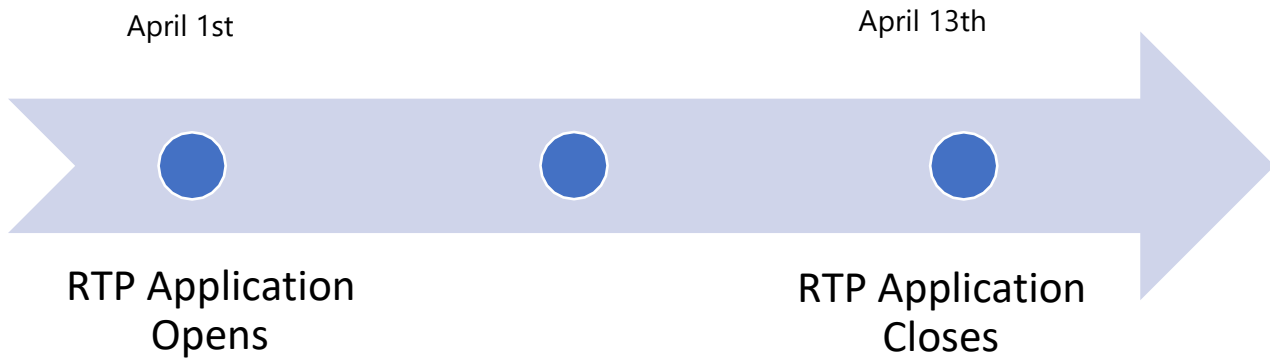


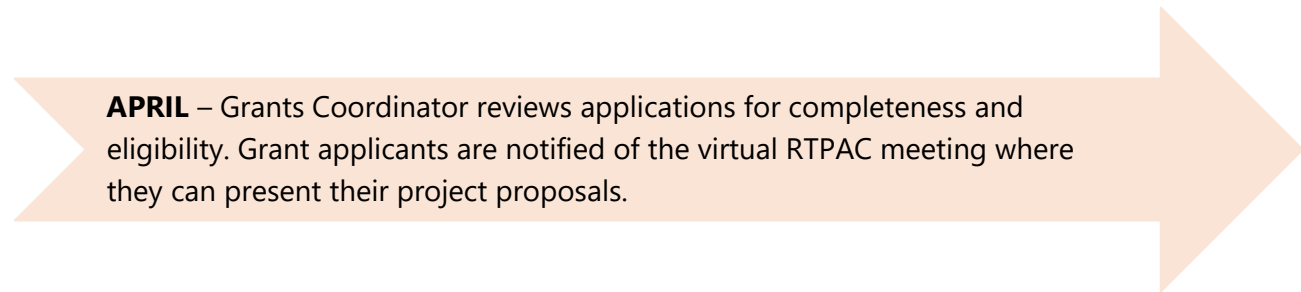
FY26 Recreation Trails Program Timeline

*There is a 9 to 12 month waiting period from application to awarded grant due to federal application processing requirements. Applicants are notified in May on the status of application and funding.

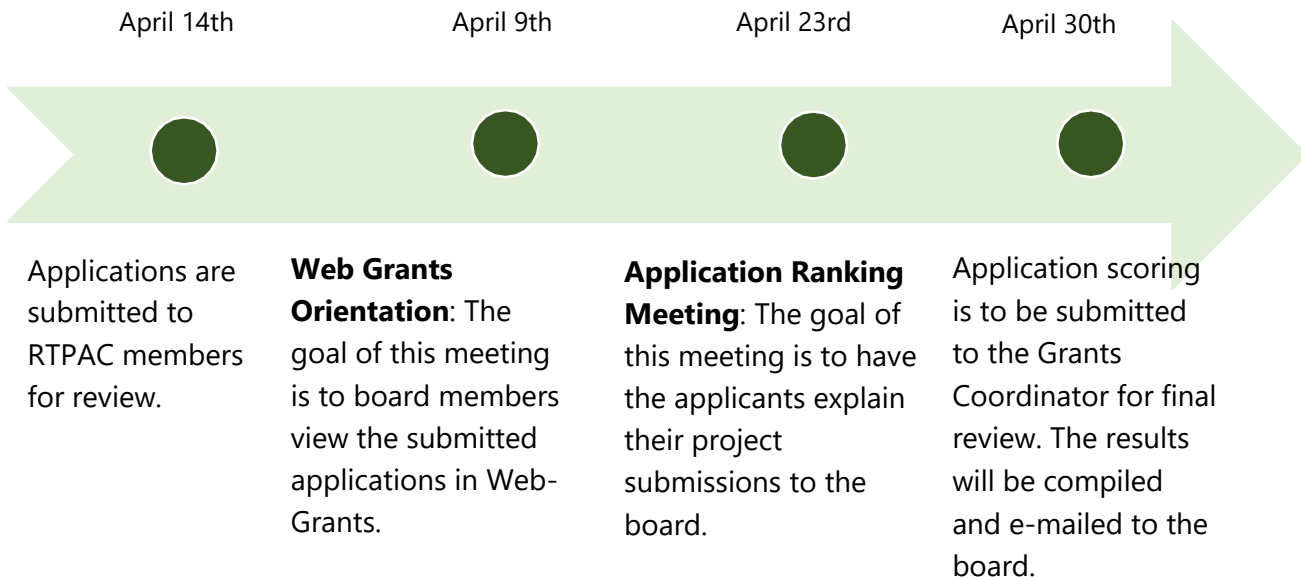
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***Please note:** Environmental review responses submitted **MUST** be submitted for an application to be eligible.



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Continuation of Recreation Trails Program Timeline

MAY - Submit the committee's recommendations to NDPRD Director for approval. A notification letter of the results and pre-award status will sent.

JUNE/JULY – Review any environmental issues and follow up on Solicitation of Views (SOV) responses. Obtain appropriate permits, as needed. RTP and Title VI Compliance trainings are offered.

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER – It is the start of the Federal Fiscal Year 2025. Depending on federal legislation and appropriations, this is when grant appropriation authority is obtained.

FEBRUARY - APRIL – Prepare grant award agreements and issue notices to proceed when projects are approved and authorized by FHWA.