FY 2003 STAG PROGRAM SCHEDULE

DATE	ACTIVITY	DEADLINE
Dec/Jan, 2003	Develop list of suggestions for FY 2003 funding priorities	January, 2003
January 15, 2003	Share draft suggestions with the regions	January, 2003
February 15, 2003	Finalize funding areas and develop pre-proposal criteria, draft FR Notice	February 28, 2003
March 28, 2003	Solicitation/Guidance (FR Notice 45 days) and E-mail Regions/State Contacts. Regions send solicitation to their states/tribal contacts.	May 5, 2003
March/April/May, 2003	Receipt of applications electronically to the regions and to David Piantanida, OECA/OC.	May 5, 2003
May, 2003	Regions provide rankings to HQ	May 23, 2003
May 23, 2003	Internal Review: HG/regional team evaluate/score proposals	June 6, 2003
June 6, 2003	Share top rankings with Regions	June 13, 2003
June 13, 2003	HQ/Regional Team meet to decide final rankings and selections of proposals	June 17, 2003
June 17, 2003	Share preliminary final top selections with the regions	June 18, 2003
June 19, 2003	Brief OECA Management	June 20, 2003
Late June, 2003	Memo announcing selection of grantees/projects for funding	No later than June 27, 2003
Early Summer, 2003	Final Proposals are due to Regional Project Officers	August 29, 2003
Summer, 2003	Grants are awarded	Fall, 2003