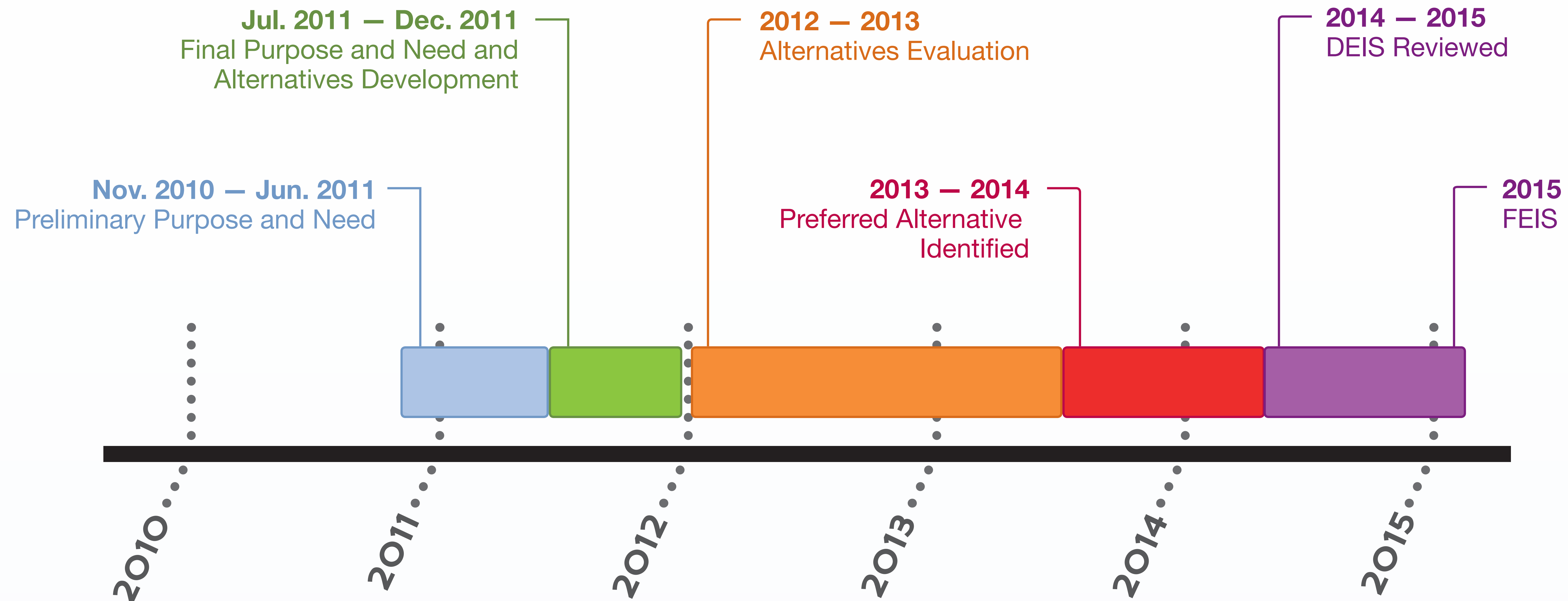


# Project Schedule



## Purpose and Need

- Identify issues and reasons for project
- Develop evaluation benchmarks

## Alternatives Development

- Identify seven corridors – 2 miles wide
- Begin environmental analysis
- Develop four corridors – 2,000 feet wide
- Complete additional analyses
- Identify three corridors for detailed evaluation
- Conduct financial analyses

## Alternatives Evaluation

- Determine alignment alternatives for each corridor
- Conduct environmental impact evaluations
- Identify and evaluate potential “Build Alternatives”
- Document impacts
- Identification of recommended alternative
- Prepare draft EIS

## Document and Decision

- Review by citizens and public agencies
- Prepare final EIS
- Receive federal confirmation of preferred alternative
- Complete record of decision