

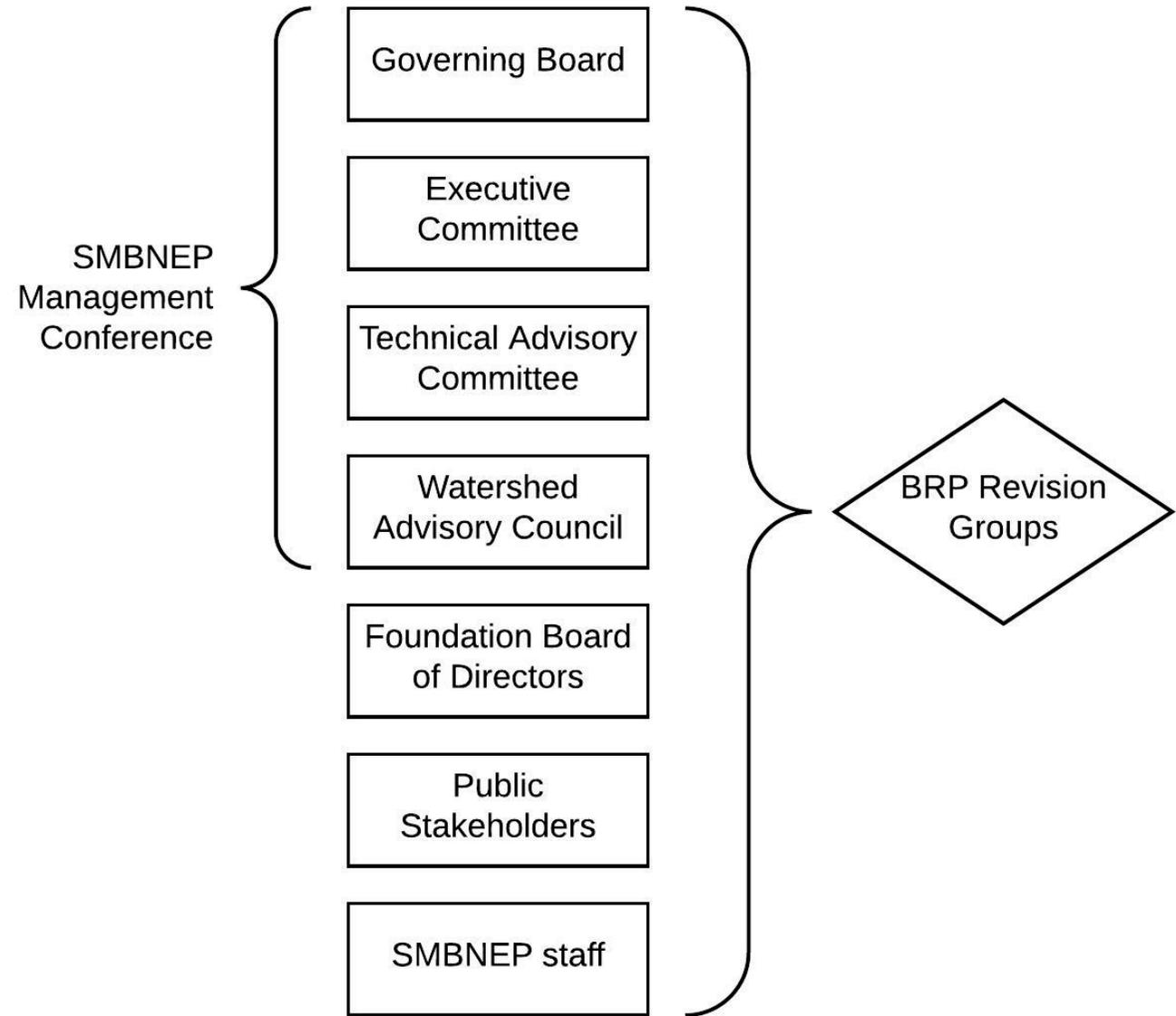
# Santa Monica Bay National Estuary Program

