

E-PLCA Timeline Considerations (Aspirational)

IEEE 802.3 September 2026 Interim Session
Lisbon, Portugal

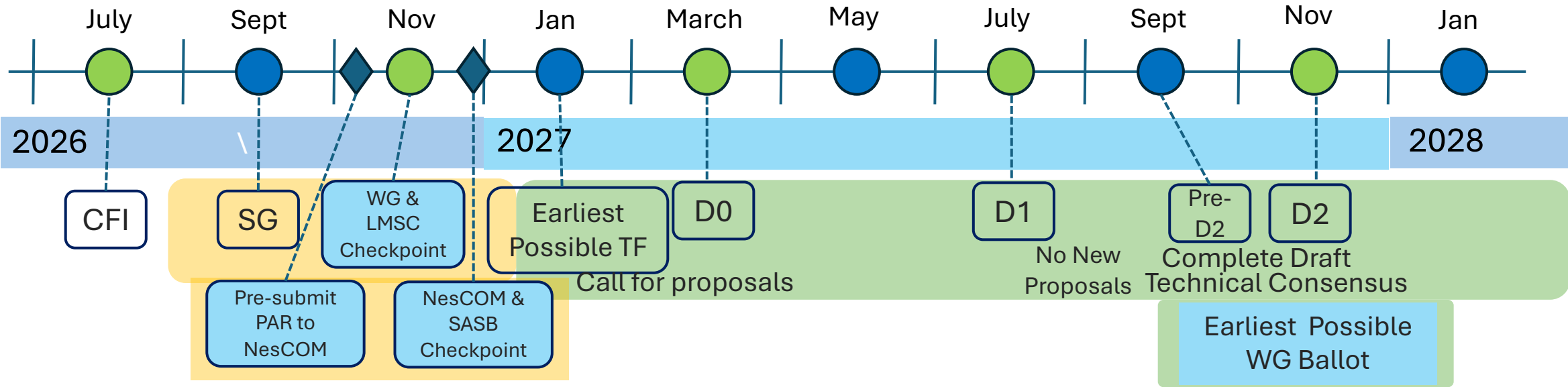
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[note: shameless copy-and-contextual-paste from 400GPL SG work]

Introduction

- A focused project enables rapid progress toward a specification – time to serve the market that is already emerged.
- Project documentation approvals are the key to the transition to Task Force.
- Task Force makes technical decisions, including selecting baseline proposals.
- Agreement on documentation in September achieves Task Force in late December 2026.

Timeline to Task Force and Beyond



- Best possible and achievable timeline toward formation of TF shown.
- Best possible and achievable TF schedule without compromising due-process shown above (aspirational).

Check w/ David or Adam on pre-submit rules → → and adjust timeline accordingly.

Key Dates	Notes
8 October, 2026	LMSC Pre-submission deadline (30 days)
9 November, 2026	LMSC Meeting at November Plenary
19 October 2026	NesCOM pre-submission deadline
18-21 January 2027	IEEE 802.3 January 2027 Interim Meeting
07-09 Dec 2026	NesCOM & SASB Meeting

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IEEE Standards Association Governance Meetings Schedule

2026

JANUARY	JULY
28: NesCom and RevCom teleconferences	22: BOG meeting, virtual-only
29: CAG meeting, virtual-only	28-30: CAG meeting, Austin, Texas, USA, in-person only
FEBRUARY	AUGUST
04-05: BOG meeting, Bridgewater, New Jersey, USA	
11-16: IEEE BOD meeting series, Austin, TX, USA	SEPTEMBER
MARCH	02-03: BOG meeting, virtual-only
24-26: SASB meeting series, Bridgewater, New Jersey, USA	21-25: SASB meeting series, virtual-only
APRIL	OCTOBER
15-16: CAG meeting, Bridgewater, New Jersey, USA, in-person only	21: NesCom and RevCom teleconferences
29: RevCom teleconference	NOVEMBER
30: NesCom teleconference	18-23: IEEE BOD meeting series, Washington, DC, USA
MAY	DECEMBER
05-07: BOG meeting, San Jose, Costa Rica	02-03: CAG meeting, Dublin, Ireland, in-person only
JUNE	04-05: BOG meeting, Dublin, Ireland
02-04: SASB meeting series, Tokyo, Japan	06: Awards Ceremony, Dublin, Ireland
17-22: IEEE BOD meeting series, Nashville, TN, USA	07-09: SASB meeting series, Dublin, Ireland

NesCom/RevCom Submittal Deadlines:

19 December 2025 [for January 2026 mtgs]
13 February 2026 [for March 2026 mtgs]
20 March 2026 [for April 2026 mtgs]
24 April 2026 [for June 2026 mtgs]
14 August 2026 [for September 2026 mtgs]
11 September 2026 [for October 2026 mtgs]
19 October 2026 [for December 2026 mtgs]
17 December 2026 [for January 2027 mtgs]

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