

Okanagan Basin Water Board Water Conservation & Quality Improvement Grants

Regional District of Central Okanagan Board Meeting

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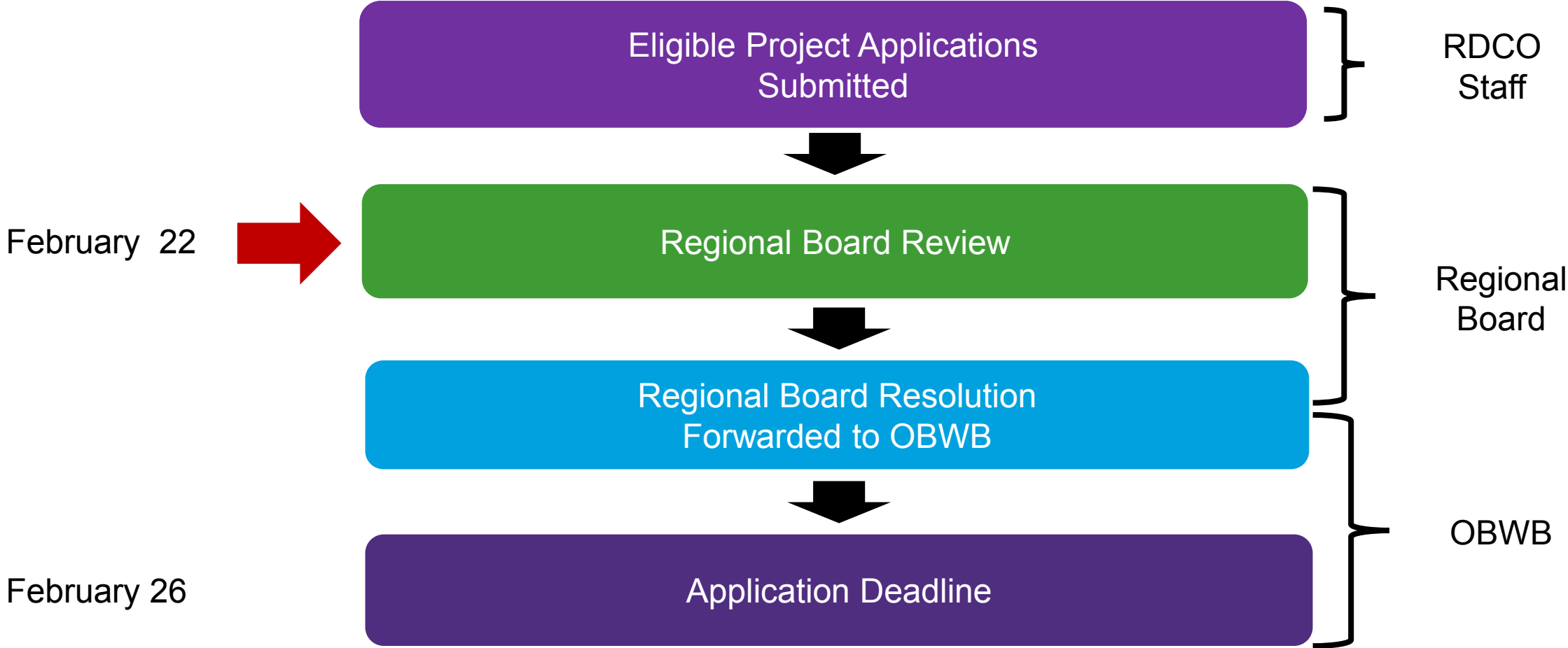
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Purpose

- To endorse, by resolution, one Water Conservation and Quality Improvement Grant application prior to consideration by OBWB.

Grant Application Process



Background

- Encourage innovative and collaborative projects that promote more uniform standards and best practices throughout the valley.
- Projects are to address water issues, increase knowledge sharing, and enhance the valley-wide sustainable use of water.

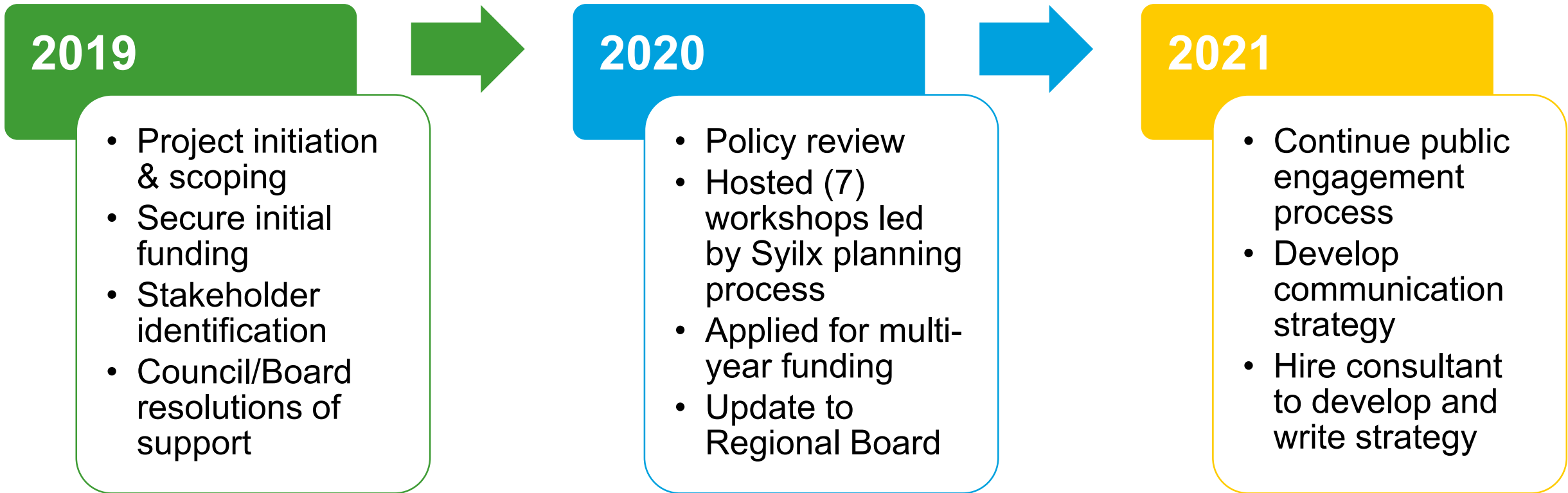
Okanagan Lake Responsibility Planning Initiative

- Okanagan Nation Alliance and Okanagan Collaborative Conservation Program.
- Request: \$30,000.00

Project Purpose

- Co-led by ONA, OCCP, and SOSCP;
- Development of a strategy that will enhance the ways of caring for, protecting, and restoring the values and interests of Okanagan Lake foreshore and associated tributaries within the watershed.

Project Background



OBWB Grant Approval Criteria

- **Theme:** collaborative projects that provide water benefits in large areas throughout the valley.
- Projects that are partnerships between different organizations and span multiple jurisdictions are more likely to receive funding.

Recommendation:

THAT the Regional Board endorse the following application for the Okanagan Basin Water Board Water Conservation and Quality Improvement Grant Program:

- Okanagan Collaborative Conservation Program and Okanagan Nation Alliance – Okanagan Lake Responsibility Planning Initiative - \$30,000.00

