

## EB-5 Investment Time Line

<b>Payment</b>	Prospective Investor completes accredited investor statement and questionnaire. If interested further, signs agreement with immigration attorney for legal services secured by a retainer payment.	Once the General Partner and the Investor are in agreement, the project investment memo and wire transfer for the investment and initiation fees must be completed.	If USCIS declines the I-526 application, \$500,000 of investment fee, along with the initiation fee, will be refunded to the investor's designated bank in 15 days.				
<b>Status</b>	Investor is guided by the attorney to finalize personal information for the immigration petition.	The investment is completed and the investor becomes a shareholder of the limited partnership.	I-526 application completed and turned in by immigration attorney.	If I-526 is approved by USCIS, the family of the investor can have access to the conditional green card status.	I-829 application completed and submitted by the attorney.	I-829 application approved by USCIS and the entire family of the investor receives permanent green card status.	The initial investment for the project will be refunded once the partnership is completed according to Partnership Agreement.
<b>Duration</b>	<b>30 week days</b> For Document Preparation	<b>5 week days</b> For Internal Decisions	<b>15 week days</b> For Attorney Work (Phase 1)	<b>12 months</b> For I-526 approval, NVC procedure and the interview at the US Consulate General in Guangzhou.	<b>24 months</b> For Attorney Work (Phase 2)	<b>3 months</b> For Permanent Green Card Preparation Phase	<b>36 months</b> Project Completion

**Notes:**

1. Legal fees are calculated by the SFRC recommended law firm and based on the complexity of each investor's background information.
2. Additional immigration fees over and above the legal fees may be charged to the investor by the U.S. Consulate, for document translations and consultants.