

Puget Sound Ecosystem Recovery

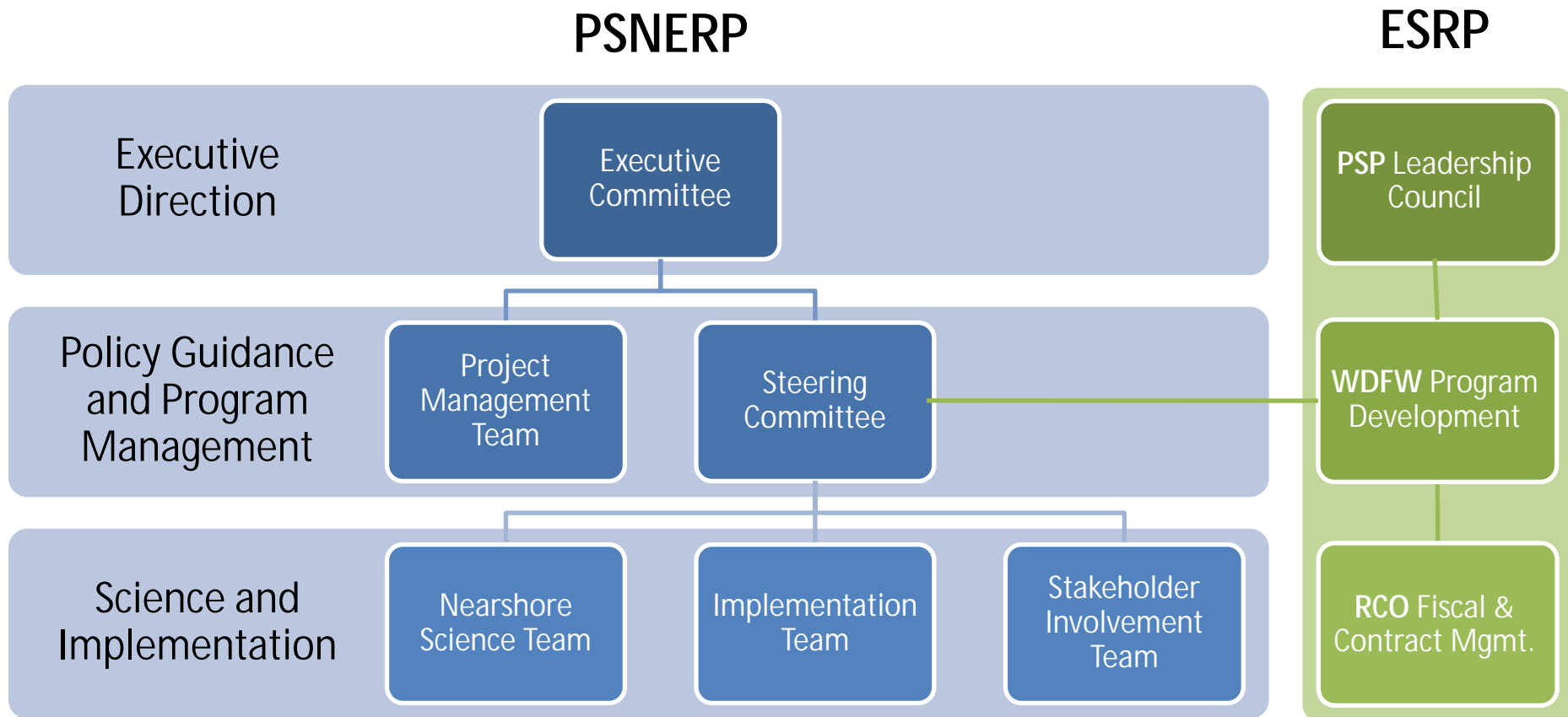
Puget Sound Partnership:

The Puget Sound Partnership (PSP) was charged with developing an Action Agenda to achieve a healthy Puget Sound ecosystem. PSP identified the **Puget Sound Nearshore Ecosystem Restoration Project (PSNERP)** as the “nearshore component” of the Action Agenda. It also recognized the **Estuary and Salmon Restoration Program (ESRP)** as a model for implementation of restoration projects of all sizes using various funding sources.

