

## Retooling and Efficient Manufacturing Grants RFP Q&A

### **1. What is the expected evaluation timeline and specifically the award(s) announcement date?**

Ans. We anticipate completing reviews, announcing awards and negotiating agreements to occur in February with a grant period start date target of March 1, 2016.

### **2. Will the funding occur in advance or after project completion?**

Ans. Funding will be issued on a reimbursement basis but not necessarily only after the project is complete. The grantee can report on progress and submit payment requests during the grant period. The grantee will be required to do this periodically (the required frequency will be agreed upon in the grant agreement) but the grantee can do so more frequently if they want.