

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

In addition to the requirements stipulated in the main body of this Grant Agreement, publication of reports, manuscripts and other materials that result from research performed under this Agreement shall be subject to the requirements given below.

1. The final report resulting from this Agreement will be subject to the following peer review process:
 - (a) The Recipient/Principal Investigator (PI) shall submit two copies of the report to the Project Officer for internal and external peer review on the date determined by the Recipient/PI and Project Officer. ISTC will evaluate the content and format of the report and provide written comments to the Recipient/PI.
 - (b) After external and final ISTC review, comments are incorporated into the report by the Recipient/PI, one electronic copy MS Word will be furnished to the ISTC Project Officer.
2. If agreement is reached that the report is appropriate for release as an ISTC publication, then the following statement must be included:

"This report is part of ISTC's Research Report Series and has been subjected to external scientific peer review. Mention of trade names or commercial products does not constitute endorsement or recommendation for use."
3. If agreement cannot be reached that the document is appropriate for release as an ISTC publication, the Recipient/PI can bear the expense and independently publish and distribute the document provided that it includes the following disclaimer:

"This research was funded wholly or in part by the Illinois Sustainable Technology Center, a division of the Prairie Research Institute at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. It does not necessarily reflect the views of the Center."
4. Manuscripts and other materials should acknowledge ISTC's support for the project. Suggested wording is:

"This research was funded wholly or in part by the Illinois Sustainable Technology Center, a division of the Prairie Research Institute at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign."
5. Appropriate signage with the Illinois Sustainable Technology Center logo and the University of Illinois' i-mark should be displayed by the project area indicating the project is funded by ISTC. ISTC will provide the logos.
6. The Sponsored Research Coordinator or Research Program Manager may request that the PI present a seminar on the findings of the project, probably at ISTC, at a time agreeable to both parties. In addition, the PI is responsible for providing case study information and conducting educational outreach to other interested parties by working with the Illinois Sustainable Technology Center to determine the best outlets. These could include tours, workshops, conferences, or meetings.

7. ISTC reserves the right to visit the project site to review procedures and progress. ISTC will provide ample notice of such a visit and will define in coordination with the Recipient/PI a mutually agreeable date and time.