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# ICANN Reviews Update

**Update on Reviews from the Multistakeholder Strategy  
and Strategic Initiatives Team**

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MSSI Presentation



# Agenda

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Reviews

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Operating  
Standards

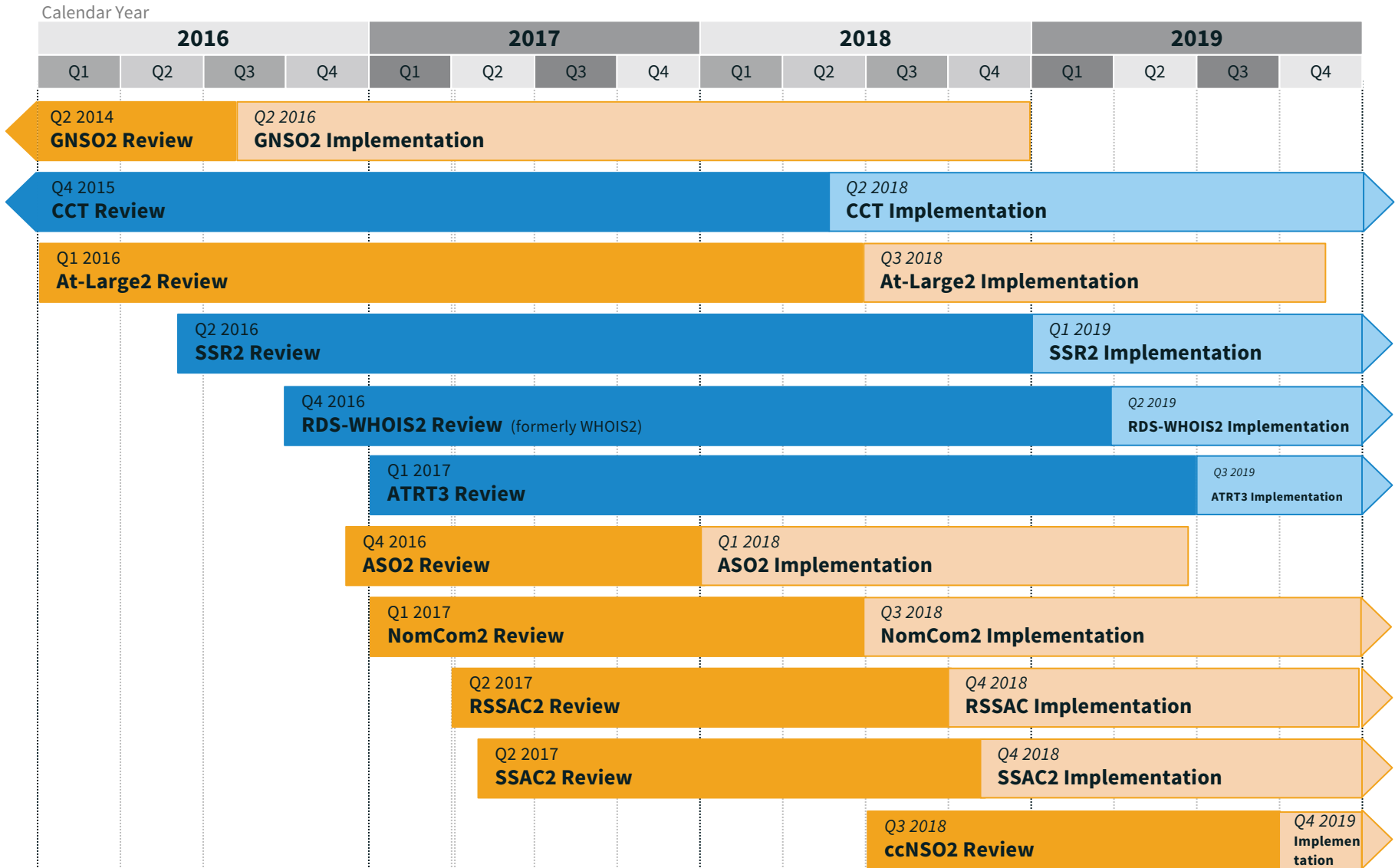
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Opportunities to  
Participate

# REVIEWS

Agenda Item #1

# Reviews Timeline



LEGEND: **SPECIFIC REVIEWS**

■ Execution ■ Implementation

**ORGANIZATIONAL REVIEWS**

■ Execution ■ Implementation

*Future dates are forecasted and subject to change*

# 7 Phases for Specific Reviews

1

Review Pre-Planning, where the organization prepares to support the Review

4

Conduct the Review, includes analysis, assessment and recommendation development

2

Initialization and Selection of the Review Team

5

Board Consideration, where the Final Report and accompanying action plan is accepted or rejected

