I. Awards Covered by the Research Terms and Conditions

Effective October 1, 2017, the research terms and conditions apply to all new and renewal research and research-related grant and cooperative agreements awards issued under 2 CFR 1800 (NASA adoption of 2 CFR 200). Applicability of the research terms and conditions will be indicated on the cover sheet of the award notice. The research terms and conditions do not apply to incremental funding supplements, funding extensions, or augmentations to awards issued prior to October 1, 2017, nor do they apply to cooperative agreements to commercial firms with cost share issued under 14 CFR 1274.

II. Prior Approval Requirements Not Included in the Research Terms and Conditions

The grantee must obtain written approval from NASA as specified in the Research Terms and Conditions Prior Approval Matrix. Unless otherwise specified in the award notice, no additional prior approvals beyond those specified in the Prior Approval Matrix are required.

III. Categories of Costs Aside from Those Identified in Subpart E of the Uniform Guidance that are Unallowable as Direct Charges

The allowability of direct costs not specifically covered by the provisions of 2 CFR 200, Subpart E shall be in accordance with 2 CFR 1800, the NASA Grant and Cooperative Agreement Manual (GCAM), and the NASA Funding Announcement.

IV. Contact Information for Technical Matters

Questions regarding technical matters should be referred to the Technical Officer cited on the cover page of the award notice.

V. Contact Information for Administrative Matters

Questions regarding administrative matters should be referred to the Grants Administrator cited on the cover page of the award notice.

VI. Contact Information for Intellectual Property

Questions regarding intellectual property should be referred to either the Patent Counsel Office or the New Technology Office cited on the list of points of contact in the award notice.
VII. Other Agency Specific Requirements

All NASA terms and conditions can be found in Appendix B to 2 CFR 1800 and Exhibit C Additional Terms and Conditions of the GCAM. Any program-specific terms and conditions will be indicated in the NASA Funding Announcement and the award notice.

VIII. Revised Budget Requirements

Revised budgets should be submitted in the same format as the original budget submission. Questions on budget format and content should be directed to the Grant Administrator indicated on the cover page of the award notice.

IX. Technical Reporting

Technical reporting requirements are addressed in the applicable term and condition found at 2 CFR 1800.902 Technical Publications and Reports and in Exhibit E Required Publications and Reports of the GCAM. Any additional requirements will be indicated in the NASA Funding Announcement and the award notice.

X. Financial Reporting

Financial reporting requirements are addressed in the applicable term and condition found at 2 CFR 1800.906 Financial Management and in Exhibit E Required Publications and Reports of the GCAM. Any additional requirements will be indicated in the NASA Funding Announcement and the award notice.

XI. Additional Documentation Besides Progress Reports Needed to Trigger Incremental Funding

Unless specified in the award notice, no additional documentation is required to trigger award of the next increment of funding.

XII. NASA Resources

All grant-related regulations and policy including 2 CFR 1800 and the GCAM can be found at the NASA Grants and Cooperative Agreements Home Page: https://prod.nais.nasa.gov/pub/pub_library/srba/