

GusNIP FUNDING CYCLE

Illustrative of 2019, in subsequent years, subject to change.



1 APRIL - MAY

RFA goes out from **USDA** and applications are submitted.

2 SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

Awardees confirm budgets and awards are publicly announced.

3 EARLY FALL

Funds flow to grantees for project.

4 EARLY SPRING

Stores are confirmed and materials are created.

5 EARLY SUMMER

Funds flow to stores and program begins.

Conversations occur between grantees and potential retail partners.

