

R/V Barnes Replacement

University of Washington

Project Status



- Design process continues
 - Contract awarded to Jensen Maritime Consultants for contract design
 - Finished Phase 1 of design
 - 3 Design Reviews with the Science Oversight Committee
 - Mock ups of working deck & labs facilitated discussions and decisions
 - Major decisions made regarding: vessel size, basic General Arrangements incl. Lab Space layout & winches / wires, added a centerboard, basic propulsion configuration, fisheries research capabilities incorporated
 - Moving into Phase 2
 - Finalize details of General Arrangements
 - Finalize engineering studies and technical specifications
 - Finish design process this summer

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 - Outlook not good for receiving funding this legislative session based on recent meetings with legislators / staffers

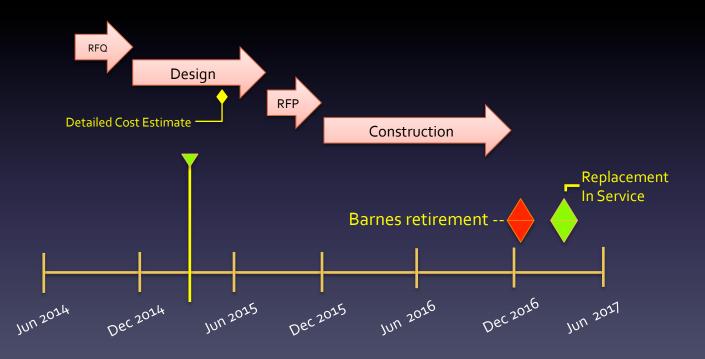
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- FIC / UMOLS/NSF guidance for how to proceed ahead?

New Vessel Timeline



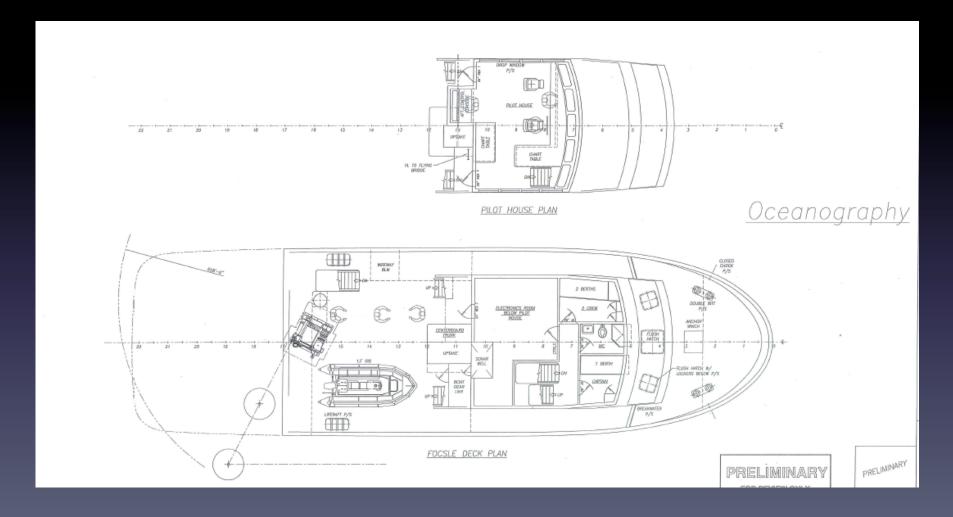
This is our desired timeline but the current funding status has this doubtful

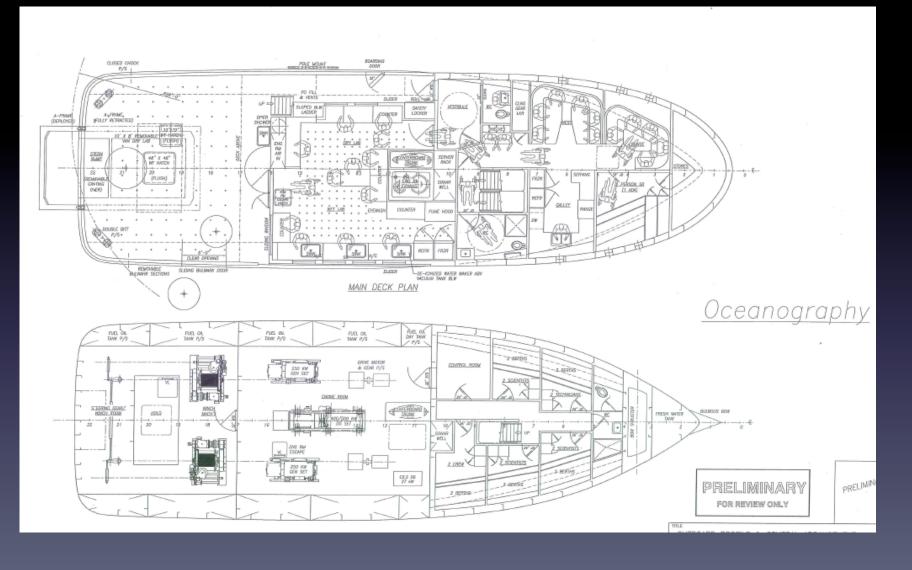
Updated General Arrangements

- 90-ft long, 27-feet wide, 9-foot draft (50km offshore, 15 day endurance)
- Twin screw diesel electric propulsion with bow thruster
- Updated lab arrangements
- Centerboard for transducers (simrad EK80, 38kHz, 200kHz, 333kHz)
- Kongsberg EM2040 (mounted in hull blister?)
- ADCPs in Acoustics well (RDI 150kHz and 600kHz)
- Sub-bottom 3.5 kHZ (still to be determined
- Incubator space on o1 Deck
- Modified Mess Deck seating capacity
- ADA stateroom added
- CTD launch & recovery starboard side
- Knuckle crane port side
- A-frame
- 3 permanent winches (2 below deck, one o-1 Deck CTD) installed plus portable winches (e.g. Trawl Winches) & Net Reel incorporated into design
- Acoustically Quiet and fuel efficient gen-sets

