

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) and Labour Mobility Unit

Funding Programs Information Session

Adult Education Division of
Labour, Skills and Immigration

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Goals of the session

- About our unit, programs and funding
- Who can apply?
- What projects will be supported?
- What is the process?
- Questions??

RPL and Labour Mobility Unit

- supporting learning and credential recognition
- fair registration and labour mobility practices
- workforce integration of skilled job seekers
- diverse and inclusive workforce

Review and support

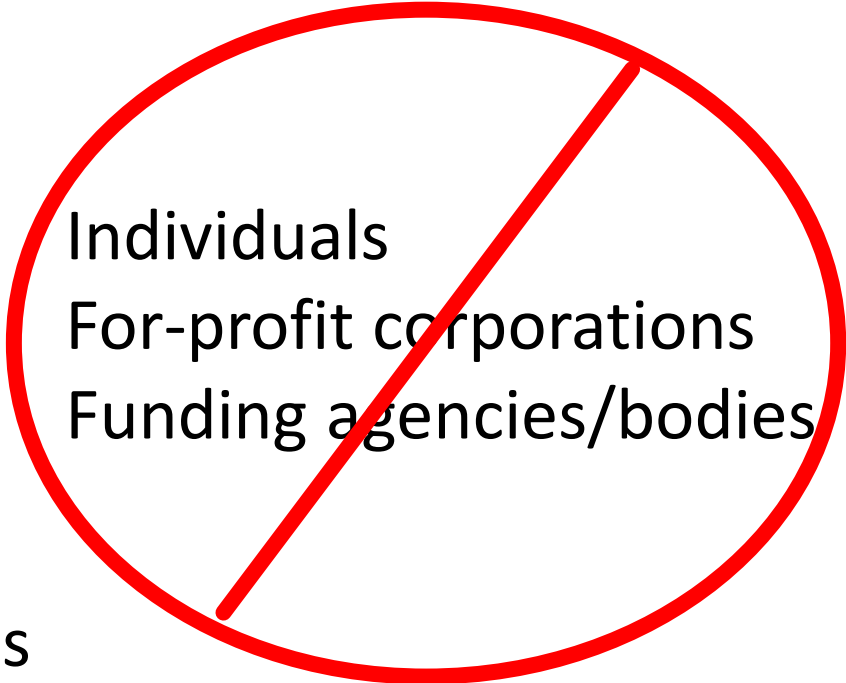
- **Labour Mobility** - ensure compliance with the Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA) through certificate-to-certificate licensure for workers in regulated occupations transferring to Nova Scotia
- **Fair Registration Practices Act (FRPA)** - ensure that Nova Scotia regulatory bodies implement transparent, impartial, objective and procedurally fair registration processes

Two funding programs

- **Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)** - policies, procedures, processes that allow individuals to identify, document, be assessed and gain recognition for their prior learning (formal, informal, non-formal)
- **International Qualifications Recognition (IQR)** - tools, programs and resources that assess international qualifications, support pathways to qualification recognition, and improve labour market integration of internationally trained individuals (ITI's)

Who can apply?

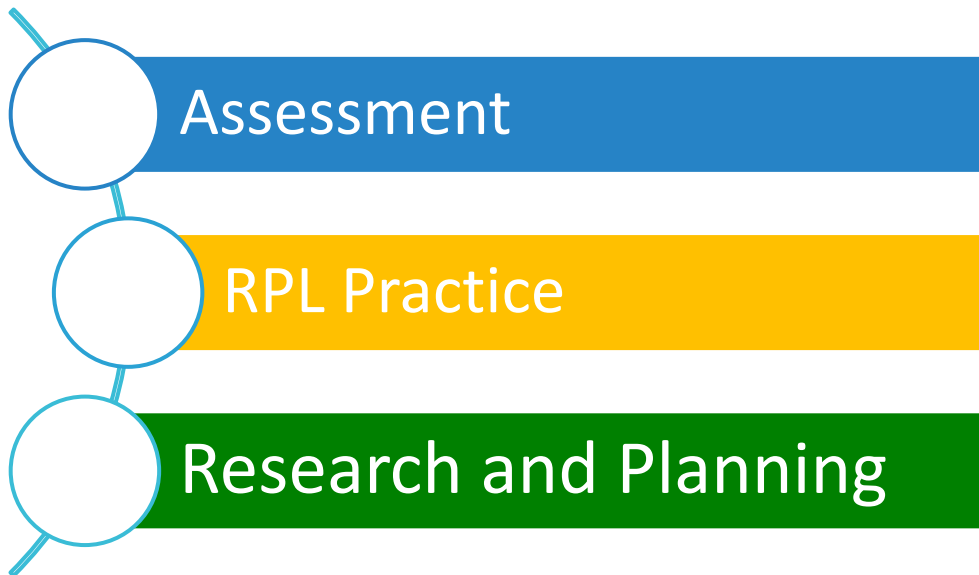
- ✓ Nova Scotia self-regulating bodies
- ✓ Non-profit community organizations, charities, NGOs
- ✓ Immigrant-serving agencies
- ✓ Unions
- ✓ Employer associations
- ✓ Sector Councils
- ✓ Professional associations
- ✓ Post-secondary institutions
- ✓ Career Development / Employment Centres



