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**PARTICIPATION IN THE 2ND NATIONAL EARTH OBSERVATION**

**ASSESSMENT (email to: [michael.goodman@nasa.gov](mailto:michael.goodman@nasa.gov) / 256-961-7890)**: The NASA Authorization Act of 2010 provided congressional instruction to the Office of Science Technology and Policy (OSTP) to develop a triennially updated strategic implementation plan to “ensure greater coordination of the research, operations, and activities relating to civilian Earth observation....”. The updated strategic implementation plan for 2016 is in preparation via the 2nd National Earth Observation Assessment (2016 EOA6). The 2016 EOA will seek additional insight with regard to research priorities and future needs. The 2016 EOA identifies 13 societal benefit areas (SBA), two of which are Weather and Space Weather. Gary Jedlovec/ZP11 is co-leading the Weather SBA, with Michael Goodman/ZP10 and Dan Cecil/ZP11 serving as working group members. For the Space Weather SBA, Jim Spann/ZP10 and Jonathan Cirtain/ZP13 are participating as working group members.