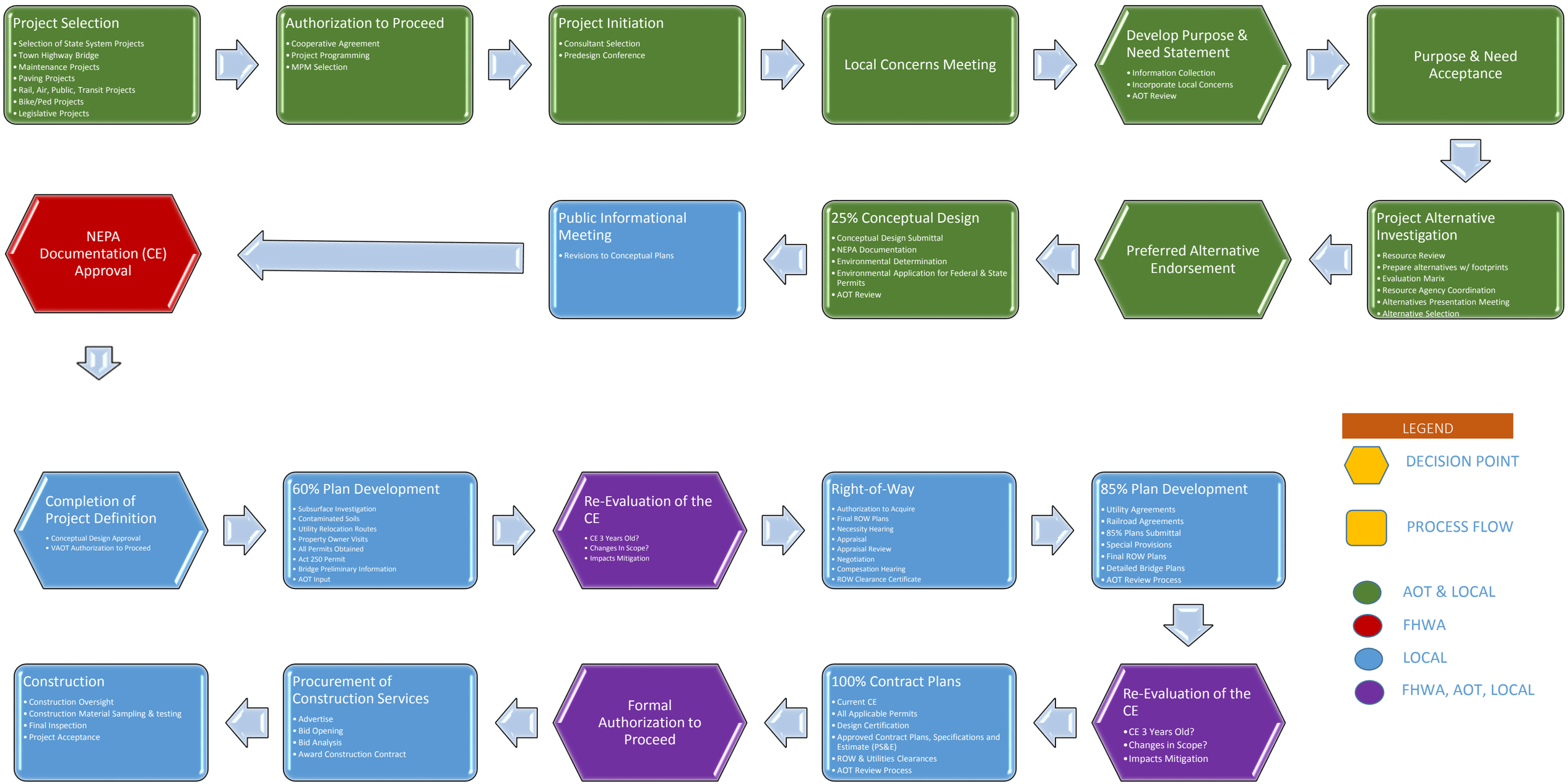
Project Selection
• Selection of State System Projects
• Town Highway Bridge
• Maintenance Projects
• Paving Projects
• Rail, Air, Public, Transit Projects
• Bike/Ped Projects
• Legislative Projects
Authorization to Proceed
• Cooperative Agreement
• Project Programming
• MPM Selection
Project Initiation
• Consultant Selection
• Predesign Conference
Local Concerns Meeting
Develop Purpose & Need Statement
• Information Collection
• Incorporate Local Concerns
• AOT Review
Purpose & Need Acceptance
Project Alternative Investigation
• Resource Review
• Prepare alternatives w/ footprints
• Evaluation Marix
• Resource Agency Coordination
• Alternatives Presentation Meeting
• Alternative Selection
Preferred Alternative Endorsement
25% Conceptual Design
• Conceptual Design Submittal
• NEPA Documentation
• Environmental Determination
• Environmental Application for Federal & State Permits
• AOT Review
Public Informational Meeting
• Revisions to Conceptual Plans
NEPA Documentation (CE) Approval
Completion of Project Definition
• Conceptual Design Approval
• VAOT Authorization to Proceed
60% Plan Development
• Subsurface Investigation
• Contaminated Soils
• Utility Relocation Routes
• Property Owner Visits
• All Permits Obtained
• Act 250 Permit
• Bridge Preliminary Information
• AOT Input
Re-Evaluation of the CE
• CE 3 Years Old?
• Changes In Scope?
• Impacts Mitigation
Right-of-Way
• Authorization to Acquire
• Final ROW Plans
• Necessity Hearing
• Appraisal
• Appraisal Review
• Negotiation
• Compesation Hearing
• ROW Clearance Certificate
85% Plan Development
• Utility Agreements
• Railroad Agreements
• 85% Plans Submittal
• Special Provisions
• Final ROW Plans
• Detailed Bridge Plans
• AOT Review Process
Re-Evaluation of the CE
• CE 3 Years Old?
• Changes in Scope?
• Impacts Mitigation
100% Contract Plans
• Current CE
• All Applicable Permits
• Design Certification
• Approved Contract Plans, Specifications and Estimate (PS&E)
• ROW & Utilities Clearances
• AOT Review Process
Formal Authorization to Proceed
Procurement of Construction Services
• Advertise
• Bid Opening
• Bid Analysis
• Award Construction Contract
Construction
• Construction Oversight
• Construction Material Sampling & testing
• Final Inspection
• Project Acceptance
LEGEND
DECISION POINT
PROCESS FLOW
AOT & LOCAL
FHWA
LOCAL
FHWA, AOT, LOCAL