Project Summary Rocky Mountains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit

Project Title: Plan for Repatriation Site Management at Sand Creek Massacre National Historic Site

Discipline: Cultural

Type of Project: Technical Assistance
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Other Partners/Cooperators: Utah State University

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Project Abstract:

Tasks to be performed include:

- 1) participate in tribal consultation at the park to allow for input regarding management of repatriation sites from tribal members; this task may be incorporated into already-planned tribal consultation meetings from prior agreements;
- 2) draft a management plan for the Repatriation site including history and all available maps and other relevant background data; and
- 3) include in the management plan, at minimum, recommendations concerning planning for growth, if needed; signage/memorial placement; public and specific tribal education; and general recommendations as to maintenance including desired landscape characteristics.

Outcomes with Completion Dates:

Final Products are due on January 31, 2014 and will include:

- 1) Letter report(s) detailing consultation meetings
- 2) Final Report with recommendations and management plan for Repatriation site
- 3) Repatriation site map(s) illustrating known repatriation activities as well as available locations for future repatriation activities at the site.

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