## Bay Restoration Plan 2017 Revision

14 December 2017



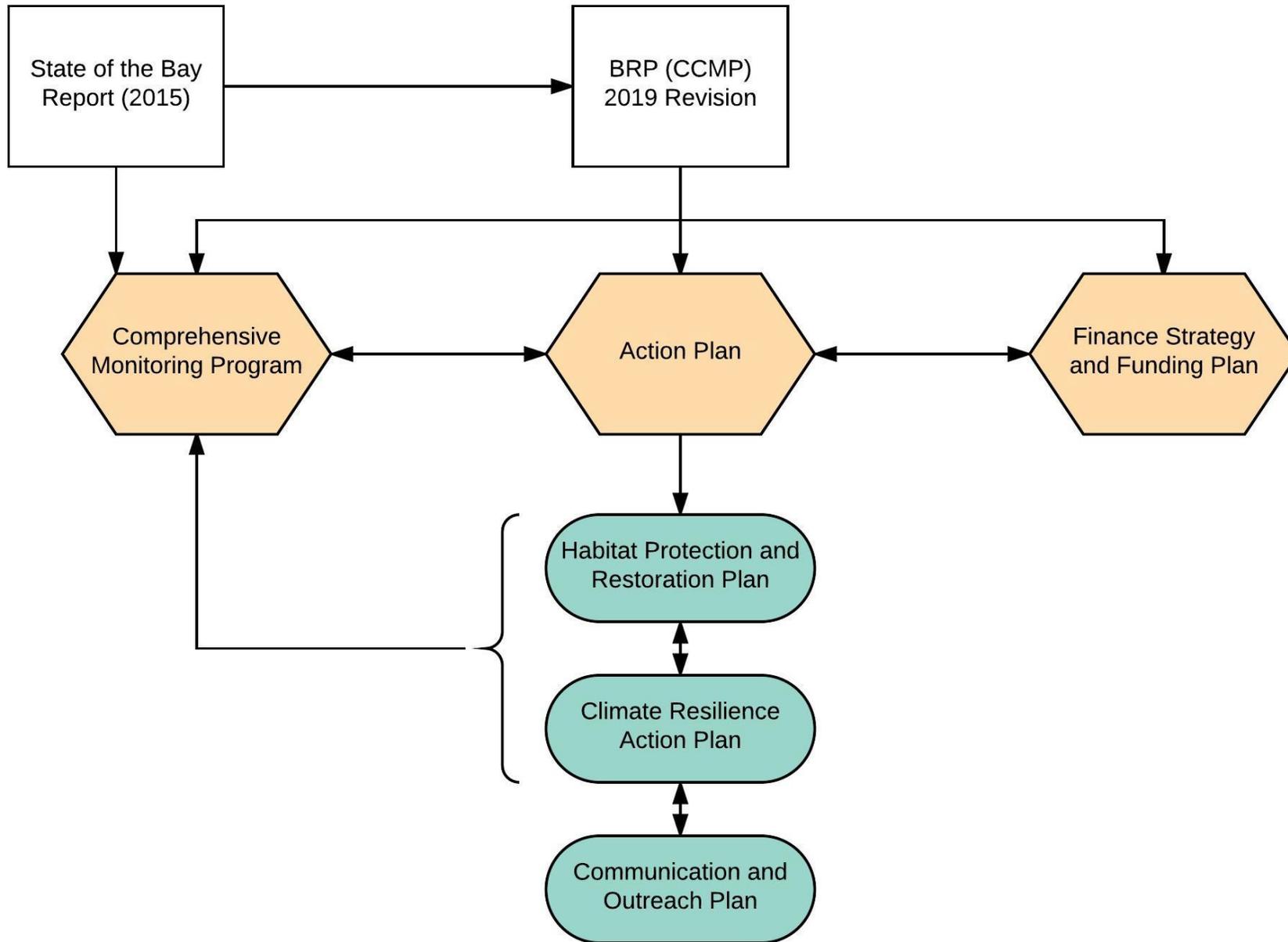
# BRP Revision Participants



# BRP Revision Driven by:

- Overhaul on goals needed in the context of progress and new factors such as the inclusion of climate change and CCVA as new priority area; new inclusion of performance measures

