



Alaska Department of Transportation & Public Facilities

Seward Airport Improvements

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Welcome!



- Introductions
- Project process overview
- What we've learned, still gathering data
- Schedule



Project team



• ADOT&PF

- Barbara Beaton, P.E.
 - Project Manager
- Joy Vaughn, P.E.
 - Consultant Coordinator

• PDC Engineers

- Royce Conlon, P.E.
 - Project Manager
- Ken Risse, P.E.
 - Project Engineer
- Patrick Cotter, AICP
 - Project Planner

• Solstice Alaska

- Robin Reich
 - Public Involvement Coordinator/Biologist
- Carla SlatonBarker
 - Public Involvement Specialist

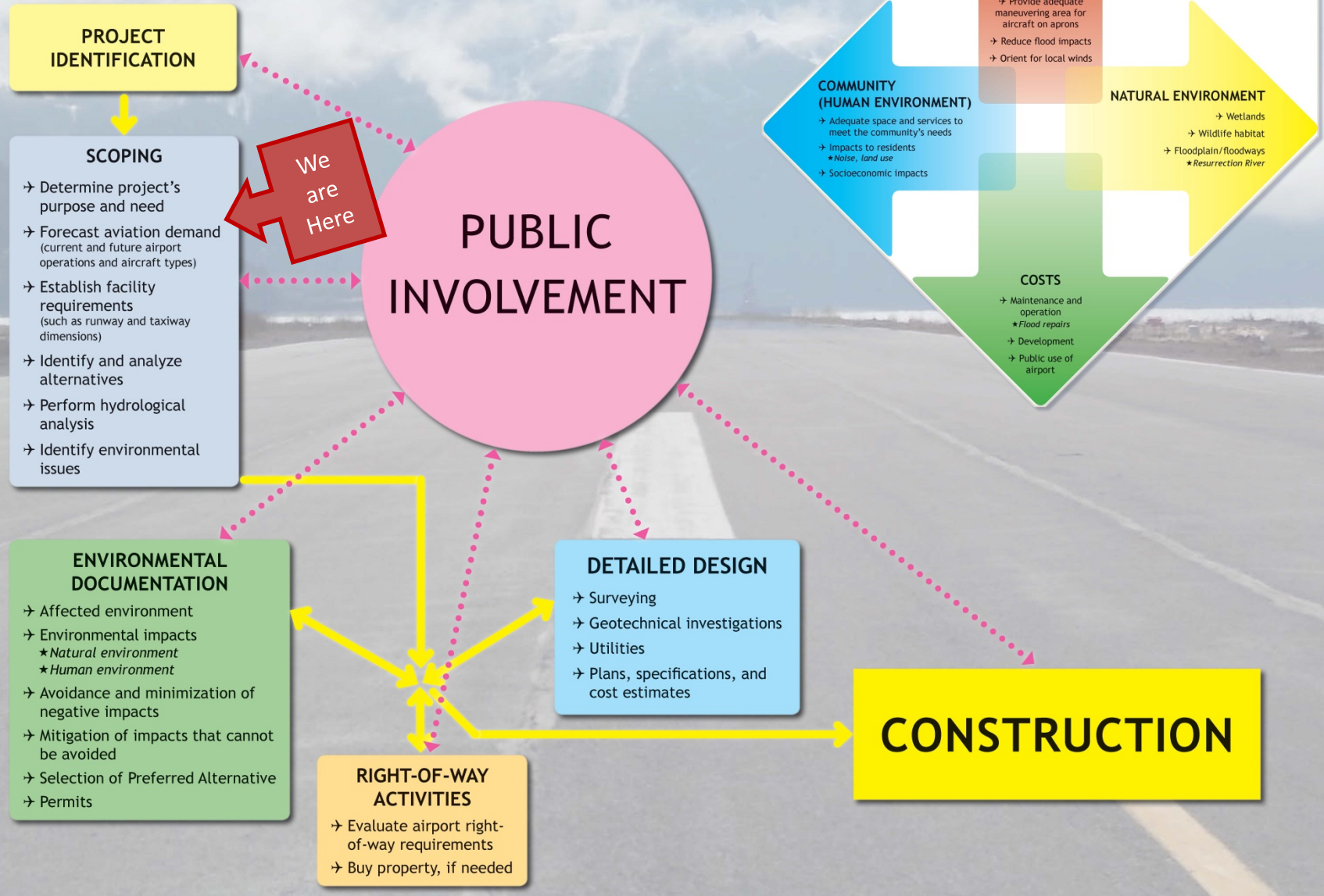
• Hydraulics & H Modeling

- Ken Karle, P.E.
 - Project Hydrologist

• Shannon & Wilson

- Kyle Brennen, P.E.
 - Geotechnical Engineer

THE PROJECT PROCESS



Public Involvement Elements

- **Public Meetings**
- **Stakeholder advisory group**
- **Newsletters**
- **Website w/ notifications of update**
- **Opportunity for Public Hearing**
(during review period for the Environmental Assessment)

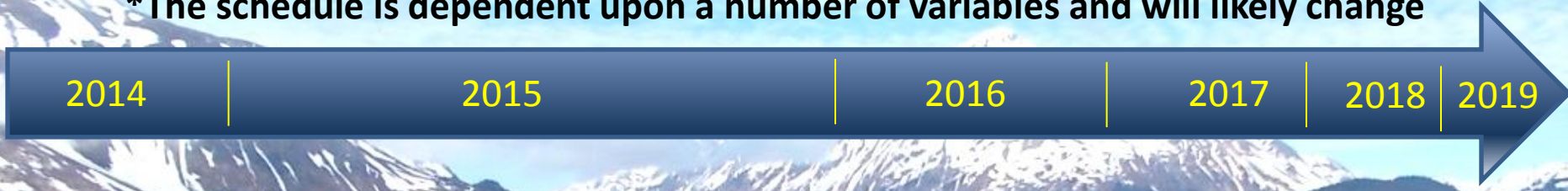
Information Gathering

An aerial photograph showing a significant flooding event. A large body of water has inundated a runway and taxiway area, with debris scattered in the water. In the background, there are forested hills and mountains under a cloudy sky. The foreground shows a road and some buildings partially submerged or surrounded by water.

- **Past, Present & Potential Future Aviation Activity**
- **Community Demographics**
- **Hydrology w/ potential new Floodplain Mapping**
- **Wind Data**
- **Geotechnical Information**
- **Environmental Conditions**
- **Adjacent Land Owners/Land Uses**

Anticipated Schedule & Process

*The schedule is dependent upon a number of variables and will likely change



Scoping
June 2014 – Jan 2015

Environmental
Jan 2015 – Dec 2015

Right of Way Acquisition
Oct 2015 – Feb 2017

Airport Design


Preliminary	Local	Plans in Hand	Review PS&E	Final PS&E
	35%	65%	95%	100%

Construction
April 2018-Oct 2019

Public Involvement

* Open House * Open House * Open House





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