

**CHRONOLOGY
FOR
RESEARCH PROJECT/WCC/WERA
PROPOSAL SUBMISSION**

Spring Schedule	Summer Schedule
January 15	May 15
<p>Deadline for submission of final new or renewal MRF projects on the NIMSS and by the OWDA; Deadline for requests for extensions of existing MRF projects by the OWDA.</p>	
January/March	May/July
<p>RCIC reviews requests and external reviewer comments.</p>	
Late March/Early April	Late July/Early Aug.
<p>RCIC meets to discuss requests and reviews. RCIC recommendations are presented to the WDA, WED, and WAPD in late July/early August. If approved by the WDA, WED and WAPD, recommendations on multistate projects are forwarded to CSREES by the OWDA. All information is put on the WDA web page and can be referenced by participating states for reporting in state POW's.</p>	
<p>October 1</p> <p>Usual starting date for new or revised regional research projects and coordinating committees.</p>	