



Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Competitive Program Timeline

Date	Milestone/Task
January/February 2023	Application Webinars
	Technical assistance by the Competitive Program Team
June 1, 2023 Before 5:00pm	Application Deadline
Summer 2023	Application review
Winter 2023	Department announces recommended projects
	Post-Selection Requirements Workshop
Early 2024	 Section 106 Application & Revision (A&R) Form (including NEPA analysis) LWCF Boundary Map UASFLA appraisal with independent review (for acquisition projects)
2024	Applicants Complete Post-Selection Requirements (average 6-12 months)
2024 – 2025	State forwards applications to National Park Service as post- selection requirements are complete, first come-first serve basis • FFY 24 – funding certificate rec'd mid-2024; OGALS can enter projects in federal database for funding approval • FFY 25 funding – funding certificate rec'd mid-2025; OGALS can enter projects in federal database for funding approval
Late 2024 through Late 2025	Approximate Start Date
Grant Performance Period	Date of NPS Approval - up to 3 years to complete project. Pre-award project planning costs (design, planning, Section 106, CEQA, etc.) can be incurred up to three years before the NPS approval date.

Please contact your **Competitive Review Project Officer** with additional questions.