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**PROJECT SUMMARY**

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| **Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit****Cooperative Agreement Modification** |
| FUNDING AGENCY: **National Park Service** |
| MODIFICATION NO.: **[CESU info only]** | COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT NO.: **1200-99-009** | FUNDING AMOUNT: $15,000  |
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| PROJECT TITLE: **Continuing** Education for NPS Professionals: Integrated Fire and Resource Management Planning Course |
| EFFECTIVE DATES**: April 1, 2003 – September 30, 2003** |
| PROJECT ABSTRACT: The purpose of this task order is to support ongoing collaborative efforts between Northern Arizona University and the National Park Service to strengthen and expand professional development opportunities for the NPS. The focus of the work is on the development of a prototype course “Integrated Fire and Resource Management Planning” to be held in the spring of 2003 at the Albright Training Center, Grand Canyon, Arizona. **Objectives:*** Integrate several aspects of park management and resource protection.
* Focus on issues that are relevant to the workplace.
* Build interdisciplinary instructional teams that draw expertise from NAU and NPS.
* Include tribal perspectives in the training agenda.
* Emphasize active learning.
* Include several learning modes.
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| *This Modification is subject to all the provisions included in the Cooperative Agreement,* ***dated 6/22/99.*** |

*Attach any supporting material as necessary.*