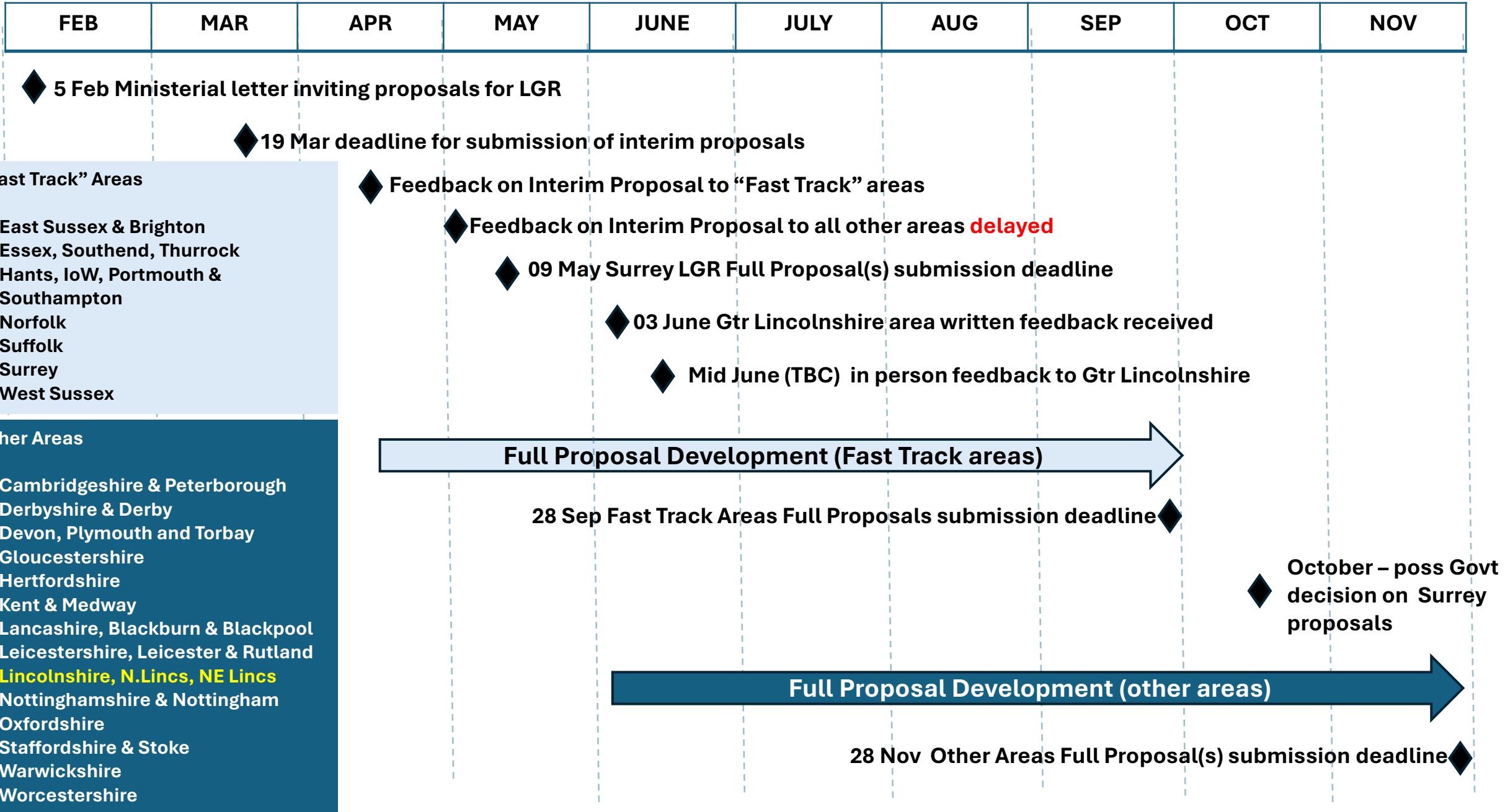


APPENDIX 1 LGR TIMELINES 1. LGR HIGH LEVEL TIMELINES to FULL PROPOSAL SUBMISSIONS





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	Surrey LGR		Elections
	DPP devo		LGR – DPP and other 2 tier areas

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Indicative LGR Timelines

for Surrey, DPP & all other 2-tier areas

Potential planning assumptions for ambitious timetabling.
Actual timings will be dependent on proposals received

January - April 2025

- Government consults on Mayoral devolution (Feb – Apr)
- Govt. issues statutory invite for LGR proposals (5 Feb)
- Government receives interim LGR plan from all areas (21 March)

May - August 2025

- DPP CCA decisions post consultation
- Govt. announces final DPP areas (Spring)
- Govt. publishes consultation results summary (Spring)
- Govt receives Surrey LGR proposal(s) (9 May)
- Govt consults on Surrey LGR proposal(s)
- May 25 local elections

September - December 2025

- DPP CCA legislation laid with local consent
- Govt receives LGR proposals from DPP areas (26 Sept)
- Govt. decision on Surrey LGR proposal(s)
- Govt receives final LGR proposals from other 2-tier areas (28 Nov)
- Surrey LGR legislation laid

January - April 2026

- CCA legislation approved by parliament and legislation in force (DPP)
- Govt. decision on DPP LGR proposals
- LGR legislation approved for Surrey
- Consultation on other 2-tier area LGR proposals

May - August 2026

- Mayoral election to CCA (DPP)
- Govt decision on proposals for other 2-tier areas following consultation
- Election for Surrey 'Shadow' Unitary(s)
- May 26 local elections
- LGR legislation prepared and laid for DPP and other 2-tier areas
- Any transitional legislation for Surrey unitary(s)

September - December 2026

April 2027

- Surrey Unitary(s) Go-live (April)

May - December 2027

- Any transitional legislation needed prepared and laid
- Shadow unitary elections (as soon as possible)

April 2028

- New unitaries Go-live

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