

## **Implementation Timeline**

### **May**

- Legislative Session Ends
- Begin process of finding Consultant
- DPI begins drafting administrative rules / Notify Admin Rules Committee

### **June**

- Consultant on Board
- Administrative Rules Drafted

### **July**

- Contract in Place with Consultant
- DPI / BND / Consultant review Administrative Rules
- BND Begins Vetting for Program Manager

### **August – September**

- Administrative rules Notification / Hearings

### **October**

- Administrative Rules Approved & Ready
- Program Manager final selection

### **November**

- Program Manager begins work on implementation 12-15 Month Process

### **January 1, 2027**

- Final testing
- Applications open first quarter of 2027

### **Fall Semester 2027**

- Program Implementation