Individuals
For-profit corporations
Funding agencies/bodies

Eligible Project Categories

RPL



IQR

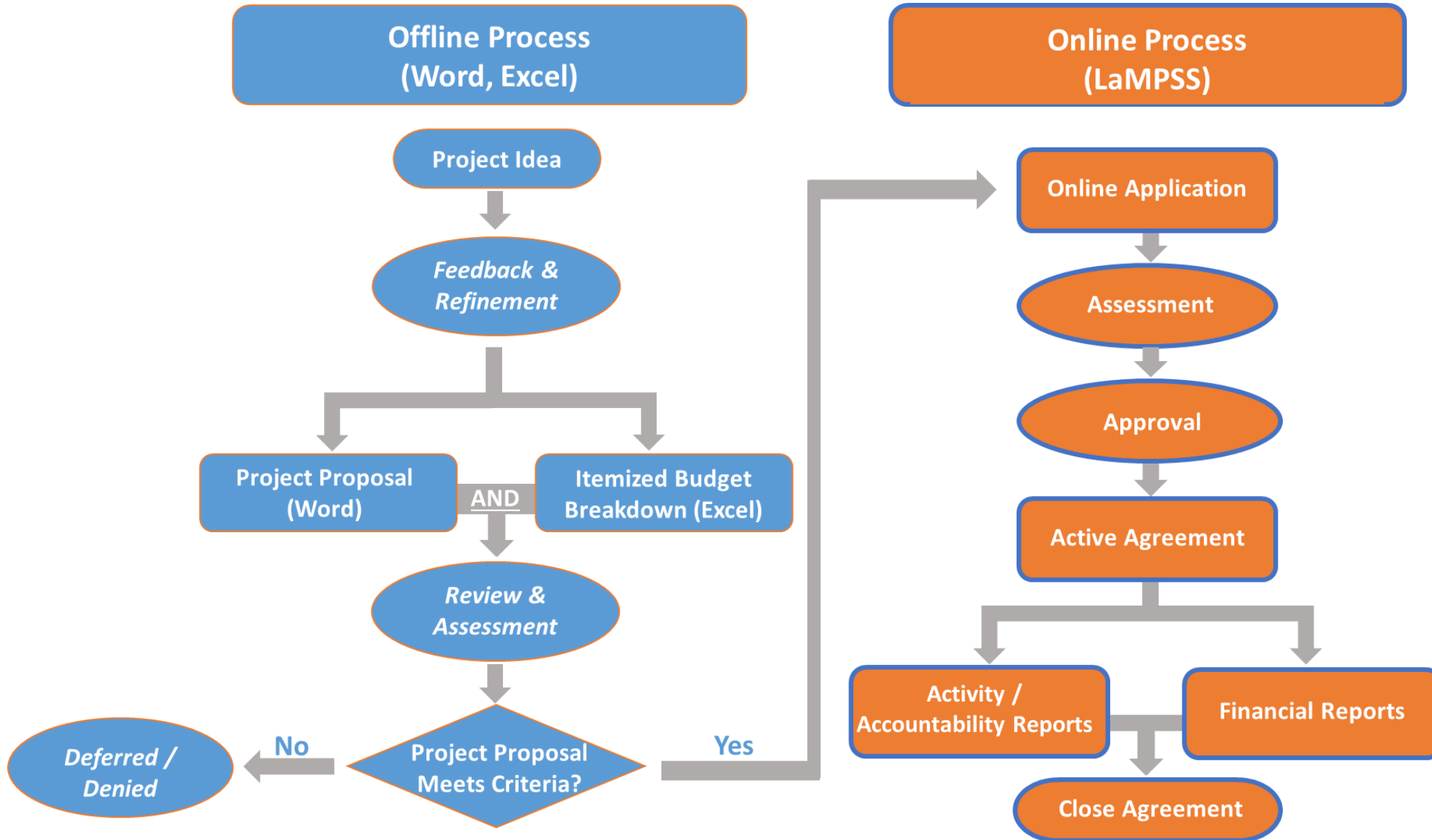


What projects will be supported?

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- Address labour market/skills/learning/qualification recognition needs
- Leverage RPL or IQR practice to address this need
- Clear objectives that are defined and measurable
- Activities clearly aligned with objectives and deliverables
- Deliverables can be shared for maximum benefit. Sustainability plan.
- Collaboration and partnership
- Promote equity, diversity and inclusion

What is the process?



