

Project Summary

Rocky Mountains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit

Project Title: Channel Islands National Park Digital Image Library Development,
continuation of UID -10

Type of Project: Technical Assistance

Funding Agency: National Park Service

Other Partners/Cooperators: University of Idaho

Effective Dates: 9/1/2004 - 9/30/2004

Funding Amount: \$3,000.00

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Project Abstract:

This project, designed to scan and enter Channel Islands information into an Image Database, will assist resource managers, researchers and educators. Converting these slides to digital images and providing organization and access through the Park network will increase the efficiency of the staff and other users. They will be able to find and utilize the extensive park slide collection for research, education and resource management, thus, saving valuable time and effort.

The digitizing project for photos of Channel Islands NP (CHIS) is ongoing. Software has been installed and procedures created for digitizing slides. A student has been trained and is working with the slides. However, further oversight and training is needed to ensure that standards are maintained and that the procedures are working well. This requires a qualified librarian familiar with the project.

The University of Idaho cooperators and park staff, with the support of the Pacific West Regional Library staff, will continue scanning and adding images to the CHIS Image Library has been created.

Outcomes with Completion Dates:

1. Written assessment of image scanning project with recommendations for increased efficiency and accuracy.
2. Modified procedures for continued scanning of images into the Channel Islands Digital Image Library. (Due 09-30-2005)

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