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From 2014 Rail Baltica Project Manager at the Ministry of Transport of the Republic of Latvia

- Establishment of Rail Baltica Joint venture «RB Rail»
- Project organization documents
- Strategic planning and cooperation



#### PROGRESS OF RAIL BALTICA 2013-2017







EIA & spatial planning completed and status of national interest object approved

Preliminary design for the railway line completed.

International sketch design competition for the central multimodal public transport hub in Riga and the Rail Baltica railway bridge

Promotion of public awareness: 95% informed about the project, 89% has a positive support

Riga Central Railway Station, bridge and embankment design and build procurement

Rail Baltica RIX Airport
Railway Station and related
infrastructure detailed technical
design procurement

**Supportive actions** (archeology studies, expertise, land acquisition etc.)



# Creating value that lasts – integrated Rail Baltica station with Riga airport



Rail Baltica construction to be carried out simultaneously with RIX development project



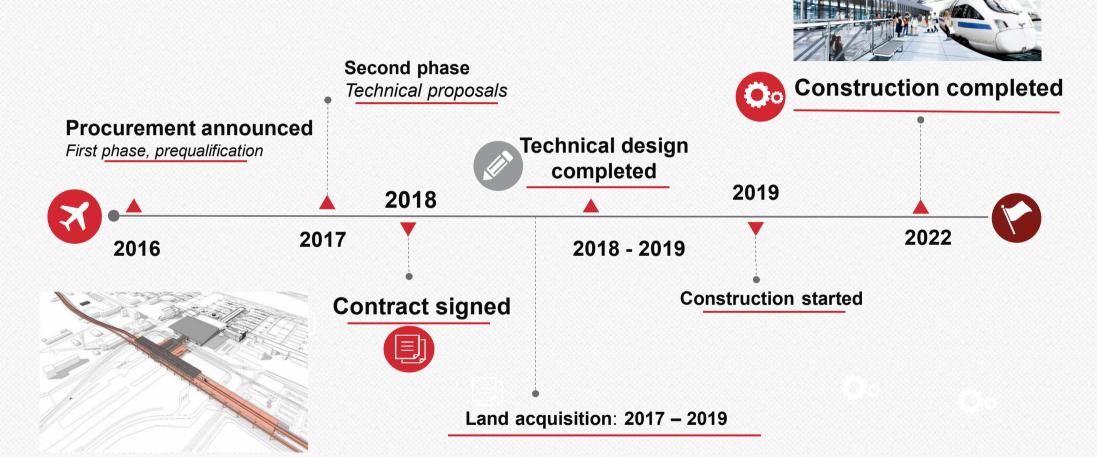
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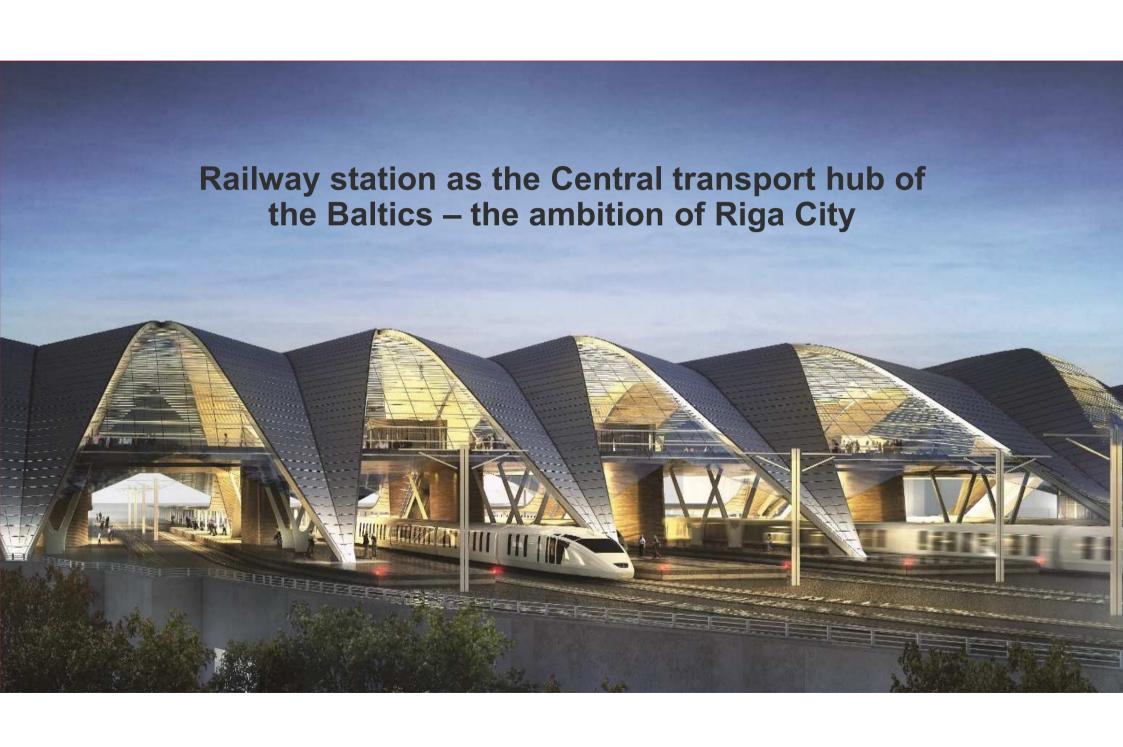


