

# NATIONAL FIBER BACKBONE PHASE 1

## PROCUREMENT SCHEDULE\*

1	Pre-Procurement Conference	9:00 AM	Wednesday, February 03, 2021	
2	Posting of Invitation to Bid		Wednesday, February 17, 2021	
3	Issuance / Availability of Bidding Docs	8AM to 5PM	Wednesday, February 17, 2021	Friday, March 12, 2021
		8AM to 12PM	Monday, March 15, 2021	
4	<b>Pre-Bid Conference</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>Friday, February 26, 2021</b>	
5	Deadline for Requests for Clarification		Friday, March 05, 2021	
6	Last Day to Issue Bid Bulletin		Monday, March 08, 2021	
7	<b>Deadline of Submission and Receipt of Bids</b>	<b>12:00PM</b>	<b>Monday, March 15, 2021</b>	
8	Opening of Technical Bids	1:00 PM	Monday, March 15, 2021	
9	Bidders' Presentation of Project Implementation / Technology	1:00 PM	Tuesday, March 16, 2021	
10	Opening of Financial Proposals	10:00 AM	Friday, March 19, 2021	
11	Detailed Evaluation of Bids		Monday, March 22, 2021	Monday, March 29, 2021
12	Issuance of Notice for Post Qualification to Bidder with LCB		Monday, March 29, 2021	
13	Post Qualification of the Bidder with LCB and Determination of the Bidder with the Lowest Calculated Responsive Bid (LCRB)		Tuesday, March 30, 2021	Tuesday, April 06, 2021
14	Recommendation to HoPE to Award; Issuance of Notice to Other Bidders		Wednesday, April 07, 2021	
15	Approval of BAC Resolution		Friday, April 09, 2021	
16	Issuance of Notice of Award		Tuesday, April 13, 2021	
17	Contract Preparation, Approval and Signing		Tuesday, April 13, 2021	Friday, April 23, 2021
18	Issuance of Notice to Proceed		Friday, April 23, 2021	

\*Subject to change.

Note: The project duration is 200 calendar days, the 200th day after issuance of NTP is Tuesday, November 09, 2021