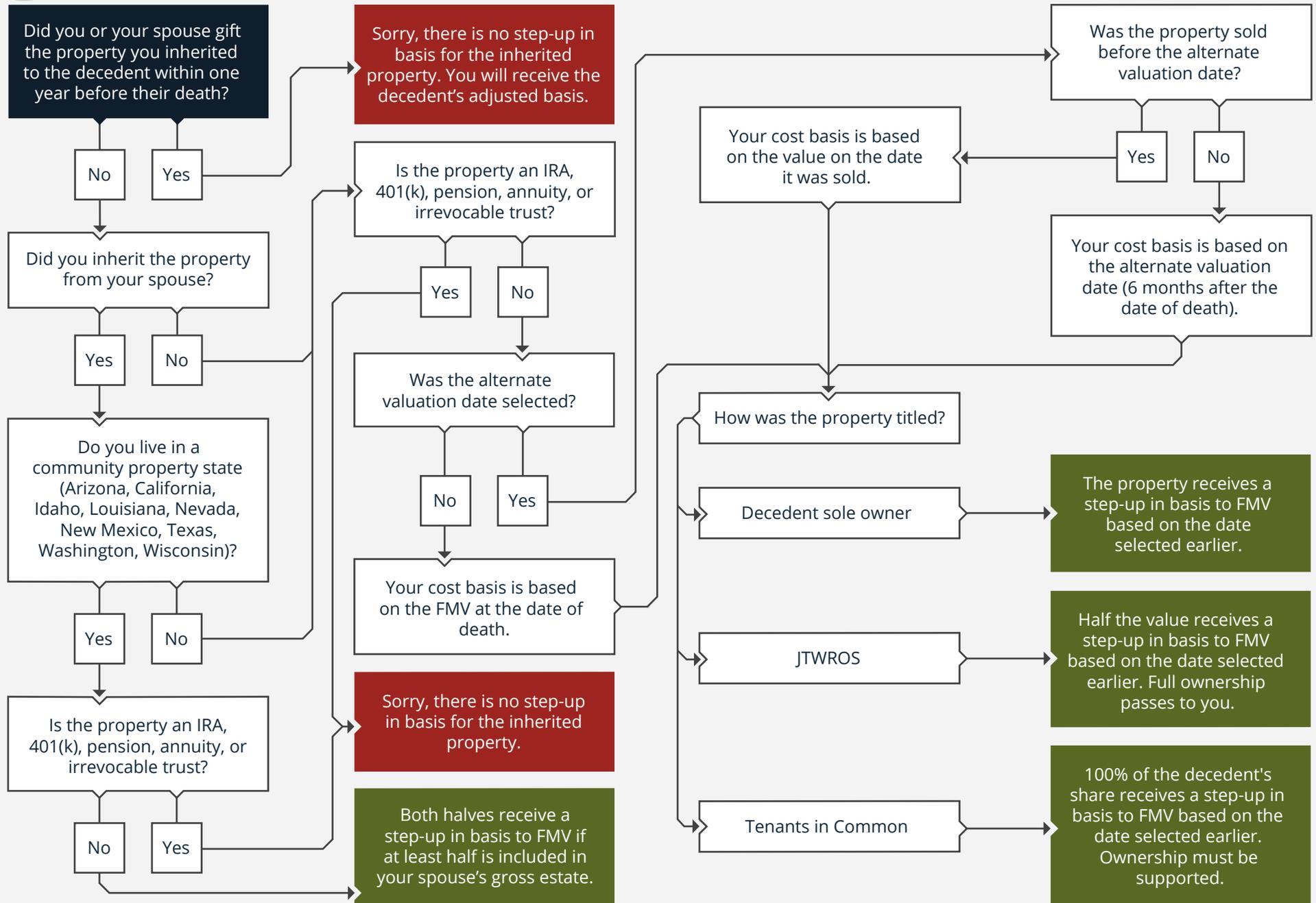


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What are the elements that need to be tied together? While that varies some depending on the situation, the general areas are:

- Investing - tax managed, aligned with client goals and preferences
- Tax planning - proactive, multi-year strategies
- Cash flow
- Retirement planning - max Social Security, optimal accumulation & distribution vehicles/strategies
- Affairs planning - Advance Medical Directive, Power of Attorney, Will, Trust, Asset Titling, Beneficiary Designations
- Risk management - Insurance coverages, risk avoidance

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