3

Planning, where the Review Team develops its approach to the Review

6/7

Implementation and Ongoing Support of the recommendations

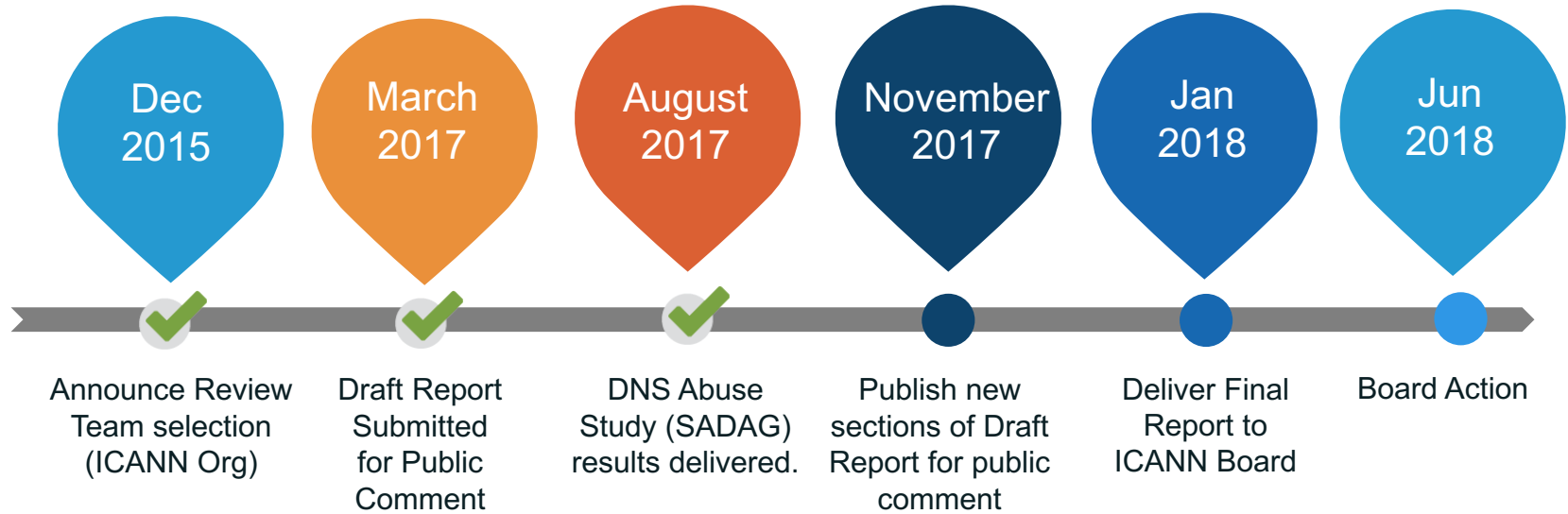
# Overview of Observed\* Issues

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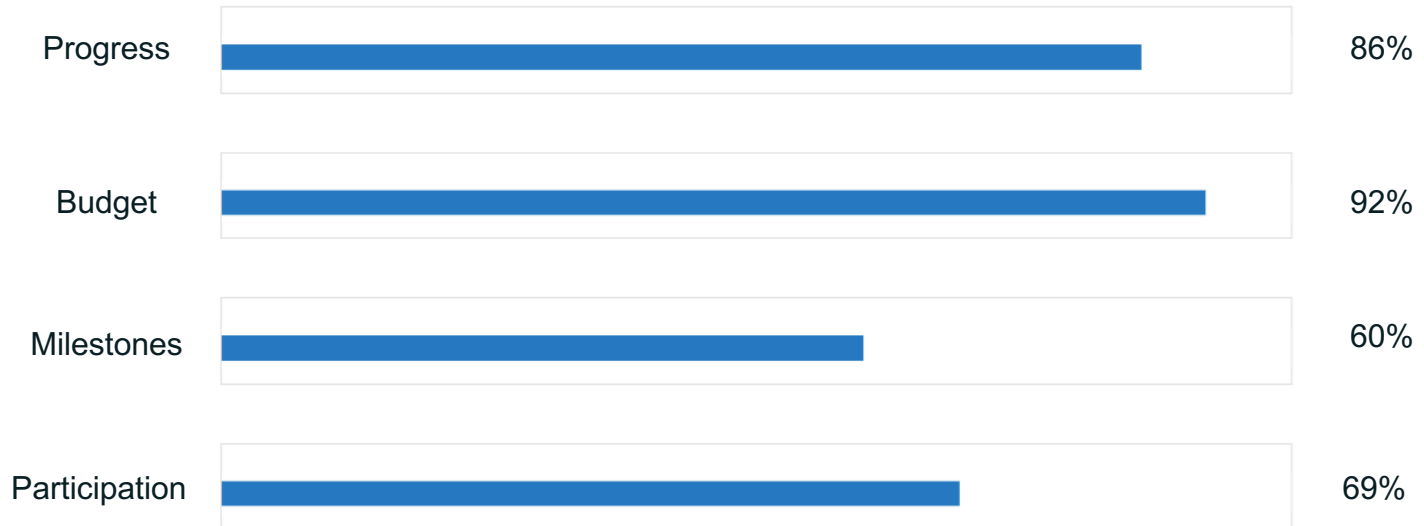
- **Selection of Review Team** – unclear checks and balances over skills and diversity; difficult for people to participate if they are not already engaged and well known; hesitation by SO/AC to nominate people without understanding of scope of work and resulting time commitment and skills.
- **Topics/Scope of Work** – scope not finalized until the Review Team is assembled may prevent people from applying to serve or cause Review Team members to participate less if Review demands turn out to be greater than envisioned.
- **Simultaneous reviews** – limited number of volunteers available to participate, contributing to volunteer fatigue and significant burden carried by a few individuals.
- **Unclear expectations** – without a clear definition of desired outcome and impact from Reviews, difficult to evaluate whether the Reviews are producing intended results.

\*Observed by ICANN community, ICANN Board and ICANN organization

# CCT: Review Timeline and Progress







Review Status: FY17 Q4





# CCT Review Progress Report

Activity	Date	Status
Review Team agreed to work in plenary & 3 sub-teams: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Competition &amp; Consumer Choice</li> <li>• Safeguards &amp; Trust</li> <li>• Application &amp; Evaluation Process</li> </ul>	February 2016	
CCT Draft Report published for Public Comment	March 2017	
GDD Input on implementability of recommendations	May 2017	
Publication of Report of Public Comments	July 2017	
Face-to Face Meeting #8, public consultation (Abu Dhabi)	ICANN 60 October-Nov 2017	Scheduled
New sections with findings and recommendations on DNS Abuse, and INTA Study, sent for public comment	November (TBC) 2017	Scheduled
Close date of Public Comment Period on “New Sections of the Draft Report”	December (TBC) 2017	Scheduled

# Reviews Fact Sheet: CCT

## Competition, Consumer Trust and Consumer Choice (CCT) Review

Fact sheet as of: 30-Jun-2017

### Overview:

ICANN is committed to ensuring that, as it contemplates expanding the top-level domain space, the various issues that are involved will be adequately addressed prior to implementation.

These include issues such as competition, consumer protection, security, stability and resiliency, malicious abuse issues, sovereignty concerns, and rights protection.

The AoC also requires ICANN to convene a community-driven review to examine the extent to which the introduction or expansion of gTLDs has promoted competition, consumer trust and consumer choice, as well as the effectiveness of: The application and evaluation process and safeguards put in place to mitigate issues involved in the introduction or expansion.

Wiki Page: [CCT Wiki Home Page](#)  
 CCT-RT Email: [input-to-cctr@icann.org](mailto:input-to-cctr@icann.org)  
 Review Questions: [reviews@icann.org](mailto:reviews@icann.org)

CCT Chair: Jonathan Zuck  
 Competition and Consumer Choice Subteam Chair: Jordyn Buchanan  
 Safeguards & Trust Subteam Chair: Laureen Kapin

### Section I: People (as of 30 June 2017)



ICANN Org (Individuals involved at various times throughout Review): **12**

Face-to-face meetings: **8 Meetings**  
 Calls (plenary and subteam): **81 Calls**  
 Volunteer meeting & call time: **2,849 Hours**  
 Personnel support time <sup>(1)</sup> (estimated hours and cross-organizational): **9,442 Hours**

<sup>(1)</sup> Does not include time for Executives, Legal, IT Personnel and Other Organizational Support

### Review Status (as of 30 June 2017)

Start Date: 13-Jan-2016      Review Duration to Date: **18 Months**  
 Expected Completion: 18-Oct-2017      Total Expected Duration: **21 Months**



### Section II: Financial Resources (as of 30 June 2017)

Direct Review Costs <sup>(1)</sup>	FY17 Approved Budget <sup>(2)</sup>	FY17 Budget Spent to Date <sup>(3)</sup>	Committed FY17 Services <sup>(4)</sup>	Remaining FY17 Budget	Actual Expenses:	
					Review to Date <sup>(5)</sup>	Total Spent and Committed to Date
Professional Services - IAG-CCT	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 210,000	\$ 210,000
Professional Services - CCT	\$ 870,000	\$ 700,000	\$ 80,000	\$ 90,000	\$ 1,590,000	\$ 1,670,000
Travel	\$ 340,000	\$ 230,000	\$ -	\$ 110,000	\$ 370,000	\$ 370,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,210,000</b>	<b>\$ 930,000</b>	<b>\$ 80,000</b>	<b>\$ 200,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,170,000</b>	<b>\$ 2,250,000</b>

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes ICANN Organization and overhead allocation.

<sup>(2)</sup> Based on the most recent month end financials (may not include recent expenditures). Represents expenses incurred since inception of work.

<sup>(3)</sup> Includes incremental approved professional services budget of \$160,000.

<sup>(4)</sup> Professional services includes services from signed contracts to be provided or invoiced; travel includes upcoming scheduled meetings.

