## Project Summary Rocky Mountains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit

Project Title: Emergency ASMIS Field Documentation Project FY2008

Discipline: Cultural Resources

Type of Project: Technical Assistance
Funding Agency: National Park Service

Other Partners/Cooperators: University of Wyoming, Northwest College

**Effective Dates:** 8/1/2008 - 12/31/2008

Funding Amount: \$3,000

## Investigators and Agency Representative:

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**Project Abstract:** As part of this project, Northwest College, Powell, Wyoming, in cooperation with the University of Wyoming will assist the NPS in preparing new condition assessments for archeological sites. This work will involve travel to the parks, the preparation of updated condition assessments on prehistoric sites within cluster parks, and the preparation of new site forms for those archeological sites. This project will fund a student intern for a short period in the fall 2008.

Outcomes with Completion Dates: The product resulting from this project will be confirmation of site location on sites discovered and documented during the late 1960's, early 1970's, updated documentation and condition assessment forms, and updated information entered into the ASMIS database on these sites. Entry of new data into the ASMIS database will occur by September 30, 2008.

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