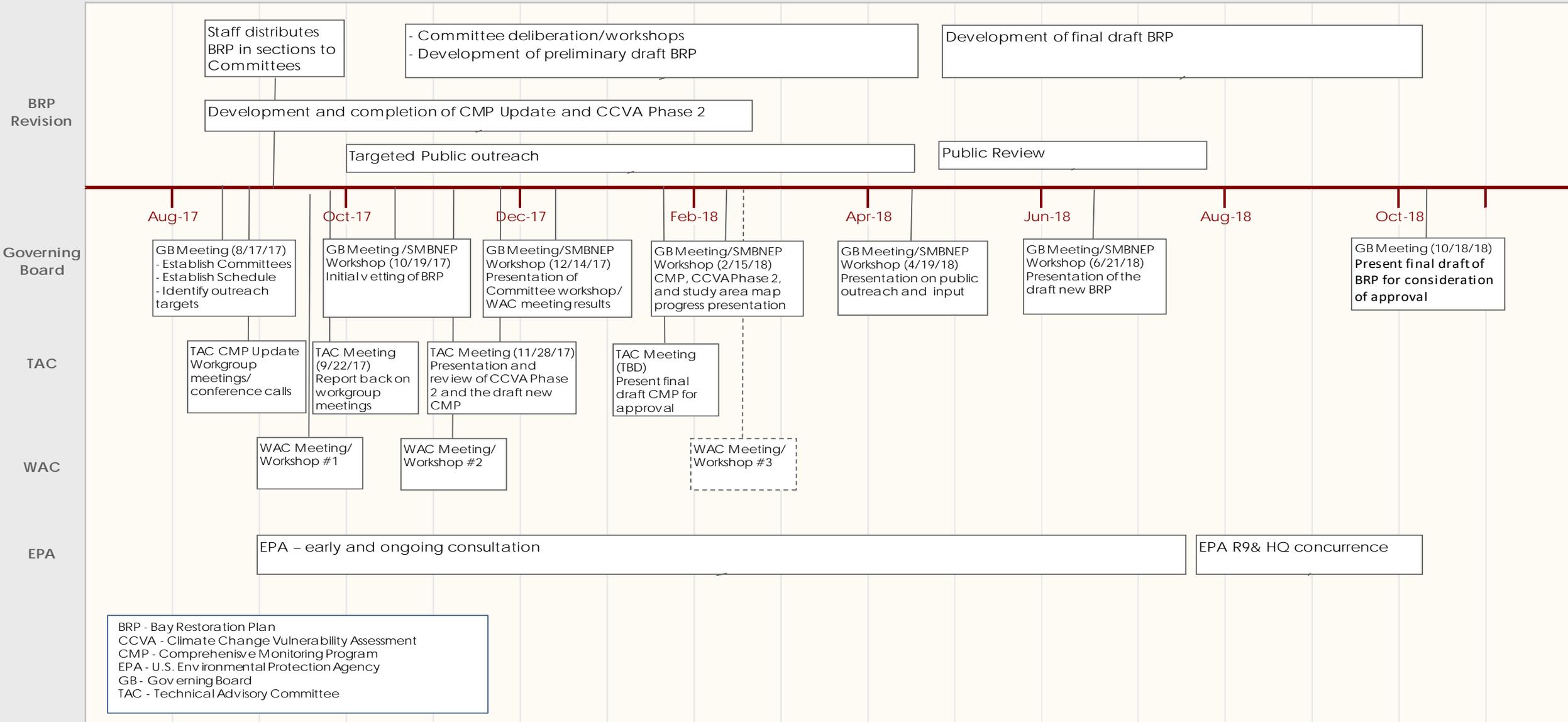
*EPA role: confirm that the products meet guidance docs, provide input and suggestions, ultimately concur with revised BRP*



# NEW BRP Plan Components: based on EPA guidance

Needs to also include timeline, lead implementer, and performance measures for each action