### Section III: Milestones (as of 30 June 2017)

#### Project Management

20% of total effort



- Adopt terms of reference
- Adopt work plan
- Assemble subteams
- Prepare templates
- Solidify list of projects
- Adopt discussion paper template
- Adopt report shell/framework

#### Research and Studies

20% of total effort



- Identify data/sources needed for work
- Analyze data from research and studies

#### Draft Report

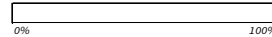
25% of total effort



- Assemble initial conclusions
- Populate discussion papers with findings and potential recs.
- Reach agreement on discussions papers
- Discuss/approve/consolidate findings and interim recommendations
- Approve interim recommendations
- Seek Board/ICANN Organization input on implementability of interim recommendations
- Circulate interim recommendation to Subsequent Procedures PDP WG
- Socialize interim recommendations with community
- Build and approve Draft Report for public comment
- Issue draft report for public comment and socialize draft recommendations with
- Produce summary of public comment received
- GDD to provide input on draft recommendations

#### New Sections

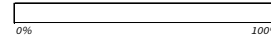
10% of total effort



- Review studies' input and incorporate as appropriate
- Produce additional recommendations/new sections, as appropriate and edit report
- Approve additional recommendations
- Publish new sections of the report for public comment
- Socialize changes to report with community
- Seek ICANN Org and Board Caucus WG input on implementability of recommendations
- Circulate to New gTLD Subsequent Procedures PDP WG
- Produce summary of public comments

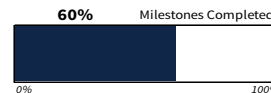
#### Final Report

25% of total effort

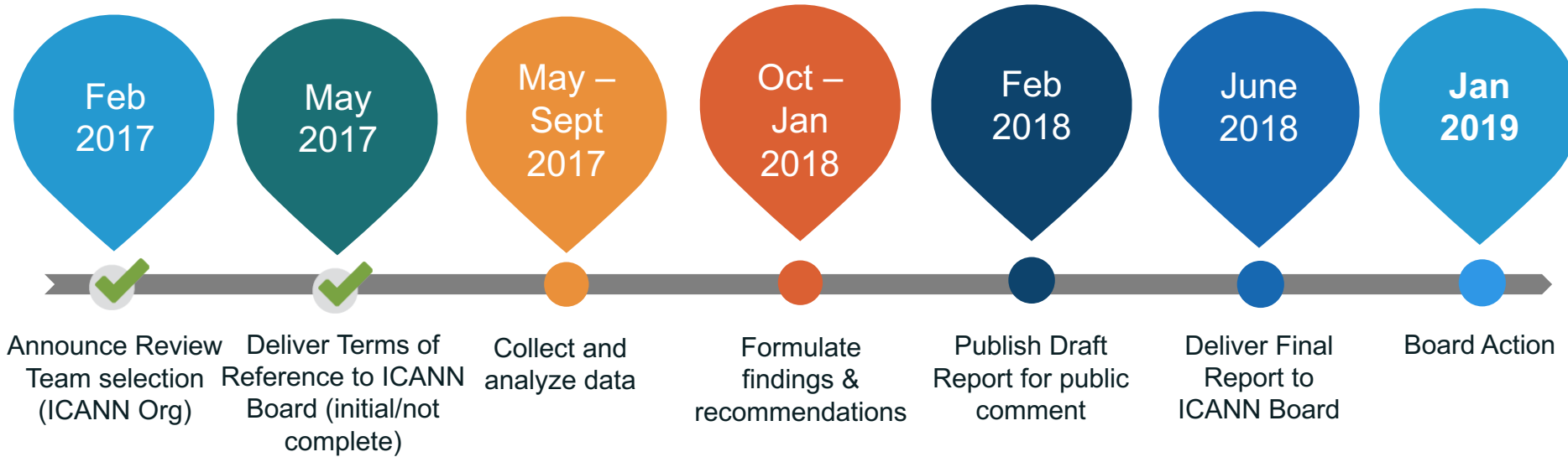


- Review public comment input received and incorporate as appropriate
- Seek Board/ICANN Organization input on implementability of final recommendations
- Circulate final recommendations to Subsequent Procedures PDP WG for input
- Finalize Report
- Adopt final recommendations and report
- Socialize final report with community
- Send final report to ICANN Board

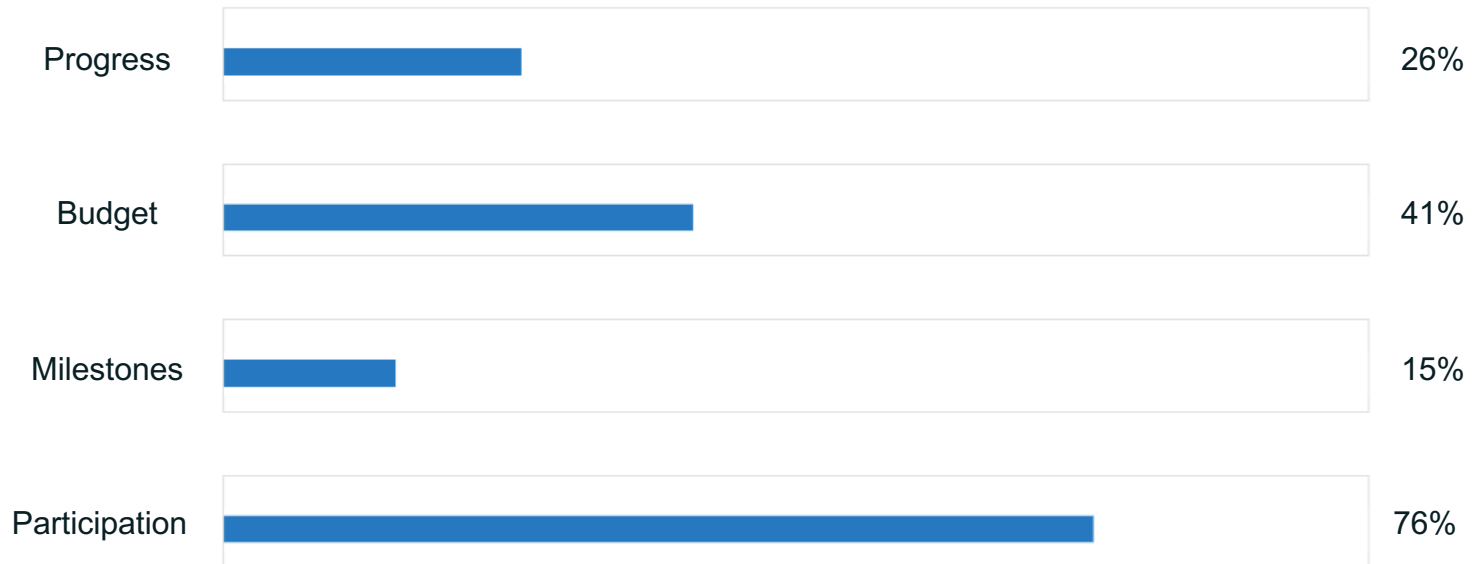
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# SSR2: Review Timeline and Progress



