



ALASKA STATEWIDE PLANNING COMMITTEE BRIEFING

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Primary Objectives:

The Statewide planning committee manages the Regional Contingency Plan and provides coordination and logistics for the three annual ARRT meetings.

The Committee maintains awareness of National Response System related issues across the State of Alaska and translates issues into policy recommendations and/or advises Area Committee planners.

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Permanent Members are ARRT Coordinators from:

ADEC

EPA

USCG

Ad-hoc members considered on a case-by-case basis:

Area Committee Reps

Subject matter experts (topic dependent)

Other agency representatives, as appropriate

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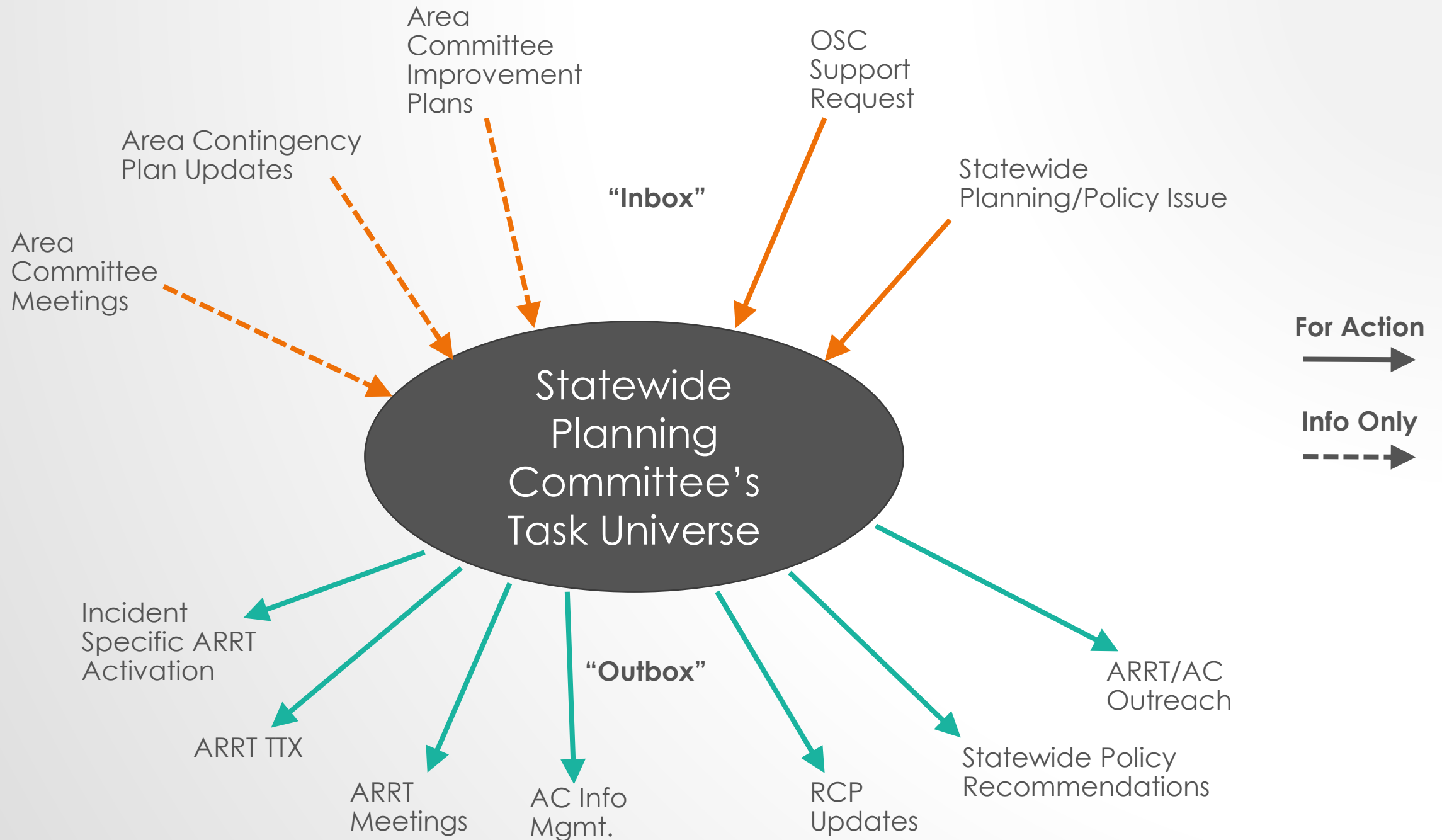
Tasks:

1. Regional Contingency Plan administration (plan rewrites and updates)
2. Ensure a Statewide Planning Committee representative attends Alaska Area Committee meetings
3. Schedule ARRT meetings, manage speakers, agendas and outreach
4. Maintain ARRT Website
5. Update and maintain the following documents referenced by the RCP:
 - a. MOA/MOU administration (e.g., EPA/USCG FOSC Boundaries)
 - b. RRT Workgroup Charters (e.g., Science and Technology Committee)
 - c. RRT Workgroup Products (e.g., Wildlife Protection Guidelines)

STATEWIDE PLANNING COMMITTEE TASKS

Tasks continued:

6. Maintain ARRT Guidelines for Coordination and Consultation with Federally-Recognized Tribes document and conduct outreach
7. Facilitate information sharing between Alaska's four Area Committees and ARRT
8. Promote standardized briefings from On-Scene Coordinators and/or Area Committee member representatives for ARRT meetings
9. Obtain routine ARRT workgroup activity project updates





QUESTIONS?

ARRT website
<http://alaskarrt.org>



Regional Contingency Plan

Version 2 Tasks

#	Task	Description	Need/Justification
1	Tech Edit	A full professional editorial review of the 100-page Regional Contingency Plan (RCP).	The RCP is a compilation of text from multiple plans and plan sections written by several authors over a 20-year period. There are multiple grammatical errors, awkward phrasing and inconsistent tense and style of writing.
2	Address Version 1 public comment recommendations.	Address / resolve comment from the public review process, e.g., DOI, PWSRCAC and CIRCAC suggested revisions that were not included in Version 1.	Only administrative changes recommended in public comments were included in Version 1. However, multiple substantive changes and additions will be needed to address / resolve comments from agencies/organizations.
3	Adapt text and tools from outside (non-Alaska Unified Plan/ SCP) plans, guidance and other references.	Adapt text and reference to appropriate language from the NCP, agency guidance, handbooks, manuals, other RCPs, etc. This will be the first step to populate sections noted as "TBD"	Consistent with ARRT Tri-Chair direction, Version 1 of the RCP is reorganized text from the existing Unified Plan and Subarea Contingency Plans. Additional tools and information sources have been identified to update and enhance the RCP.
4	Assess, identify and recommend update for MOA/MOUs that are outdated.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify MOU/MOAs with out-of-date language. • Communicate the need to update the MOU/MOA to appropriate agencies. 	Many of the MOU/MOAs incorporated by reference from the Unified Plan are outdated.
5	Establish Administrative Controls for the RCP and ACPs.	Develop a new plan maintenance & revision cycle and procedure	This is "TBD" in Version 1, Appendix VI of the RCP.