

## **Project Summary**

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

**Project Title:** DOI Employee Commuting Greenhouse Gas Emissions Study

**Discipline:** Social Science

**Type of Project:** Technical Assistance

**Funding Agency:** National Park Service

**Other Partners/Cooperators:** University of Idaho

**Effective Dates:** 1/31/2013 - 10/31/2013

**Funding Amount:** \$24,981

**Investigators and Agency Representative:**

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**Project Abstract:** The University of Idaho will work with the National Park Service, and Office of the Secretary, U.S. Department of the Interior (DOI) to: (1) revise the FY2010 baseline estimate of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from DOI employee commuting so that it is comparable with the DOI's FY2012 estimate; (2) develop and report bureau-level estimates of GHG emissions from DOI employee commuting for FY2012; (3) develop a baseline FY2010 estimate of GHG emissions from employees of the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) and the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement (BSEE); (4) develop a summary sheet for each bureau summarizing the bureau's total commuting miles and GHG emissions by mode for FY2012 and differences from FY2010; and (5) develop a report summarizing responses to all questions in the FY2012 employee survey at both the DOI-wide and bureau levels and comparing those results to FY2010 results.

**Outcomes with Completion Dates:** October 31, 2013

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