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**CESU Partner:** Museum of Northern Arizona

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[ ] Is this funded using a reimbursable account number? If yes, IMR contracting needs a copy of the Interagency Agreement.

**Project Dates:**

**Start Date: May 10, 2012**

**Any Other Product Milestone Dates you need to include:** Submission of samples for lab testing –June 1, 2012

Begin analysis of collected artifacts – *June 1, 2012*

Submission of additional samples for lab analysis – *December 15, 2012*

Progress Report *– July 1, 2012*

Investigator’s Annual Report (IAR) *February 28, 2011*

Draft Final Report – *February 28, 2013*

Comments due to PI from NPS: *March 31, 2013*

Submission of all project photographs, Maps, artifacts, pollen, float samples, provided to NPS Management

Final Report -- *June 2, 2013*

**End Date:** June 30, 2013

**PROJECT ABSTRACT:**

*The Grand Canyon National Park (GRCA) will work with the Museum of Northern Arizona (MNA) staff to analyze and interpret artifacts and samples collected during excavation of prehistoric site AZ B:16:0911. The site is located in the inner canyon, along Monument Creek Canyon and was subjected previously to a sampling and data recovery project. This agreement will analyze all materials collected and result in the production of a report of findings. The work will be guided by a data recovery plan and scope that describes methods for artifact and feature analyses, and report writing requirements. The work is to be implemented following guidelines as specified under a Programmatic Agreement with the Arizona State Historic Preservation Office and the Colorado River Management Plan activities.*

*This project is a cooperative venture between GRCA and MNA, whereby both entities will be cooperating regarding analysis and reporting at the site within GRCA. The work is consistent with the objectives of the Colorado Plateau Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit (CPCESU) in that it provides an opportunity for research within GRCA related to cultural resources information and management, and an opportunity for staff and students at MNA to participate in this research. GRCA will provide funds for MNA participation in the project and will collaborate in all aspects of the project. The project will be implemented and completed in fiscal years 2012-2013.*