2018 Federal Appropriations Calendar

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Congressional Appropriations Process		First Monday in February - President Submits Budget to Congress	Not later than 6 weeks after the President submits the budget - Committees submit views and estimates to Budget Committees	April 1 - Senate Budget Committee reports concurrent resolution on the budget	House and Senate adopt budget resolutions prepared by Budget Committees.	House Appropriations Subcommittees prepare appropriations bills.	House passes spending bills.	Senate passes revised bills.	September House-Senate conference committees resolve differences and agree on final versions of spending bills.	October 1st - Fiscal year begins		
		Feb. 15th - Congressional Budget Office submits report to Budget Committees		April 15 - Congress completes action on the concurrent resolution on the budget	Appropriations Committees (House and Senate) make 302(b) allocations*.	Senate Appropriations Subcommittees revise the House-passed bills.			President signs or vetoes final bills.	Congress passes continuing resolutions to maintain funding for any agencies affected by appropriations bills that have not been passed and signed by the beginning of the fiscal year.		
		Administration and agency officials testify in support of the budget request.										
IHS Tribal Budget Formulation Process		IHS National Tribal Budget Formulation Meeting			Tribal presentation of national priorities and recommendations to the National HHS Tribal Budget Formulation Workgroup, Indian orgs, and OMB	The IHS will assist in the development of a meeting among the co-chairs of the National Tribal Budget Formulation Workgroup, representatives from Indian organizations as appropriate, and the Director of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB).	Final funding levels submitted for OMB submission			IHS Area Budget Formulation Meetings		
Advocacy Action Items	Develop Appropriations Policy Analysis	Analyze President's Budget Request	Develop House Interior Appropriations Testimony	Provide House Interior Appropriations Testimony			Attend Congressional Mark Up Hearings					
		Meet with Congressional Appropriations Staff	Develop Native American Witness Day Testimony	Provide Native American Witness Day Testimony								
	Develop IHS National Tribal Budget Formulation Presentation	Deliver IHS National Tribal Budget Formulation presentation										