## Review Status: FY17 Q4

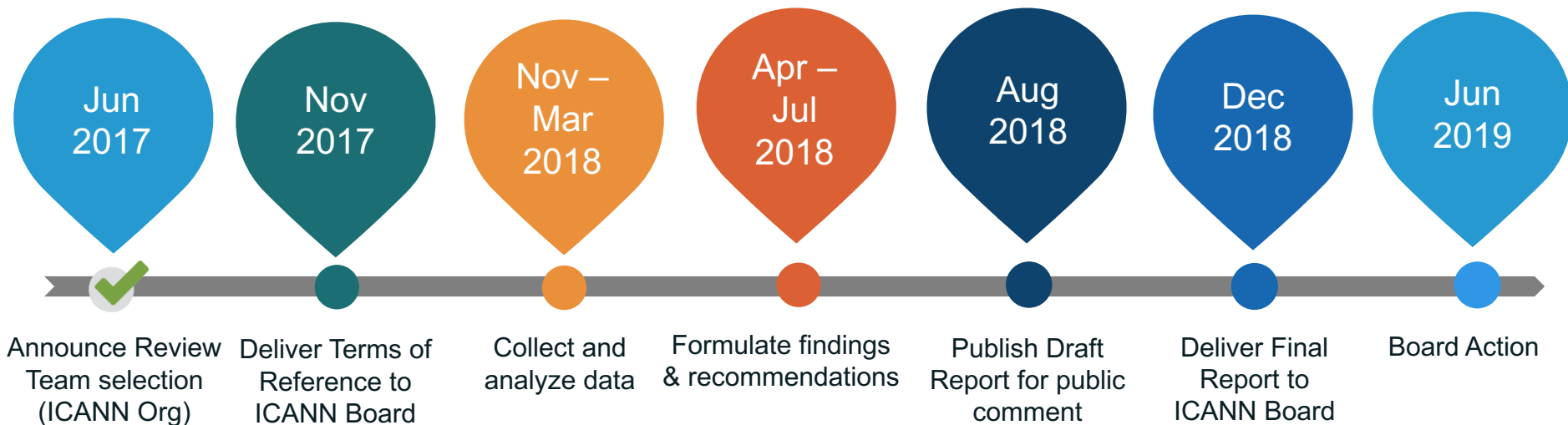


\*Timeline is based on a current draft work plan. Estimated dates subject to change.

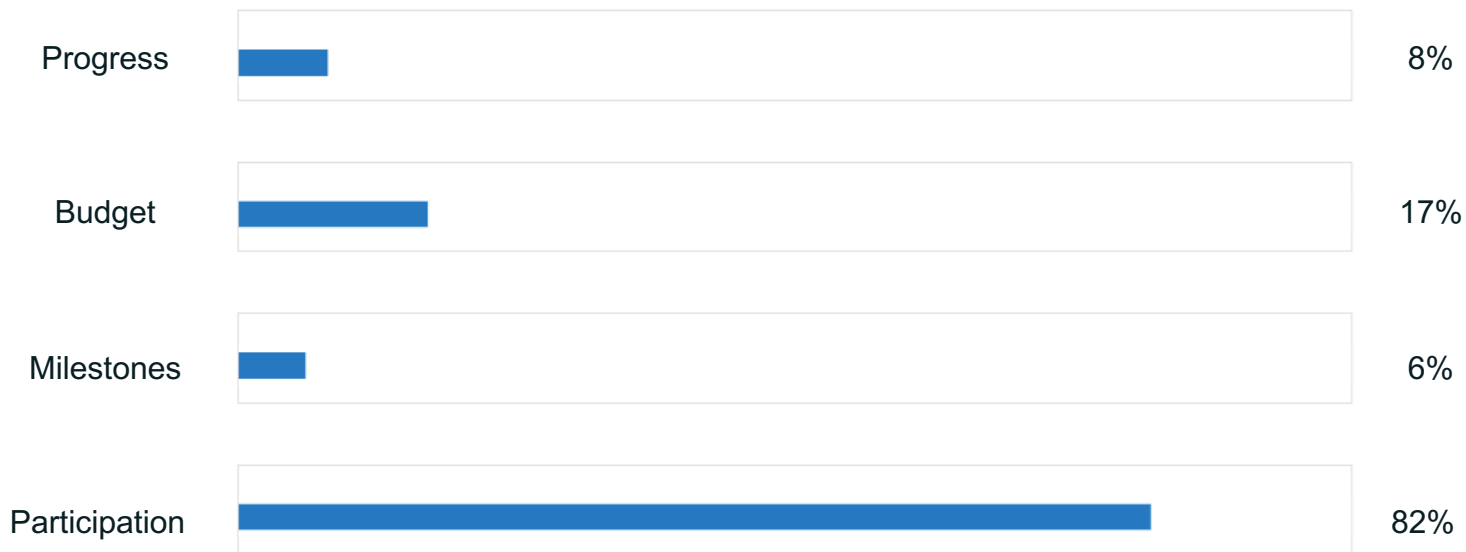
# SSR2: Key Milestones

Activity	Date	Status
Review Team agreed to leadership by three Co-Chairs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Denise Michel, GNSO</li> <li>• Eric Osterweil, RSSAC</li> <li>• Emily Taylor, GNSO (resigned July 2017)</li> </ul>	March 2017	
Sub-groups formed and draft work topics identified. Five key areas of review: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SSR1 Implementation</li> <li>• ICANN SSR</li> <li>• DNS SSR</li> <li>• Future Challenges</li> <li>• Impact of IANA transition on SSR</li> </ul>	May 2017	
Specifications for Gap Analysis of the Implementation of SSR1 Review Recommendations published <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anticipated start date November 2017</li> </ul>	September 2017	
ICANN SSR sub-group face-to-face meeting (Los Angeles)	9-10 October 2017	
Face-to-face meeting #4, public consultation, outreach meetings with SO/AC groups (Abu Dhabi)	ICANN60	Scheduled
Face-to-face meeting #5: Drafting session (Brussels)	January 2018	Scheduled

# RDS-WHOIS2: Review Timeline and Progress



Review Status: FY17 Q4





# RDS-WHOIS2: Key Milestones

Activity	Date	Status
Review Team announced <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Comprised of 14 members*</li></ul>	June 2017	
Face-to-face meeting #1, Brussels	2-3 October 2017	
Review Team agreed to leadership by Chair and two Vice Chairs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Alan Greenberg (Chair)</li><li>Cathrin Bauer-Bulst (Vice-Chair)</li><li>Susan Kawaguchi (Vice-Chair)</li></ul>	2-3 October 2017	
Scope, Terms of Reference, Work plan to be adopted and sent to the Board	24 November 2017	Scheduled

\* The ccNSO has reserved the right to appoint up to 3 Review Team members once the scope of the Review has been determined.

# ATRT3: Key Milestones

Activity	Date	Status
Call for Volunteers for the Third Review of ICANN Accountability and Transparency (ATRT3)	31 January 2017	
Extended Call for Volunteers closed	2 June 2017	
SO/ACs in the process of nominating review team members, based on their own processes	In-Progress	GNSO nominations received on 25 September 2017. RSSAC nomination received on 25 July 2017.
SO/AC Chairs to select review team	TBD	

# 6 Phases for Organizational Reviews

1

**Review Planning**, ICANN organization prepares to support review and RWP appoints its leadership team and begins organizing for the Review

2

**Selection of Independent Examiner** includes preparation of the RFP, interviews and the OEC's confirmation of the selected IE

3

**Conduct Review**, according to the agreed scope and timeline

4

**Feasibility Assessment**, where the RWP reviews the Final Report and checks IE's recommendations for usability, feasibility, prioritization, resources, budget, and timeline

