

## 2026 Grazing Lease Bidding Cycle

### **DRAFT Timeline:**

1. June 3: Planning Committee recommendation to BOD on bid approval
2. June 15: BOD recommend approval of bid packet and noticing
3. June 23: BOS approval of bid packet and noticing
4. June 30: Publish Public Notices
5. July 14-15 Optional on-site overviews of leases for prospective bidders
6. July 17: Bid package questions due at noon
7. July 21: Bid package answers published by 5pm
8. July 23: Pre-qualifications due by noon
9. July 27: Notify bidders if they have passed/failed by 5pm
10. July 29: Sealed bids due by 9am
11. July 29: Bid opening at 10am and oral bids accepted
12. August 11: Certify bid results with BOS
13. August 31: Execute lease agreements for each lease and receive first payment
14. Nov. 1: New leases in effect
15. Nov. 2: Mandatory meeting/training for all new lessees