

# BPA EIM Decision Update

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# Current Status

- BPA has been conducting a public process since July 2018 to determine if and under what conditions it could join the EIM
- BPA is currently in “Phase II” of a multi-year process that may culminate in BPA joining the EIM
- BPA expects to complete Phase II in September 2019 with a Record of Decision (ROD) addressing whether to sign an Implementation Agreement
- If BPA does decide to execute an Implementation Agreement it will trigger the subsequent phases



**Phase I – Done**  
Exploration  
July 2018 – June 2019

**Phase II**  
Implementation Agreement  
June – September 2019

Letter to the  
Region, public  
comment, ROD

**Phase III**  
Post-ROD policy decisions  
October 2019 – August 2020

Evaluate additional  
policy issues with  
stakeholders

**Phase IV**  
Rate & Tariff Proceedings  
October 2020 – July 2021

Implement policy  
decisions through  
BP-22 & TC-22

**Phase V**  
Close-Out Letter  
October – December 2021

Proposal, public  
comment, final  
decision