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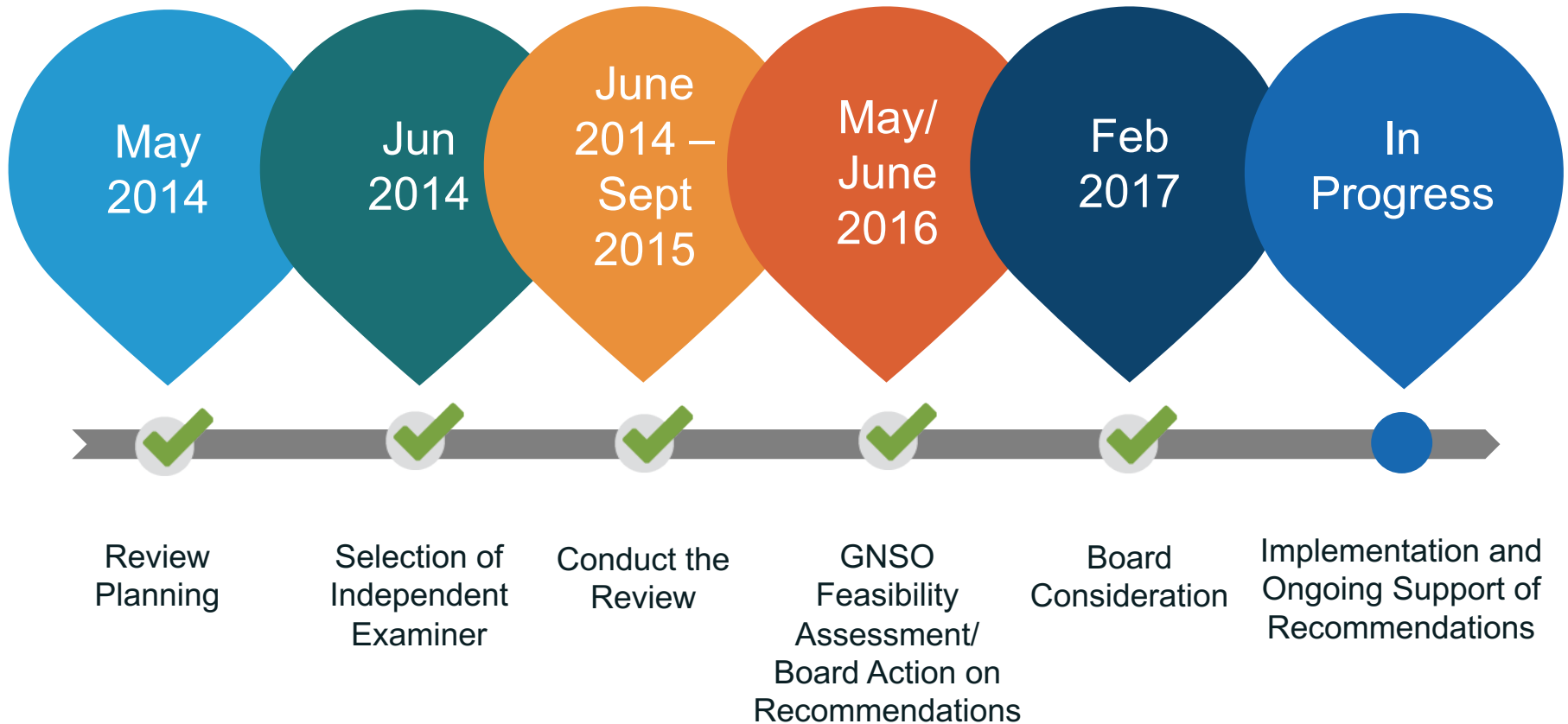
**Board Consideration**, where the OEC reviews the final report and the Feasibility Assessment, and the Board decides on adopting recommendations and next steps for implementation

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**Implementation and Ongoing Support of Recommendations**



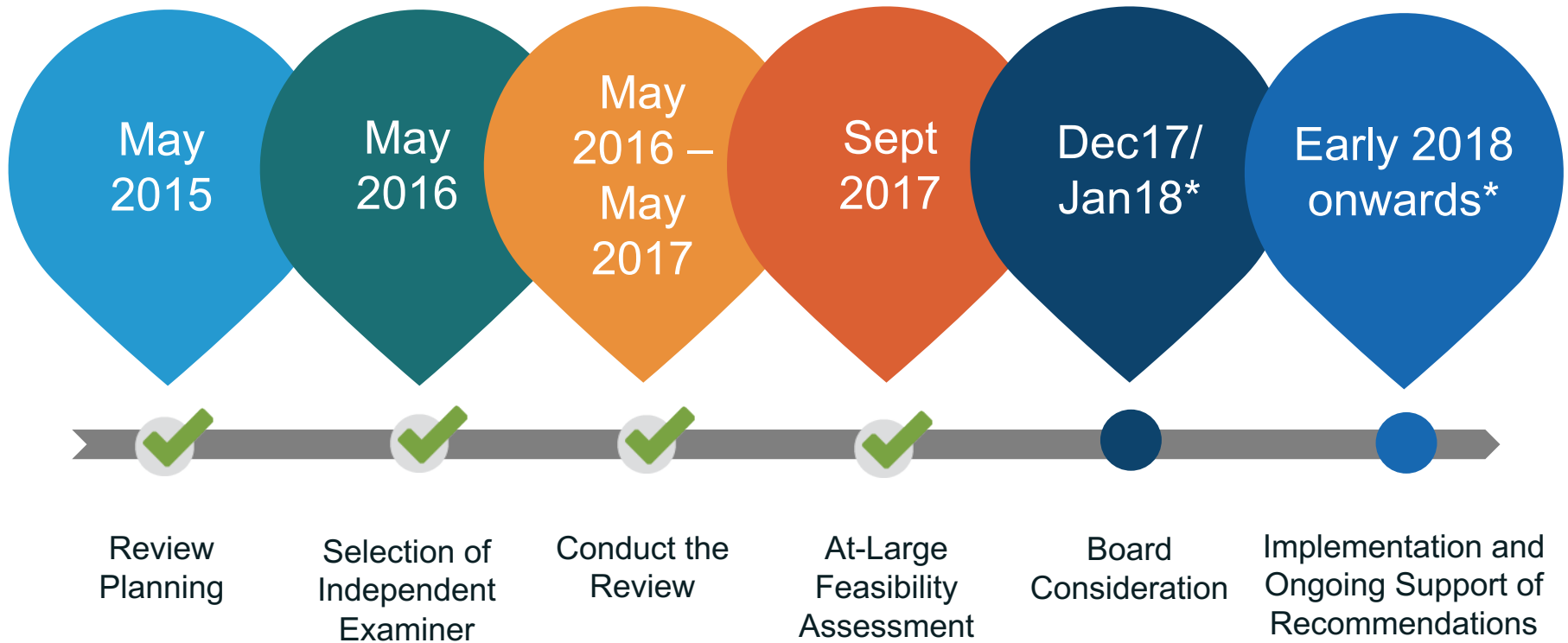
# GNSO2: Review Timeline








# GNSO2: Key Milestones

Activity	Date	Status
Westlake Governance selected as Independent Examiner to conduct the review	June 2014	
40 interviews conducted More than 150 survey responses received	July 2014	
Final report published: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 36 recommendations</li><li>• 15 public comments received on Draft Report</li></ul>	September 2015	
Board action <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 34 recommendations approved by GNSO Council and ICANN Board</li></ul>	June 2016	
Implementation plan adopted by GNSO Council	December 2016	
Board approved implementation plan	February 2017	
Semi-annual update to the OEC	December 2017	