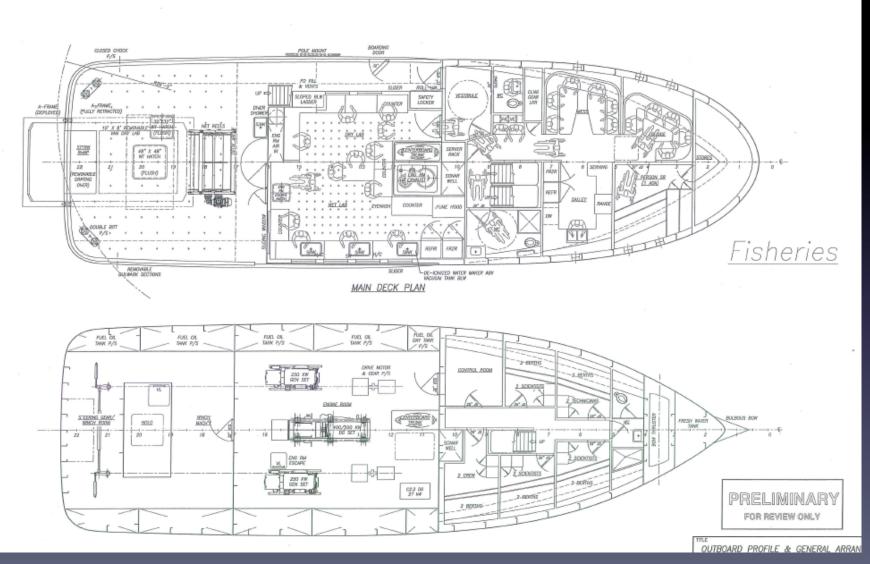


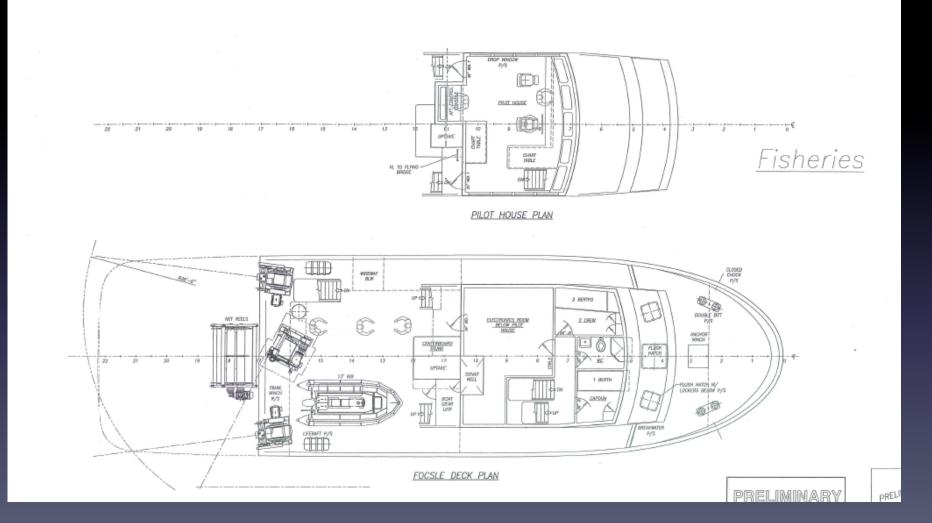
Oceanography Configuration



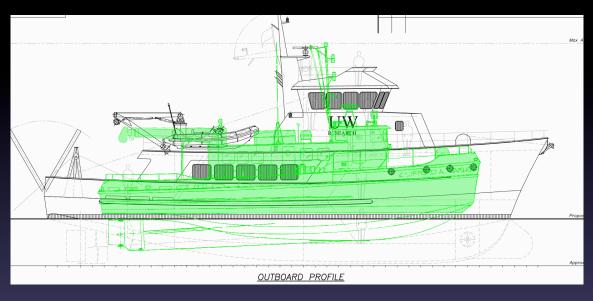


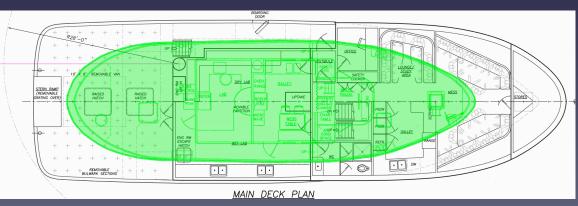
Fisheries Research Configuration



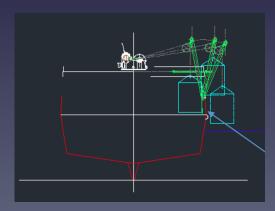


Comparison (old actual vs new concept)









Questions?



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