I want to submit a proposal.



Where to find funding program guidelines and proposal documents

<https://novascotia.ca/lae/RplLabourMobility/>

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Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) & Labour Mobility

Building a Competitive Workforce

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) & Labour Mobility can help give Nova Scotia the workforce it needs to compete in a global economy. It allows workers to use their skills anywhere in the country, by recognizing what a person knows and what they can do, no matter where or how the learning took place.

The RPL and Labour Mobility unit administers several programs to support a mobile labour force including these:

- [Recognition of Prior Learning](#)
- [Fair Registration Practices](#)
- [Labour Mobility](#)
- [International Qualifications Recognition](#)

News & Events

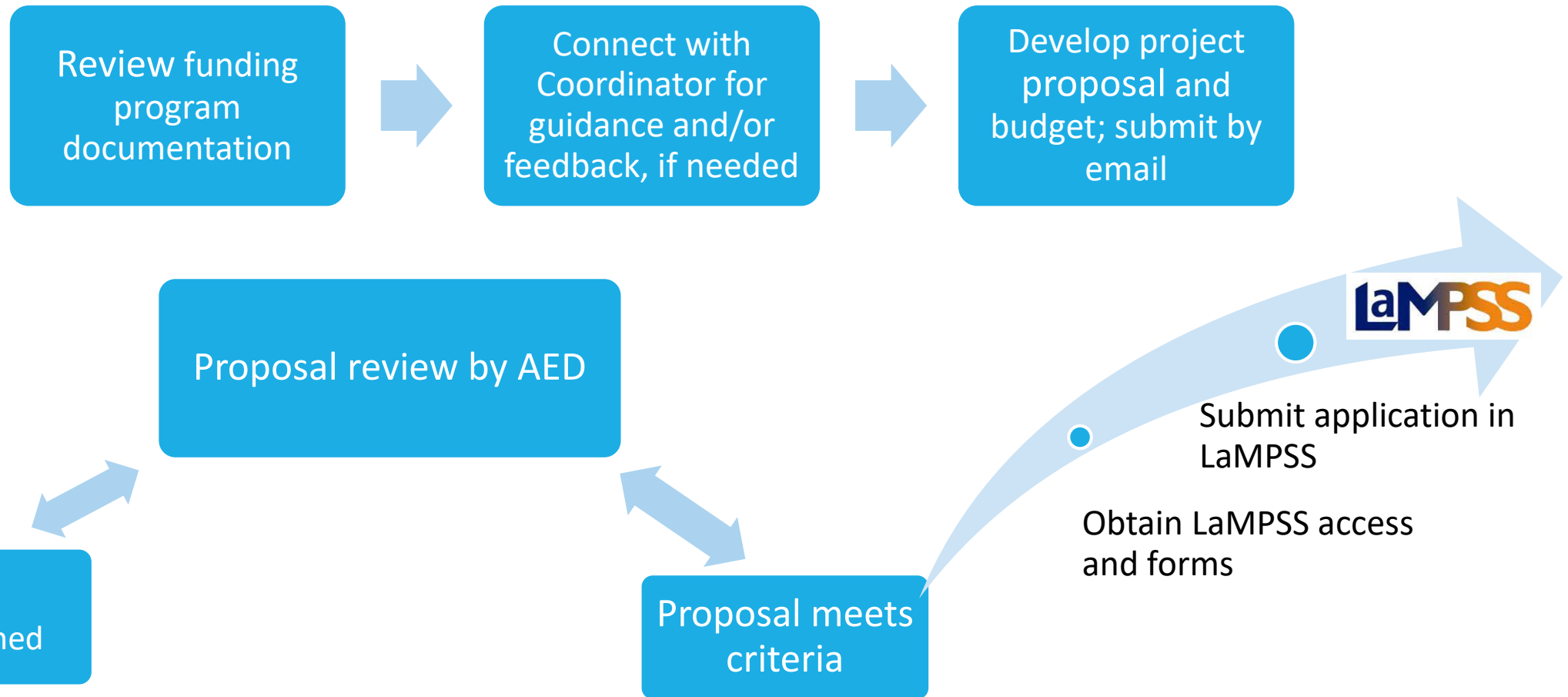
The 2022-2023 RPL/IQR Funding Programs Call for Proposals is now open. Submissions will be accepted until March 2nd.