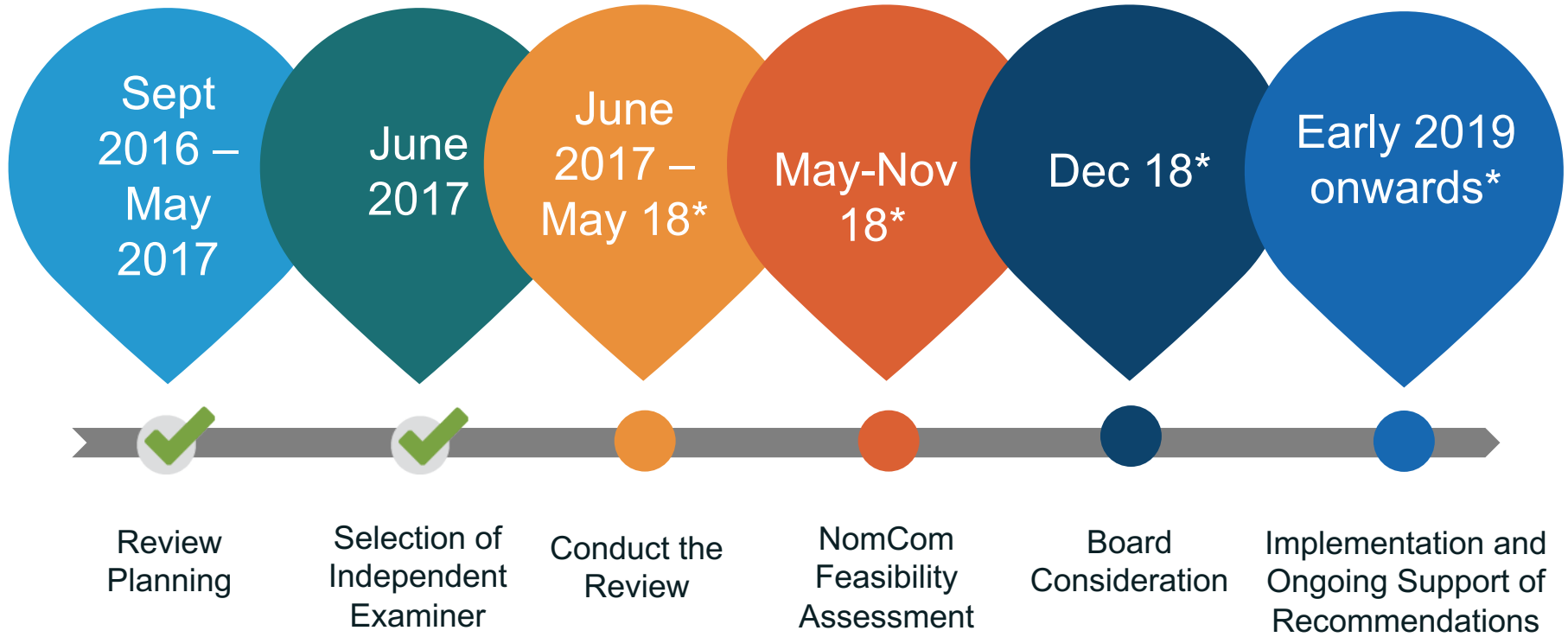
# At-Large2: Review Timeline






# At-Large2: Key Milestones

Activity	Date	Status
Review Working Party holds first formal meeting to plan for the review	May 2015	
ITEMS International selected as Independent Examiner to conduct the review	May 2016	
Interviews conducted and surveys distributed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Over 100 interviews conducted</li> <li>• More than 240 survey responses received</li> </ul>	September – November 2016	
Final Report published <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Included 16 recommendations</li> <li>• 15 public comments received</li> </ul>	May 2017	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ALAC completes feasibility assessment for the implementation of review recommendations</li> </ul>	Sept 2017	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OEC consideration of Final Report and Feasibility Assessment</li> </ul>	Active	In-progress

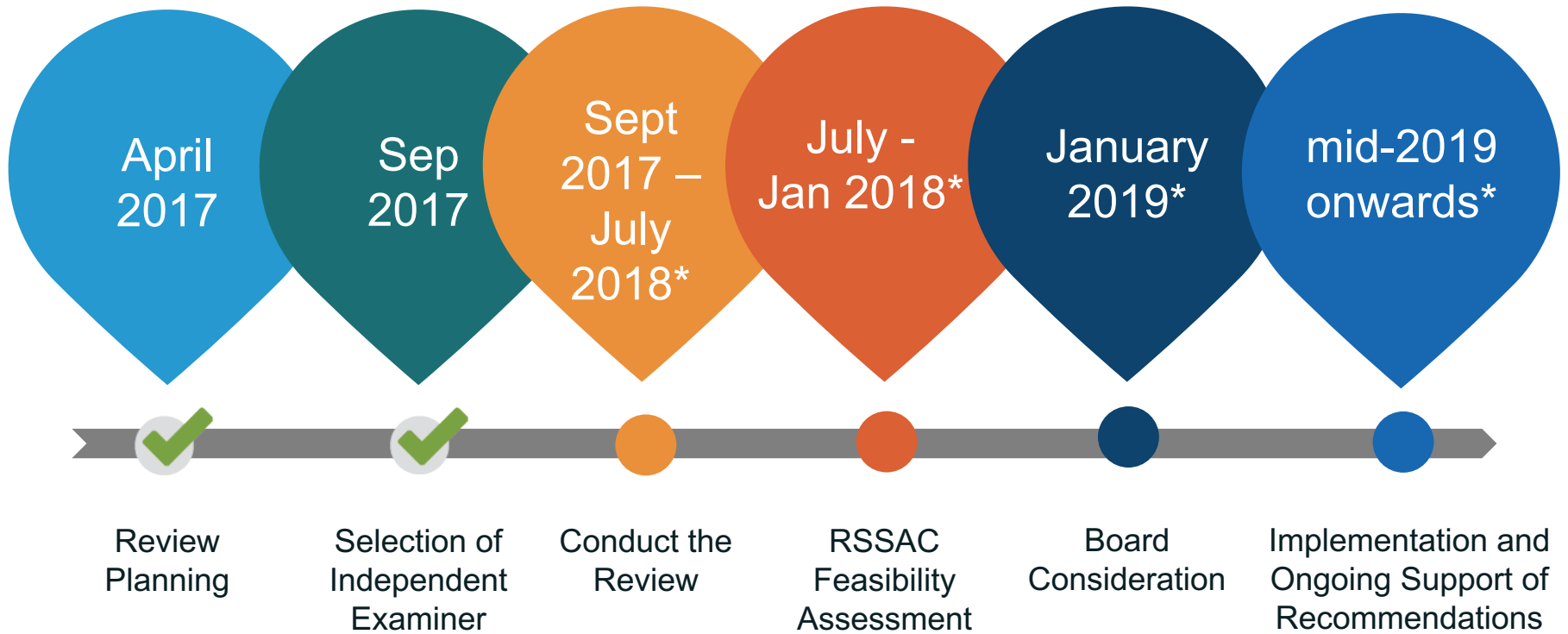
# NomCom2: Review Timeline





# NomCom2: Key Milestones

Activity	Date	Status
<p>Review Working Party announced</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Comprised of 11 volunteers</li><li>• Leadership by Chair (Tom Barrett) and Vice Chairs (Cheryl Langdon-Orr).</li><li>• Stéphane Van Gelder stepped down as Chair September 2017. Thomas Barrett assumed role of Chair.</li></ul>	October 2016	
<p>Analysis Group selected as Independent Examiner to conduct the review</p>	June 2017	
<p>Interviews conducted</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• More than 30 interviews at ICANN59</li></ul>	March 2017	
<p>Review survey published for community input</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Survey closes 6 November 2017 (extended)</li></ul>	September 2017	Open for community input

