

THE CARES PROCESS





CARES Timeline:

Roll out	<i>June 02</i>
Markets established	<i>July 02</i>
Demand data (Actuary & VSSC)	<i>Oct 02</i>
Planning Initiatives identified	<i>Nov 02</i>
<i>2003</i>	
Submit completed market plans	<i>April 15</i>
Initiate VACO review	<i>April 15</i>
Publish Draft Natl CARES Plan	<i>June 1</i>
CARES Commission review	<i>June 1</i>
Recommendations to Secretary	<i>Sept. 30</i>
Secretary's Decision	<i>Oct. 30</i>