# SMBNEP Bay Restoration Plan Revision Timeline



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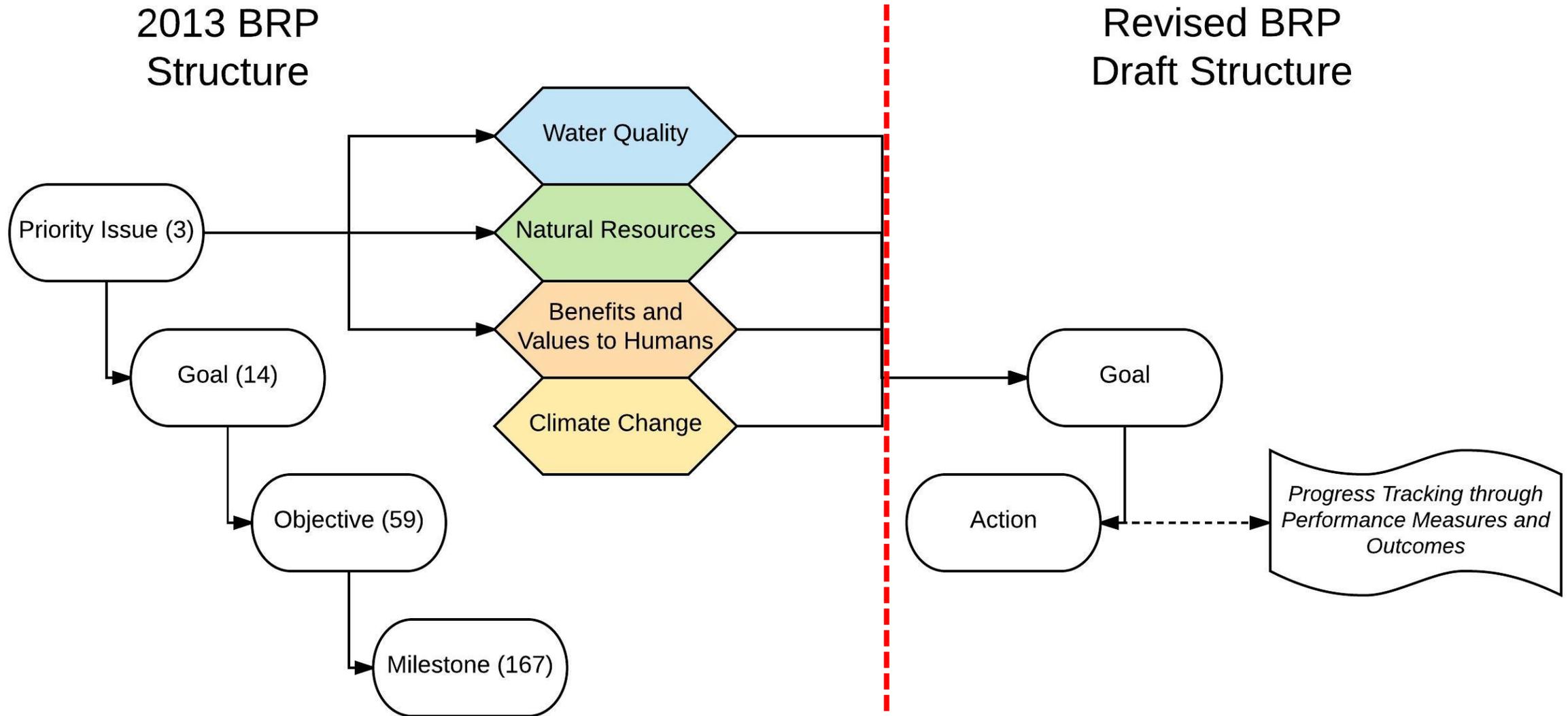
- Broad consensus that three existing priority areas (WQ, natural resources, benefits and values to humans) all still remain important and should be overarching guiding principles
  - New addition from all: climate change as priority area
- Priority areas intricately linked and not independent w/regard to individual objectives/goals
- Existing habitat list – each are important and should roll over
  - New addition of upland and urban habitats
- Consensus that projects to increase adaptive capacity of habitats / infrastructure protection to climate change stressors should take priority

