Stand Down Timeline

This timeline provides an example of timing for each step involved in a Stand Down event funded by your DOL grant. For this example, the event takes place on July 1, 2016. For more in-depth information on Stand Down funding, visit [http://www.dol.gov/vets/programs/Stand%20Down/index.htm](http://www.dol.gov/vets/programs/Stand%20Down/index.htm).

### General timeline: application information

- **Jan. 1, 2016**: Make sure SAM is active
- **March 1, 2016**: If you submitted 1/1/16, you will likely hear back about funding by today (within 60 days of applying)
- **May 1, 2016**: Submit no later than today
- **July 1, 2016**: Your SAM must be current through today
- **March 1, 2016**: Your funding will be available for drawdown after today (120 days before event)
- **June 30, 2016**: End of FY Quarter
- **April 30, 2016**: Submit SF425 for expenses incurred 1/1/16 - 3/30/16 (note: the earliest you would have expenses in this example could be 3/1/16)
- **July 30, 2016**: Submit SF425 for expenses incurred 4/1/16 - 6/30/16
- **July 30, 2016**: Submit SF425 for expenses incurred 7/1/16 - 9/30/16
- **Oct. 30, 2016**: Submit FINAL SF425 for expenses incurred 7/1/16 - 9/30/16
- **Sept. 30, 2016**: End of FY Quarter
- **Oct. 30, 2016**: Post-event report due to IDVET today
- **Dec. 31, 2016**: End of FY Quarter

### Drawing down funds

- **Jan. 1, 2016**: Earliest your application can be submitted (six months before date of event)
- **March 1, 2016**: Expenses can be drawn down no more than three days before the expense is paid
- **July 15-30, 2016**: Expenses disapproved must be returned within 15 days
- **Oct. 1, 2016**: Must draw down all funds before today (90 calendar days or less after event)
- **July 1, 2016**: STAND DOWN
- **March 1, 2016**: STAND DOWN

### Submitting reports

- **Dec. 31, 2015**: End of FY Quarter
- **Dec. 1, 2016**: End of FY Quarter
- **Dec. 2016**: End of FY Quarter
- **Jan. 1, 2016**: End of FY Quarter
- **March 30, 2016**: End of FY Quarter
- **June 30, 2016**: End of FY Quarter
- **July 1, 2016**: STAND DOWN
- **Sept. 30, 2016**: End of FY Quarter
- **Dec. 31, 2016**: End of FY Quarter