# RSSAC2: Review Timeline

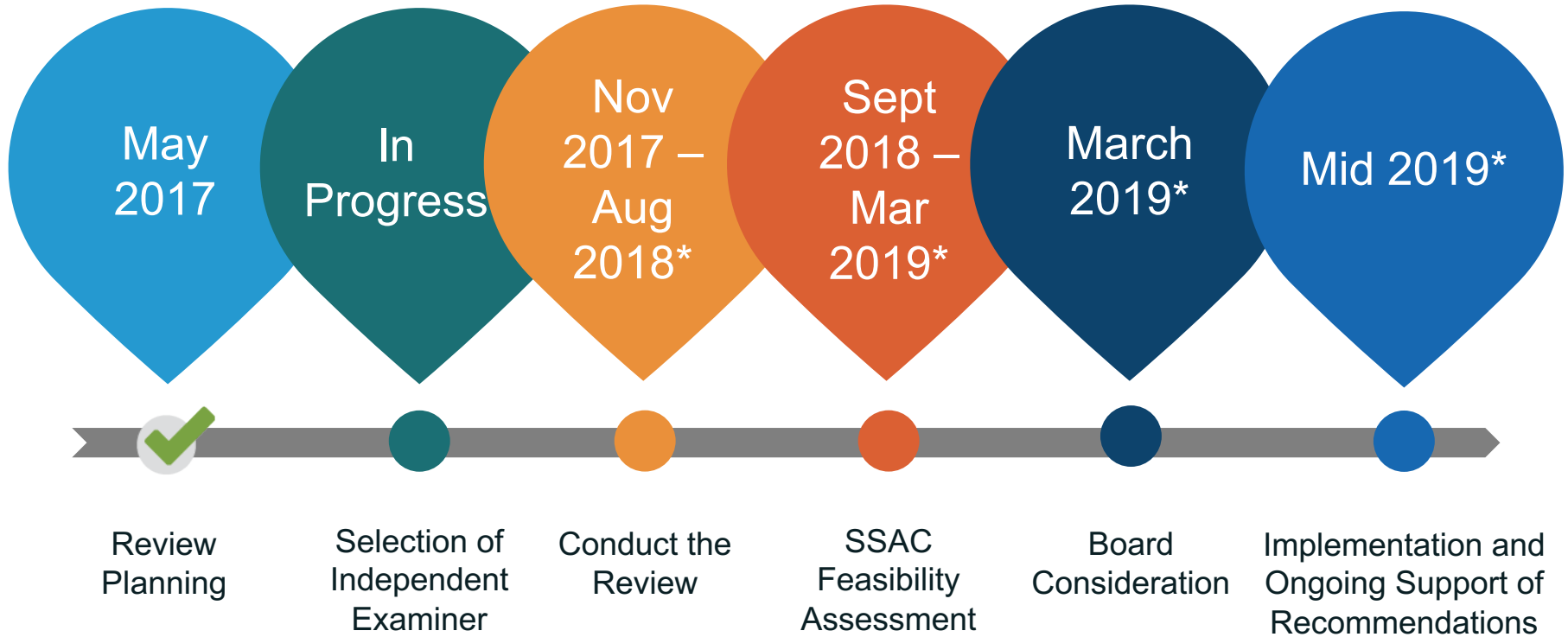


# RSSAC2: Key Milestones




Activity	Date	Status
Interisle Consulting Group selected as Independent Examiner to conduct the review	September 2017	
Introductory call with Independent Examiner and Review Working Party	October 2017	
Interviews planned <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li data-bbox="69 662 285 694">• ICANN60</li><li data-bbox="69 708 272 739">• IETF100</li></ul>	November 2017	Scheduled
Survey published	November 2017	Scheduled



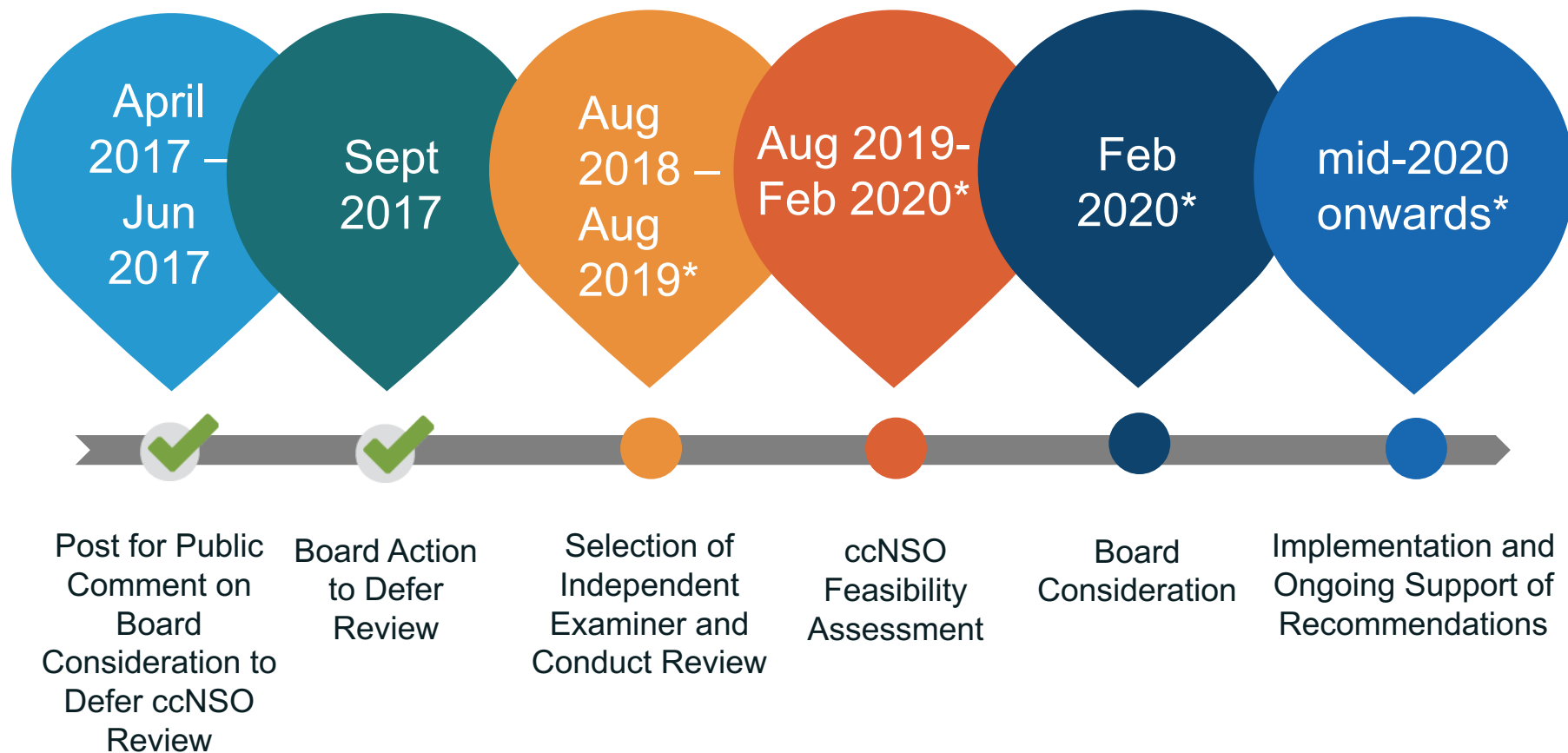
# SSAC2: Review Timeline




# SSAC2: Key Milestones

Activity	Date	Status
Board Resolution Initiating the Second Review of the Security and Stability Advisory Committee	18 May 2017	
Announcement of Independent Examiner Request for Proposals	7 July 2017	
Extended Deadline: Request for Proposal for the SSAC Organizational Review	1 Aug 2017	

