

Project Summary

Rocky Mountains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit

Project Title: Nez Perce National Historic Trail Inventory Project

Type of Project: Technical Assistance

Project Discipline: Cultural

Funding Agency: Bureau of Land Management

Other Partners/Cooperators: University of Montana

Effective Dates: 8/1/2014 - 12/31/2016

Funding Amount: \$25,000

Investigators and Agency Representative:

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Project Abstract: The Purpose of this work is to identify the actual location of the Nez Perce National Historical Trail. This project will generate a baseline for the current condition of the NPNHT to enable BLM personnel to assess deterioration, damage or other impacts to the trail over time.

Outcomes with completion dates: 12/31/2016

1. Percentage of archaeological site on DOI inventory in good condition.
2. Miles of national scenic and historic trail inventory completed to Bureau Standards.

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