

CNP Ohio 2025-2026 SCO Auction Timeline and Tasks				
Date	Task	Deadline to Recipient	Note	
Monday, September 29, 2025	CNP Ohio to post all SCO Auction Material listed above to Vectren.com and communicate deadline for applications	Monday, Oct 20, 2025	Ohio Gas Suppliers CenterPoint Energy	
Monday, September 29, 2025	Supplier Training available		Ohio Gas Suppliers CenterPoint Energy	
Monday, October 20, 2025	Deadline for SCO Auction applicants to submit the following: Registration Form Pooling Agreement Financial Information Non-Disclosure Agreement PUCO Certification Tri-Party Capacity Agreement (if applicable)		Please provide information to TJ (Jerry) Noland, Contract Manager to the email address below: CERCContracts@CenterPointEnergy.com You may contact TJ Noland at the numbers listed below: 713-207-4322 (Work) 713-962-8626 (Cell)	
Wednesday, October 22, 2025	CNP Ohio to request additional financial info if needed from applicant(s). Applicants have a 2 day cure period.	Friday, October 24, 2025		
Friday, October 24, 2025	Two day cure period ends			
Monday, October 27, 2025	CNP Ohio to execute NDA and email copy to Auction Applicants			
Friday, November 28, 2025	Final deadline for CNP Ohio to communicate collateral requirements to Auction Applicants and deadline.		Pre-auction Fixed Collateral and estimated Default Fee Collateral	
Monday, December 8, 2025	Applicants' collateral due	Monday, December 8, 2025		
Wednesday, December 10, 2025	CNP Ohio to notify Auction Applicants of financial approval status.			
Monday, December 15, 2025	CNP Ohio to distribute Auction material to approved Auction Bidders: 1. SCO Acknowledgement Form 2. Updated estimated Tranche daily/monthly volumes 3. Tranche demand charges 4. Final Auction Rules (with approved starting price) 5. List of pre-qualified SCO Auction Bidders 6. Enernoc Notice of Intent Bidder Form 7. Historical allocated charges to SCO/Choice suppliers	Monday, January 5, 2026		
Monday, January 5, 2026	Deadline for SCO Auction bidders to have completed and provided Acknowledgement Form, and Bidder Contact Information Forms			
Monday, January 5, 2026	Send out Mock Auction invitation		Information to be sent by EnelX	
Wednesday, January 7, 2026	Contact forms due to ENELX		EnelX	
Thursday, January 8, 2026	Demo Auction Logins Distributed		EnelX	
Tuesday, January 13, 2026	Mock Auction 2:00 Eastern		EnelX	
Wednesday, January 14, 2026	Live Auction Logins Distributed		EnelX	
Friday, January 16, 2026	Live Auction Email Reminder 10:00am Eastern		EnelX	
Tuesday, January 20, 2026	SCO Live Auction 10:30 Eastern		Alternate date - January 27, 2026 @ 10:30am Eastern	
Wednesday, January 21, 2026	PUCO decision (Tentative)			
Friday, January 23, 2026	CNP Ohio to provide winners with Standard Welcome Letter		To be distributed 30 days prior to April 1st start	
Monday, January 26, 2026	CNP Ohio to provide Auction Winners with Default Fee collateral amount based on final tranche size. Revoke non-Auction Winners' fixed collateral	Monday, February 2, 2026		
Wednesday, January 28, 2026	CNP Ohio to send fully executed SCO Agreements to Auction Winners.			
Monday, January 26, 2026	New SCO Suppliers to start EDI Testing	Monday, March 2, 2026	Full testing for new SCO Suppliers. Abbreviated testing for returning suppliers. N/A to renewing suppliers	
Monday, February 2, 2026	Deadline for Auction Winners to provide Default Fee Collateral			
Monday, February 2, 2026	Deadline for Auction Winners to provide Tri-Party Capacity Agreement (if applicable)			
Friday, February 6, 2026	Confidentiality Period Ends upon PUCO filing disclosing auction winners			
Friday, February 13, 2026	CNP Ohio to provide dollar amount of deposit related to bidders' account receivables for UCC-1 filings or Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit.		Deposit may be in the form of a perfected UCC-1 filing or Irrevocable Standby Letter of Credit.	
3/1/26-3/31/26	CNP Ohio to start SCO Customer bill onsets (Note: Day after confidentiality period ends). PUCO requirement to notify customers 30 days in advance of the effective date of the new rate (March 1).			
Monday, March 2, 2026	CNP Ohio to create and post Auction Winners' initial SCO customer list on their ftp sites.			
Thursday, March 5, 2026	UCC-1 filing or Irrevocable Letter of Credit due from Auction Winners			
3/5/26-3/31/26	Auction Winners to start sending Welcome Letters to New SCO Customers	3/1/26-3/31/26		
Monday, March 2, 2026	Auction Winners to demonstrate Pipeline Credit		Only those suppliers that are not already participating in SCO or Choice	
Monday, March 2, 2026	New Auction Winners to have completed EDI Testing			
Tuesday, March 17, 2026	Setup Auction Winners in GTS			
Tuesday, March 17, 2026	CNP Ohio to issue pipeline capacity offers			
Friday, March 20, 2026	Deadline to submit TCO Agency Agreements			
Monday, March 30, 2026	CNP Ohio will provide an estimated April 1st DDQ to the Auction Winners			
Tuesday, March 31, 2026	CNP Ohio to post an actual April 1st DDQ for Auction Winners			
Tuesday, March 31, 2026	SCO Suppliers to submit April 1 nominations			
Sunday, March 29, 2026	IT to send final allocation of SCO customers list to SCO Supplier's via ftp site. Notify Suppliers			
Thursday, April 30, 2026	Last day exiting SCO Suppliers will receive their SCO related EDI files.			
Friday, May 29, 2026	CNP Ohio to send out SCO and Choice Supplier Pool invoices.			
	CNP Ohio Auction			
	SCO Supplier Action			