- [RPL Funding Program Guidelines - English](#)
- [RPL Funding Program Guidelines - French](#)
- [IQR Funding Program Guidelines - English](#)
- [IQR Funding Program Guidelines - French](#)
- [RPL Project Proposal Template \(Word\)](#)
- [IQR Project Proposal Template \(Word\)](#)
- [RPL-IQR Itemized Budget Breakdown \(Excel\)](#)

Proposal Writing Tips

- ▶ Sound project idea
- ▶ Feedback from coordinator
- ▶ Follow instructions!
- ▶ Understand/use terms correctly
- ▶ Project budget
- ▶ Develop proposal as a team
- ▶ Time management

Proposal submission process



Labour Market Programs Support System (LaMPSS)

[English](#)

[Français](#)

LaMPSS

Labour Market Programs Support System (LaMPSS) is a common system and set of business processes developed to focus on the administration of labour market programs and services for four provincial partners.

LaMPSS Support

<https://novascotia.ca/lae/lampss/lampss.asp>

[LaMPSS Overview](#)

[How to Request LaMPSS Access](#)

[How to Login to LaMPSS](#)

[Electronic Funds Transfer Form \(Direct Deposit\)](#)

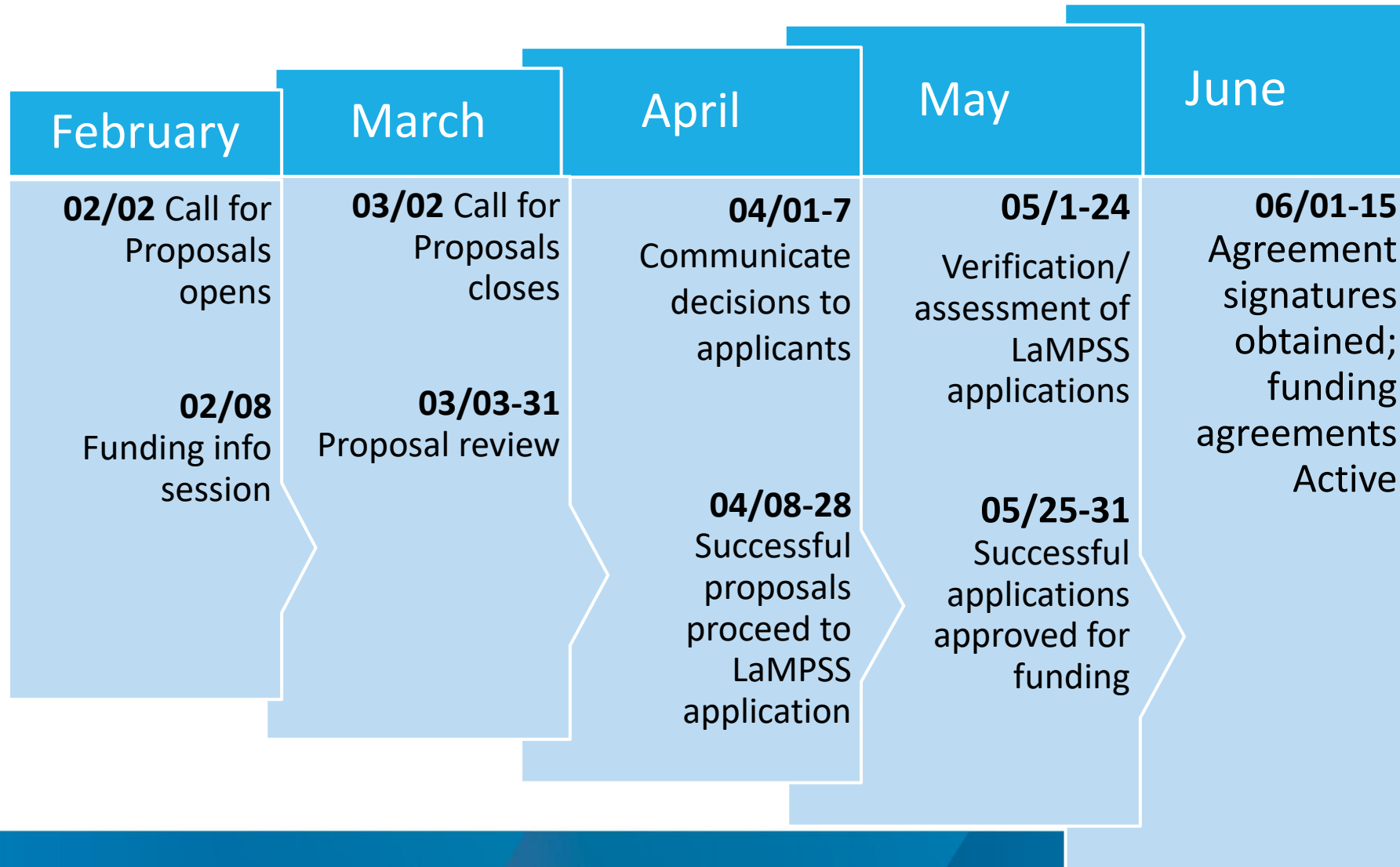
[Managing Your Agreement](#)



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Timeline – 2022-2023

Application, review and project approval



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Questions