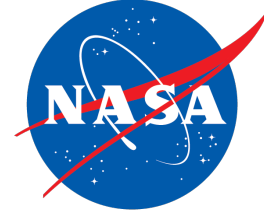


National Aeronautics and Space Administration
Small Business Innovation Research & Small Business
Technology Transfer (SBIR/STTR) Program



Phase I proposals are due May 21, 2026, at 5:00 PM Eastern Time

Hello,

This morning we released our first three appendices to the NASA SBIR/STTR Program Fiscal Year 2026-2027 **Broad Agency Announcement (BAA)**. Submissions for appendices 2026A SBIR, 2026B SBIR, and 2026B STTR are open today for Phase I proposals. **Submissions are due no later than Thursday, May 21, 2026, at 5:00 PM Eastern Time.**

While the overall structure of these solicitations will look different from past years, we are still NASA, and we still need your innovations and your research to propel our technology forward.

You can contact our **Help Desk** with any process, ProSAMS, or other non-subtopic related questions, but note that the deadline for guaranteed responses before the submission period closes is Wednesday, May 20, 2026, at 5:00 PM Eastern Time.

Appendices Now Open

Below are links to the first three Phase I appendices for the BAA.

- [Appendix 2026A Small Business Innovation Research \(SBIR\) Phase I Funding Opportunity](#)
- [Appendix 2026B Small Business Innovation Research \(SBIR\) Phase I Funding Opportunity](#)
- [Appendix 2026B Small Business Technology Transfer \(STTR\) Phase I Funding Opportunity](#)

Please make sure to review all three appendices, because each appendix has separate topics and subtopics. If you have submitted to NASA in the past, you will notice that the numbering is a little different. The numbering format reflects our change to the BAA and appendices.

These are not the last appendices to be released under the new BAA. By shifting to the BAA framework, we are able to open additional appendices throughout the year, giving you more opportunities to submit proposals and giving us the ability to continuously evolve our technology needs.

How to Submit

NASA will be using ProSAMS for proposal submissions. If you plan to submit a proposal, we strongly encourage you to **complete your registration** now for ProSAMS—the program's proposal submissions and award management system. This **Digital Guide** will walk you through the registration process. While the appendices are open, if you need support with ProSAMS, contact the NASA SBIR/STTR Help Desk at agency-sbir@mail.nasa.gov.

[Submit Your Proposal](#)

BAA Information Hub and Communications Blackout

For additional resources, please visit our **BAA Information Hub**, which includes FAQs and an overview of the new framework. With the opening of the appendices, NASA has entered a communications blackout. NASA personnel cannot discuss the appendix subtopics with firms beginning today. However, this does not preclude firms from their regular meetings or interactions with NASA subject matter experts; the communications blackout only covers discussions of Appendix 2026A SBIR, Appendix 2026B SBIR, and Appendix 2026B STTR.

Questions on Technical Content

The only way to get responses to questions related to the technical content of the subtopics is to submit your questions through the forms linked below by May 5, 2026, at 5:00 PM Eastern Time. We are opening this period of time to submit any technical questions you may have to be answered and posted to the website. Asking questions early is instrumental in helping us provide you with the appropriate answer quickly, which gives you more time for your proposal. You also will need to select the relevant subtopic to help us deliver your question to the appropriate subject matter expert.

- [2026A SBIR Technical Questions Form](#)
- [2026B SBIR Technical Questions Form](#)
- [2026B STTR Technical Questions Form](#)

Before submitting, check the Q&A page to see if your question has already been answered.

Please note that while we will do our best to answer as many questions as possible, we will not be posting general questions about the submissions. Those questions should still be submitted to the NASA SBIR/STTR Help Desk (agency-sbir@mail.nasa.gov).

Thank you, and we look forward to receiving your proposals!

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