Efficiency of our economy will be essentially increased by multimodal transportation nodes – direct connections between airports, railway and ports.



### **Rail Baltica RIX Timeline**







# Rail Baltica Riga Central station, embankent and bridge Design&Build procurement



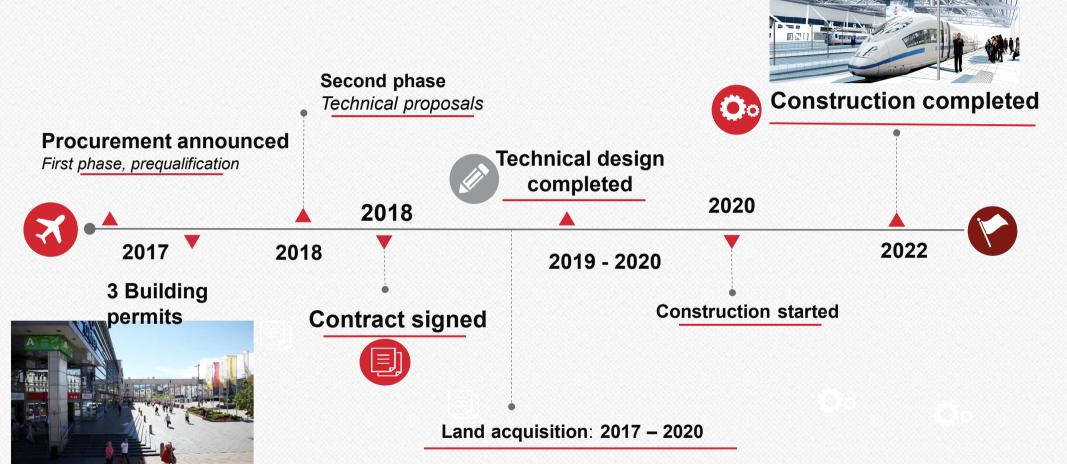




Sketch: "PLH Arkitekter A/S" in cooperation with "COWI A/S", Denmark



### **Rail Baltica Central station Timeline**





#### Benefits

Integration of Rail Baltica into multi modal Riga Central transport hub

Possibilities for sustainable development

**Tourism growth** 

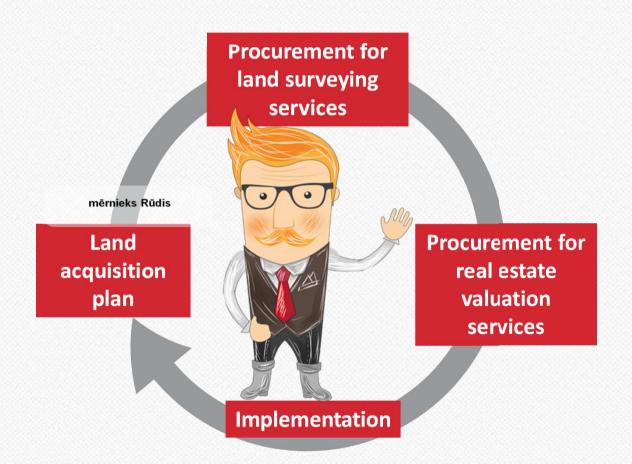
Both banks of river Daugava better connected for pedestrians Complex vision for Riga city development

Better mobility, safety, accessibility and connectivity

Embankment removed, two neighbourhoods connected



### Land acquisition



- Land acquisition is a prerequisite to complete technical design
- Implementation according to technical and geographical phases starting from RIX and Central Station
- Land acquisition process started in 2017



# CONTACT INFORMATION



### THANK YOU FOR ATTENTION!

