

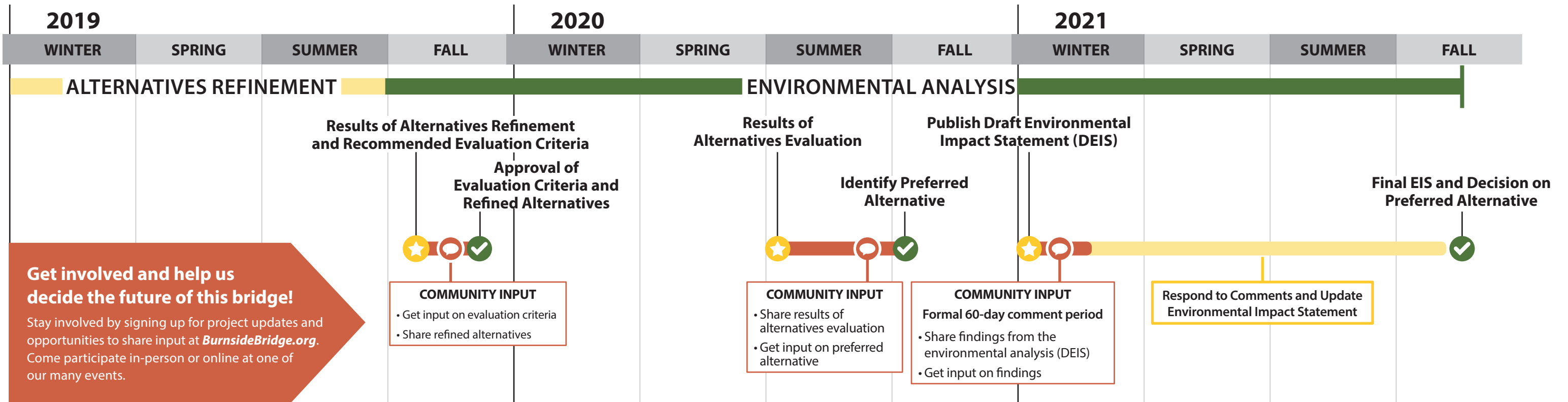
The project is now in the Environmental Review phase which includes preparing an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Your input is vital in helping us get to a preferred option to advance into Design and then into Construction.



Burnside is the Region’s Lifeline
 Located in the heart of Portland, the Burnside Bridge is a regionally established emergency route across the Willamette River.

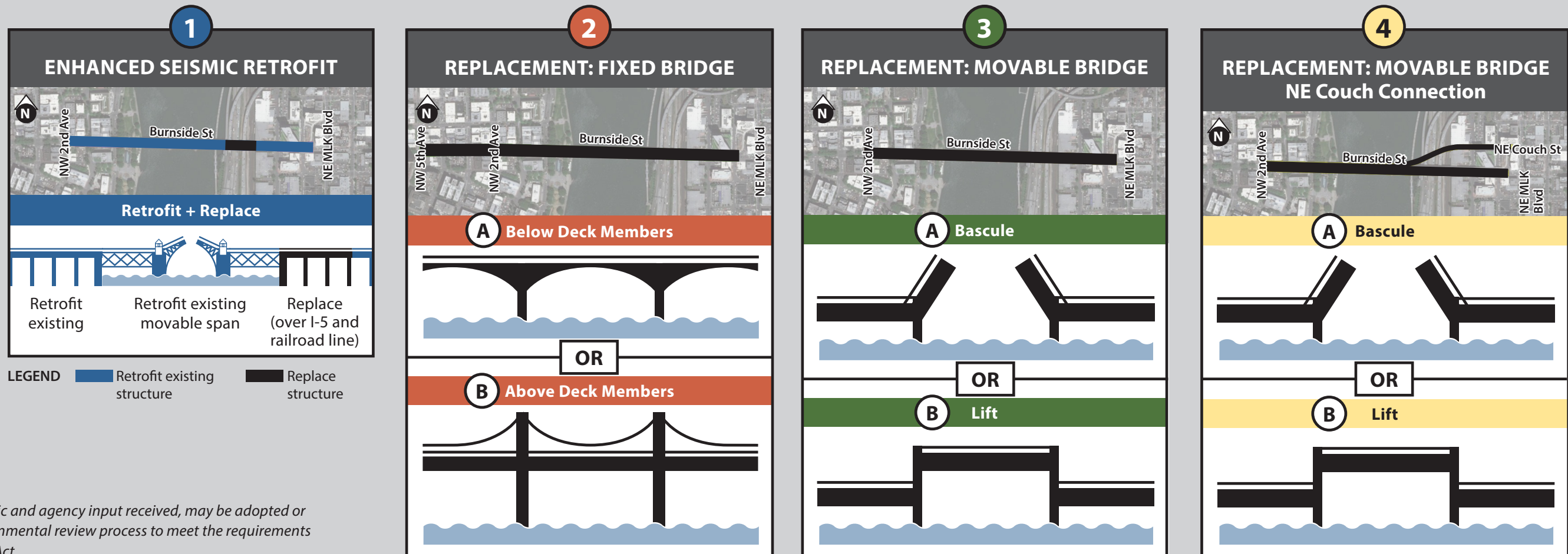


Environmental Review Process



Alternatives with options under evaluation

Four alternatives with multiple options are being studied further as part of the Environmental Review phase of the Earthquake Ready Burnside Bridge project, each with distinct characteristics to consider and evaluate. A no-build alternative will also be evaluated.



The information presented here, and the public and agency input received, may be adopted or incorporated by reference into a future environmental review process to meet the requirements of the federal National Environmental Policy Act.

Alternative illustrations are not to scale and are for bridge type illustration purposes only.