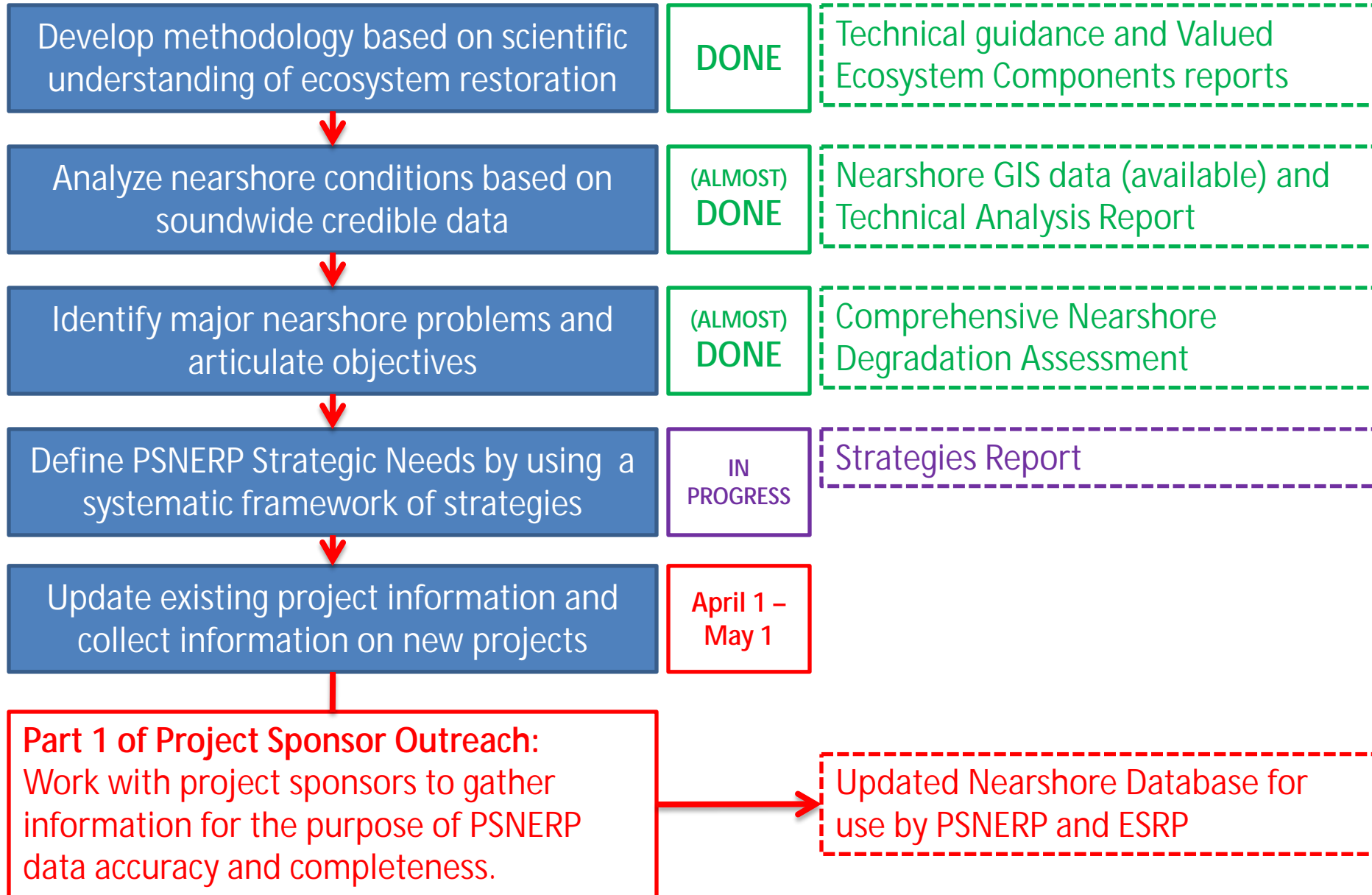
PSNERP was initiated in 2001 to study and identify the problems and solutions for nearshore ecosystem degradation in Puget Sound. The final report produced by PSNERP could result in significant federal funding for a number of projects to restore the Puget Sound nearshore; particularly Army Corps funding under the Water Resources Development Act (WRDA).

ESRP was created in 2006 to implement restoration projects in the nearshore environment using PSNERP guidance and emerging strategies.

PSNERP and ESRP relationship



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