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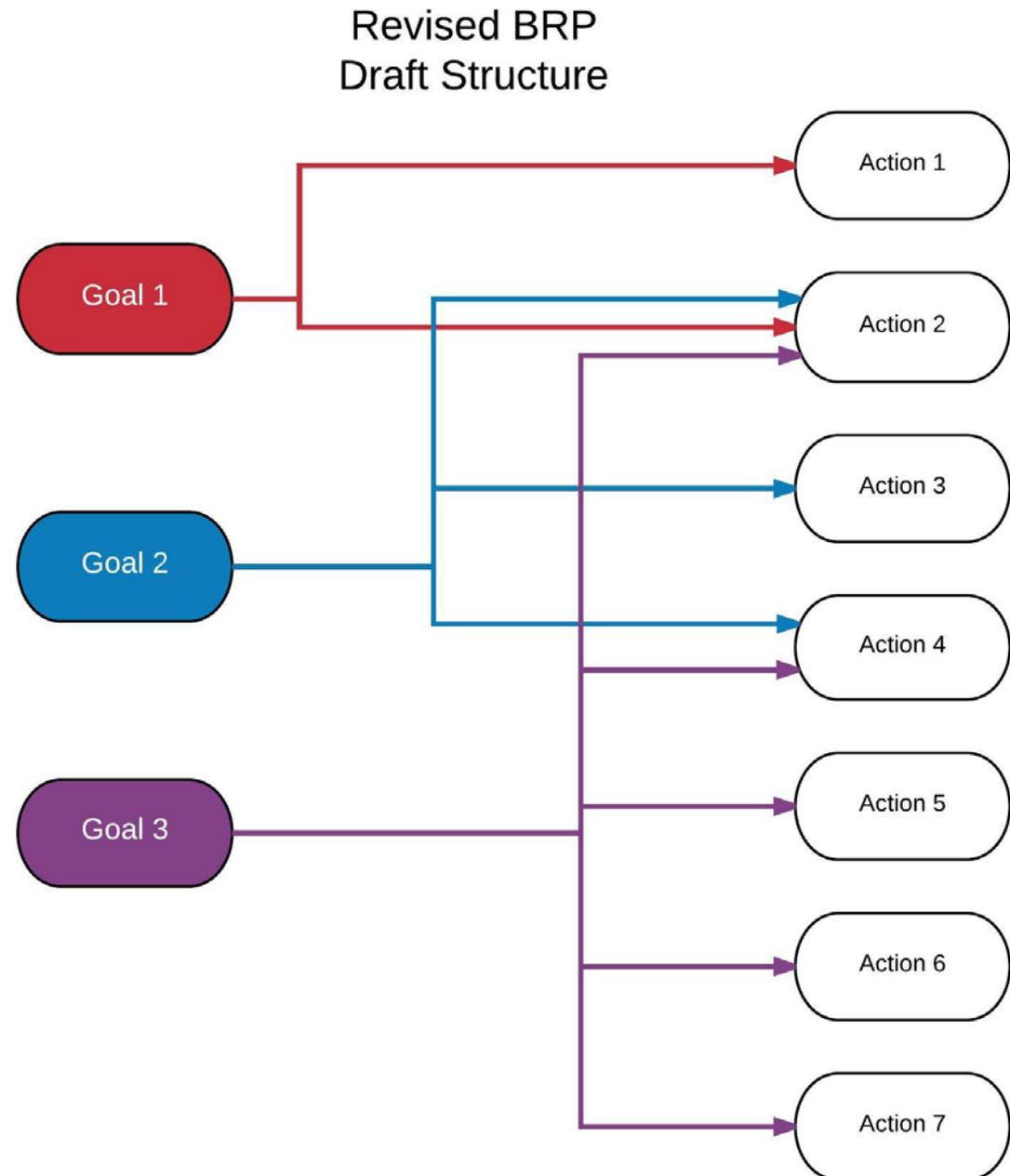
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- New emerging concerns: e.g. fire retardant chemicals, sedimentation issues, pharmaceuticals, microplastics, unregulated pesticides
- More public education and awareness initiatives
- Science-based invasive species removal still a priority
- Water conservation, capture, and reuse common themes of discussion

