



GTOPs 2016 Timeline

November 25, 2015	Grant Review Committee Applications Due
December 8, 2015	GTOPs Applications Due
December 9, 2015	Austin Community Technology and Telecommunications Commission Regular Meeting: Grant Review Committee selected
December 16, 2015	Grant Review Committee Orientation (Tentative date) The Committee is required to attend an orientation meeting wherein they will receive guidelines, instructions, evaluation forms and a packet of grant applications.
January 10, 2016	Written Questions Due (from Reviewers)
January 18, 2016	Written Responses Due (from Applicants)
January 31, 2016	First Round of Scores Due
February 12, 2016	Oral Presentations (Tentative date depending on location) Grant applicants will be selected to give a five-minute presentation followed by Q&A.
February 19 2016	Final Deliberation (Tentative depending on location and need) Once the ranking has been established, the reviewers will deliberate on the final disbursement of grant monies. The highest-ranking proposals within core program priorities are generally given full grants with runners up often receiving partial grants. * Final Scores to commission a few days before the Commission Mtg.
March 9, 2016	Austin Community Technology and Telecommunications Commission Regular Meeting The final awards recommendations are presented to the Commission for a vote at the regular March meeting. Once accepted, the award recommendations will be forwarded to the City Manager for final approval.