COLORADO PLATEAU
COOPERATIVE ECOSYSTEM STUDIES UNIT

AMENDMENT FOUR TO
COOPERATIVE and JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT

between

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and

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
   Bureau of Indian Affairs
   Bureau of Land Management
   U.S. Bureau of Reclamation
   U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
   U.S. Geological Survey
   National Park Service

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
   U.S. Forest Service
   Natural Resources Conservation Service

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
   Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Sustainment
   U.S. Army Corps of Engineers – Civil Works

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
   Western Area Power Administration

and

NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY (HOST)
   Arizona State University
   Colorado Mesa University
   Colorado State University
   Board of Regents of the Nevada System of Higher Education on behalf of Desert Research Institute
   Diné College
   Dixie State University
   Fort Lewis College
With the exception of the changes below, all terms and conditions of the Colorado Plateau CESU Agreement apply to this Amendment, and this Amendment is hereby made part of the Agreement.

ARTICLE I. BACKGROUND AND OBJECTIVES

A.2. The Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency (DPAA) is hereby included in the Colorado Plateau CESU as a Federal Agency Partner.

P. Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency. The Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency's (hereinafter called DPAA) mission is to provide the fullest possible accounting for our missing personnel from past conflicts to their families and the
nation. DPAA is responsible for searching for missing personnel from World War II, the Korean War, the Vietnam War, the Cold War, the Gulf Wars, and other recent conflicts. DPAA relies on extensive historical and archival research and analysis to determine where it should conduct field investigations and recovery efforts. DPAA is the DoD lead agency for coordinating with other USG agencies, foreign governments through the Department of State, academic institutions and other NGOs on all matters related to the accounting missions so it can gain access to loss sites and/or obtain information that leads to the recovery of artifacts, missing personnel, or their remains. DPAA conducts historical research in U.S. and international archives, analyzes data, creates and maintains comprehensive records (including the official list of unaccounted-for by conflict), interviews witnesses, investigates potential loss sites and engages in recovery efforts worldwide.

In accordance with DoDD 5110.10, DPAA is authorized to enter into agreements with Military Departments or other USG entities as required for the effective performance of the DoD Past Conflict Personnel Accounting Program. DPAA is authorized to enter into cooperative agreement(s) with non-federal entities for purposes related to support of DPAA activities, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. § 1501a and in accordance with DoDD 3210.06. Notwithstanding 10 U.S.C. § 2304(k), DPAA may enter into such cooperative agreements on a single-source basis, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. § 2304(c)(5). In accordance with the aforementioned authorities, DPAA is authorized to enter into this cooperative agreement to continue the Colorado Plateau CESU in furtherance of collaborative research, technical assistance, and education.

ARTICLE III. TERM OF AGREEMENT

A.1. The effective date of the Colorado Plateau CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement is 18 June 2019.

A.2. The effective date of this Amendment to the Colorado Plateau CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement shall be determined from the date of the last signature to this Amendment.

ARTICLE IV. KEY OFFICIALS

A.12. The representative(s) for the Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency are as follows:

Technical Representative(s)
G.R. (Rocky) Gillette
Deputy Director, Partnerships and Innovation
Department of Defense, POW/MIA Accounting Agency
ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES

Per Article III. C., the following authorizing signatures are attached:

M. Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency
N. NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY (HOST)
ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.)

M. Defense POW/MIA Accounting Agency

Dr. Thomas D. Holland  
Director, Partnerships and Innovation

Date

9/16/21
ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.)

N. NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY (HOST)

Kerwin A. Lawrence  Date  09/13/2021
Assistant Director, Research Administration  
Office of Sponsored Projects