

Attachment 15
State and Tribal Opportunities for Engagement in
2011 NPM Guidance Process

The following are the key milestones relevant to states and tribes in the 2011 NPM Guidance and annual commitment processes. This timeline is a subset of the milestones presented in **Attachment 11** presented by topic area.

FY 2010 NPM Guidance Documents Review

February 19 – March 19, 2010:

- Draft FY 2011 NPM guidance with summary of changes and draft FY 2011 measures posted on OCFO's internet webpage.
- Regions, states, and tribes provide comments on draft FY 2011 NPM guidance to appropriate NPMs and OCFO contacts using Attachment 6: Comments and Response to Comments Summary

April 30, 2010:

- Final FY 2011 NPM Guidance, measures, and supporting documents posted on OCFO's internet

FY 2011 Commitment Negotiation

October, 2010:

- Regions engage NPMs, states, and tribes in determining draft and final FY 2011 regional performance commitments

July 9, 2010:

- FY 2011 draft regional performance commitments reflecting DRA approval due in ACS (reflects engagement between regions, state, and tribes)

July 23, 2010:

- FY 2011 draft annual regional performance commitments are posted on EPA Quickplace site for state and tribal review. Regions engage with NPMs, states, and tribes to determine final FY 2011 regional performance commitments.

September 17, 2010:

- Last day for states and tribes to comment on FY 2011 draft regional commitments

October 22, 2010:

- NPMs and regions enter data on all agreements reached for FY 2011 performance measures in ACS (commitments reflect engagement between regions, states, and tribes)

November 19, 2010:

- FY 2011 final annual regional performance commitments (for which agreement was reached) are posted on EPA's Quickplace site