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1. Final plan process:

- The TWDB extended plan submittal deadline to 11/5 and removed the hard copies deliverable requirement.
- List of items to submit with the final plan/unique electronic folder link will be provided:
 - ✓ IFR survey
 - ✓ implementation survey
 - ✓ prioritization list
 - ✓ cover letter certifying the plan is complete and adopted
 - ✓ hydrologic modeling files and GIS files
- Reviewed proposed IPP comment responses and revised chapters

2. Request for Application (RFA) for the sixth cycle:

- First request to be issued Spring 2021
- More information to be provided later this year

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3. Regional water planning rulemaking update:

- Revisions to Chapter 357 adopted 6/4 by TWDB Board and effective 6/28
- Revisions will implement legislative changes from House Bill (HB) 807
- Secretary of State site has been updated
- Updated rules pamphlet is available online

4. Interregional Planning Council status

- Council working on the tasks charged by House Bill 807 and additional charges by Representative Larson
- Virtual meetings held with TWDB and facilitator
- Council broke into three committees to accomplish work
- Deadline to submit the Council report to the TWDB is 10/16

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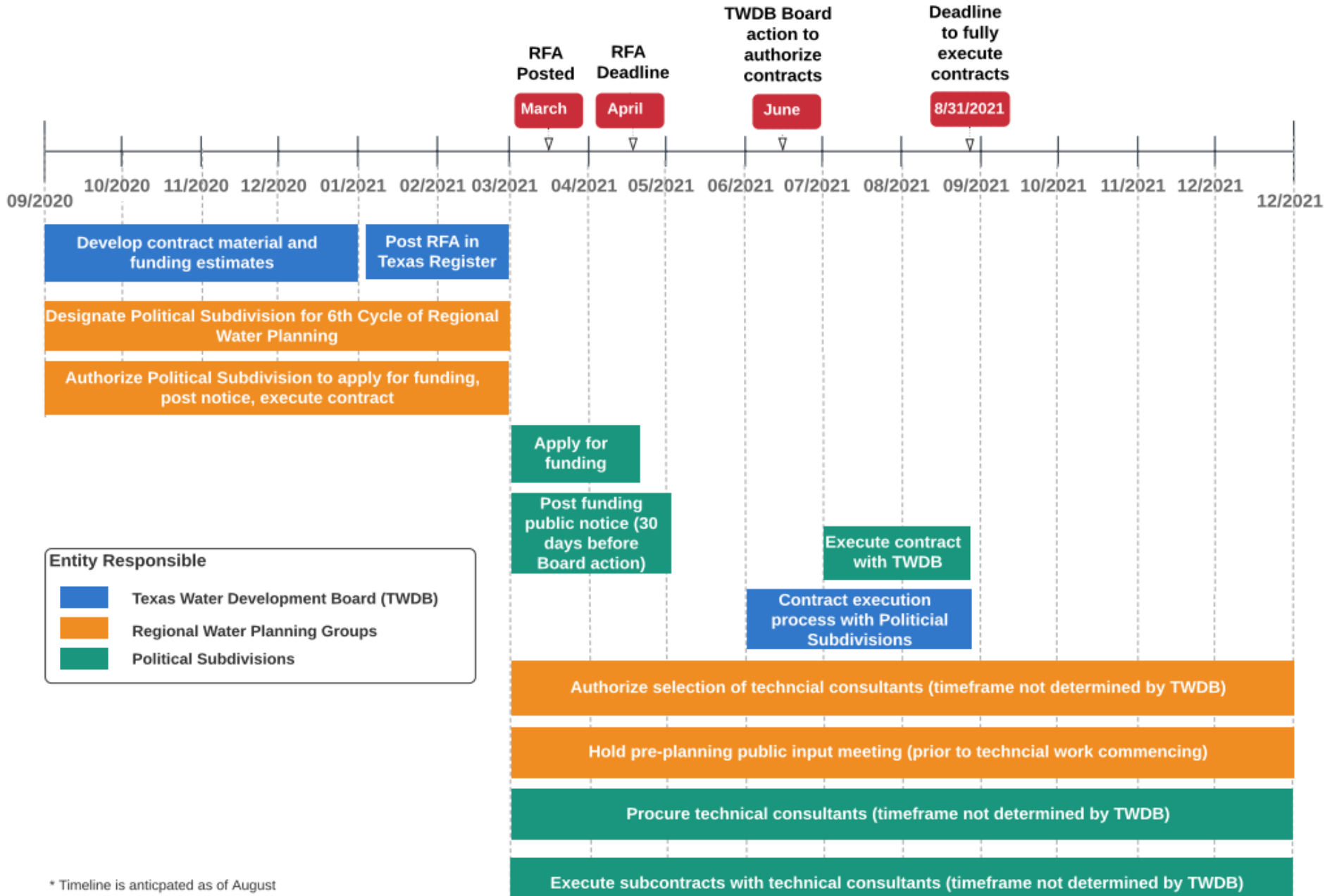
5. New RWP educational document on water availability and existing supply

- Available on the TWDB website under the Regional Water Planning Educational Information webpage:
<http://www.twdb.texas.gov/waterplanning/rwp/education/index.asp>

6. Regional Water Planning Area (RWPA) boundary review process

- Process is required to occur every five years
- Review to begin this fall and we anticipate soliciting stakeholder input in October

Working Timeline* for Initial Contracts and Request for Applications (RFA): Sixth Cycle of Regional Water Planning



* Timeline is anticipated as of August