# ccNSO: Review Timeline



# ccNSO: Key Milestones

Activity	Date	Status
<p>The ICANN Board of Directors (Board) has adopted a resolution to defer the second Country Code Names Supporting Organization (ccNSO) Review.</p> <p>The second ccNSO Review has been deferred by 12 months in response to the ccNSO's concerns about its current workload. It is now due to start in August 2018.</p>	23 Sept 2017	

# OPERATING STANDARDS

Agenda Item #2

# Operating Standards



Aligned with  
ICANN  
Bylaws

Community  
collaboration &  
OEC oversight

System for efficient  
and effective  
reviews



Support Organizational  
and Specific Reviews by  
providing consistent and  
transparent processes  
and practices



Community-wide  
reference tool



Living document that  
applies lessons learned  
and best practices

## Roadmap



# OPPORTUNITIES TO PARTICIPATE

Agenda Item #3

# How to Participate?

## Choose Your Review!

Go to  
[www.icann.org/resources/reviews](http://www.icann.org/resources/reviews)  
and find out what Review interests  
you

## Get Plugged In!

Go to the Team wiki for the  
latest updates on ways to  
get involved



Observe  
Meetings



Email your  
input at  
any time



Join open  
community  
sessions to  
voice your  
input



Participate in  
surveys to inform  
decision-making



Provide your  
public comments  
on findings and  
recommendations



Apply to be  
considered for  
a review team



# Opportunities to Participate: ICANN60 Sessions

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- ***Cross-Community Session: Community Feedback on the Concluding the Work of CCWG – Accountability – WS2***
  - Cross-Community topic
  - 30 October @ 10:30 – 12:00 GST; Location: Hall 4
- ***Cross Community Session: Operating Standards for Specific Reviews***
  - Cross-Community topic
  - 30 October @ 15:15 – 16:45 GST; Location: Hall 4
- ***NomCom Review: an Update by the Independent Examiner***
  - Engagement session with community
  - 1 November @ 9:00 – 10:15 GST; Location: Capital Suite 19
- ***Cross Community Session: General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) Implications***
  - Cross-community topic
  - 2 November @ 10:30 – 12:00 GST; Location: Hall 4

# Opportunities to Participate: ICANN60 Sessions

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- **CCWG Accountability – WS2 – Face to Face Meeting**
  - All day face-to-face working session
  - 27 October @ 8:30 – 17:30 GST; Location: Hall 3 (GAC)
- **Competition, Consumer Trust, and Consumer Choice (CCT) Review**
  - All day face-to-face working session
  - 27 October @ 9:00 – 17:30 GST; Location: Capital Suite 3
- **CCT Review Engagement Session**
  - Engagement session with community
  - 29 October @ 12:15 – 13:15 GST; Location: Hall A, Section A
- **CCT Review Team Meeting with the Board Caucus Group**
  - Engagement session with Board
  - 1 November @ 15:15 – 16:30 GST; Location: Hall A, Section B/C
- **Security, Stability, and Resiliency (SSR2) Review**
  - All day face-to-face working session
  - 27 October and 3 November @ 9:00 – 17:30 GST; Location: Capital Suite 1
- **Security, Stability, and Resiliency (SSR2) Review**
  - Engagement session with community
  - 29 October @ 13:30 – 15:00 GST; Location: Capital Suite 14

# Find the Latest Information on Specific Reviews

ICANN

Dashboard Accountability IANA Stewardship Transition Related Committees Projects GSE SOAC/E At-Large Cross Comm GNSO ccNSO Language Services Registries UASG

SSR

Expand all Collapse all

- Security, Stability & Resiliency of the DNS Review Team
  - SSR1 Review
  - SSR2 Review
    - Mandate
    - Terms of Reference
    - Timeline & work plan
    - Fact Sheet
    - Background Materials
    - Subgroups
    - Plenary Conference Ca...
    - Tracking Tool
    - Documents & Drafts
    - Decisions Made
    - Team Members
    - Observers
    - Announcements & Blogs
    - Outreach & Engagement
    - Correspondence
    - Email Archives
    - Travel Funding
    - Legal Documents
    - Images

Pages / Security, Stability & Resiliency of the DNS Review Team

## SSR2 Review

Created by Pamela Smith, last modified by Yvette Guigneaux on Sep 18, 2017

### WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THIS REVIEW?

The Second Security, Stability, and Resiliency of the Domain Name System Review is mandated by ICANN Bylaws Section 4.6(c) to examine how effectively ICANN is meeting its commitment to enhance the operational stability, reliability, resiliency, security and global interoperability of the systems/processes (internal/external) that affect the Internet's unique identifiers.

### WHERE ARE WE IN THE PROCESS?

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graph TD; SOP[Standard Operating Process] --> ART[Assemble Review Team]; ART --> PR[Plan Review]; PR --> CR[Conduct Review]; CR --> BA[Board Action]; BA --> PI[Plan Implementation]; PI --> II[Implement Improvements]; II --> SOP;
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### MEET THE SSR2 REVIEW TEAM

### VIEW THE REVIEW FACT SHEET

See the progress of the Review Team towards completing the Review.

### VIEW REVIEW MILESTONES, OUTPUTS, AND DELIVERABLES

Visit the SSR2 Specific Review Page on ICANN.org

### OPPORTUNITIES TO PARTICIPATE

- Observe SSR2 meetings live: [Learn more](#)
- Listen to past SSR2 meetings: [Learn more](#)
- Stay up-to-date on key documents: [Learn more](#)
- Share your input with the SSR2 Review Team via their public email list [input-to-ssr2rt@icann.org](mailto:input-to-ssr2rt@icann.org)
- Subscribe to the SSR2 mailing list as an observer! Send a request to [ssr2-observers@icann.org](mailto:ssr2-observers@icann.org)

### KEY NEWS AND UPDATES

#### An Update from the Second Security, Stability and Resiliency of the Domain Name System (DNS) Review Team (SSR2)

19 Jul 2017 - The SSR2 review team recently held a two-day face-to-face meeting in Johannesburg, South Africa, prior to ICANN59. The review team is examining security, operational stability, and resiliency matters related to ICANN's coordination of the Internet's system of unique identifiers. Here, review team member Alain Aina explains why the SSR2 Review is important and shares some highlights from the recent meeting. [Learn more.](#)

**Find the information you need, when you need it.** With so many specific review-related activities going on, it can be challenging to stay up-to-date with the latest news and opportunities to participate. To help you find the information you're looking for, we've given the ICANN review wiki pages a makeover! Check out the updated wiki pages and make sure to bookmark those that interest you. Find links on the following slide:

# Explore the Reviews

REVIEW	ICANN.ORG LINK	WIKI LINK
<b>Specific</b>	<a href="https://www.icann.org/resources/reviews/specific-reviews">https://www.icann.org/resources/reviews/specific-reviews</a> plus the extension below	<a href="https://community.icann.org/display">https://community.icann.org/display</a> plus the extension below
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**Thank You  
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