

## **Project Summary**

### **Rocky Mountains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit**

**Project Title:** Provide Technical Assistance to the Great Northern Landscape Conservation Cooperative and the National Park Service

**Discipline:** Interdisciplinary  
**Type of Project:** Technical Assistance  
**Funding Agency:** National Park Service  
**Other Partners/Cooperators:** Montana State University  
**Student Participation:** yes  
**Effective Dates:** 5/1/2012 - 6/30/2020  
**Funding Amount:** \$173,522

**Investigators and Agency Representative:**

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**Project Abstract:** Montana State University (MSU) has developed a strong partnership with the National Park Service (NPS) and FWS Great northern Landscape Conservation Cooperative. In the past, professors, students, and staff have worked to provide relevant scientific results as well as strategic guidance to the NPS regarding ecosystem processes and patterns in parks in the western United States, including national parks in Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho and elsewhere. Through this task agreement, MSU will continue to work with the GNLCC and will maintain a relationship with NPS units in Bozeman.

This project will support meeting facilitation and provide technical support for the Great Northern Landscape Conservation Cooperative.

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