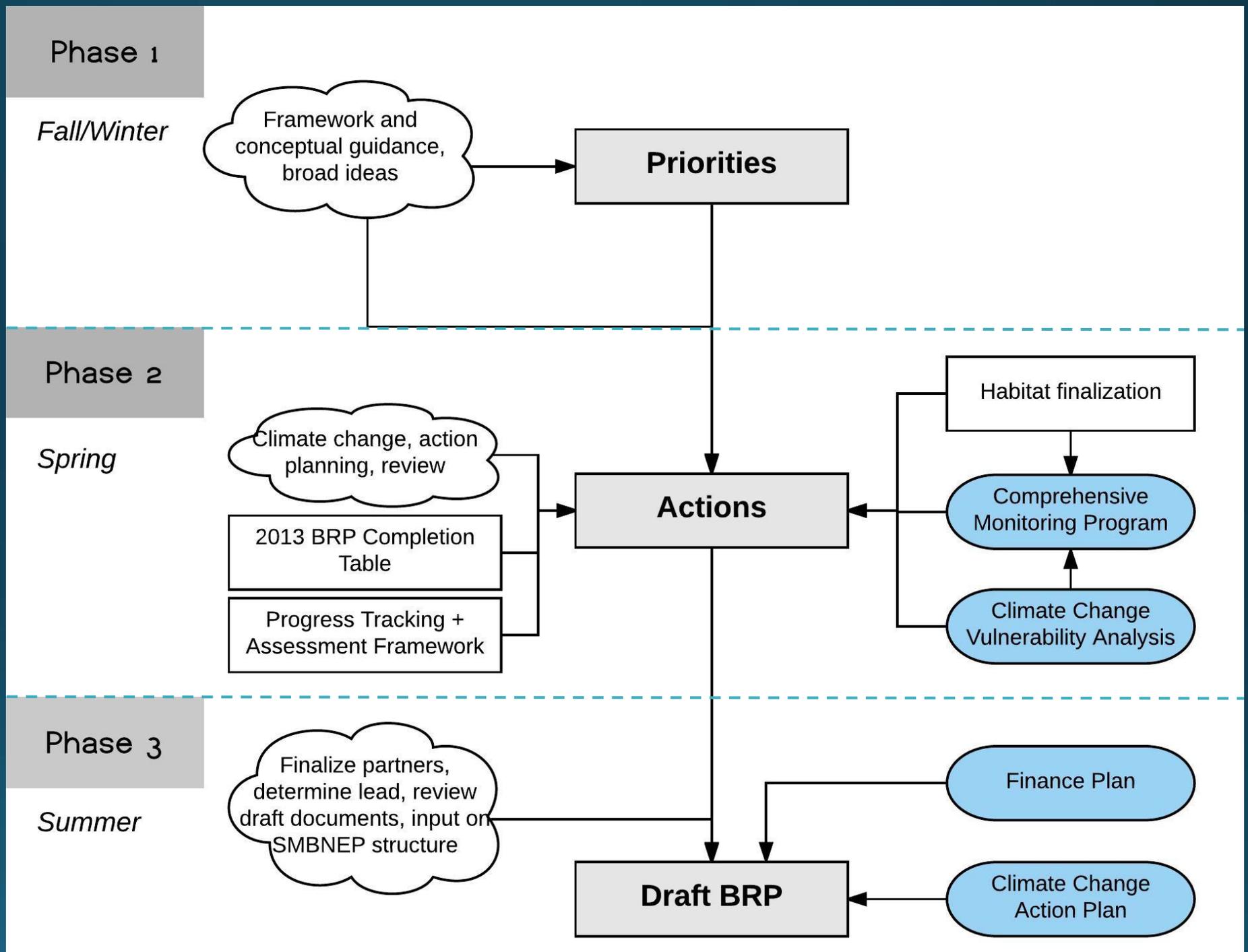
# 2013 BRP and NEW BRP Draft Structure Translation



# BRP Goal and Action Level Connection



# BRP Revision Process



# SMBRC Governing Board/SMBNEP Management Committee Workshop #2 (12/14/2017)

- Transition between Phase 1 (Priority Setting) to Phase 2 (Action Development)
- Provide input on what specific actions (programs and projects) should be undertaken to advance the three priority areas in the context of climate change?
- Informative material and tools
  - CCVA Report
  - Summary of Input from Phase 1 Workshops
  - 2013 BRP Completion Status Summary
- Specific survey questions

Survey website:

[https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Bay\\_Restoration\\_Plan\\_Revision\\_Feedback](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Bay_Restoration_Plan_Revision_Feedback)