

**PIEDMONT–SOUTH ATLANTIC COAST
COOPERATIVE ECOSYSTEM STUDIES UNIT**

**AMENDMENT THREE to
COOPERATIVE and JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT**

between

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Indian Affairs
Bureau of Land Management
Bureau of Ocean Energy Management
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 COMMERCE
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration**

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

and

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC. (HOST)

**Auburn University
Christopher Newport University
The Citadel
Clemson University
College of Charleston
Duke University
East Carolina University
Florida A&M University
Georgia Tech Research Institute (on behalf of Georgia Institute of Technology)
Georgia Southern University Research and Service Foundation
Marshall University
North Carolina State University**

**Towson University
University of Central Florida
University of Florida
University of North Carolina Chapel Hill
University of North Carolina Wilmington
University of North Florida
University of South Carolina
University of South Florida
University of West Georgia
Georgia Department of Natural Resources–Wildlife Resources Division
Amphibian and Reptile Conservancy
Audubon Florida
Audubon North Carolina
Audubon South Carolina
Georgia–Alabama Land Trust, Inc.
Georgia Aquarium
Joseph W. Jones Ecological Research Center
National Wildlife Federation
The Orianne Society
University of North Carolina Greensboro
Park Institute of America**

**Adding:
Smithsonian Institution**

With the exception of the changes below, all terms and conditions of the Piedmont–South Atlantic Coast CESU Agreement apply to this Amendment, and this Amendment is hereby made part of the Agreement.

ARTICLE I. BACKGROUND AND OBJECTIVES

- O.3. The Smithsonian Institution is hereby included in the Piedmont–South Atlantic Coast CESU as a Partner Institution.

ARTICLE III. TERM OF AGREEMENT

- A.1. The effective date of the Piedmont–South Atlantic Coast CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement is 01 July 2018.
- A.2. The effective date of this Amendment to the Piedmont–South Atlantic Coast CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement shall be determined from the date of the last signature to this Amendment.

ARTICLE IV. KEY OFFICIALS

C.34. The representatives for the Smithsonian Institution are as follows:

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ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES

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

- L. UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC. (HOST)
- TT. Smithsonian Institution

ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.)

L. UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC. (HOST)



Melissa Mottley
Associate Director, Sponsored Projects Pre-Award

10/04/2021

Date

ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.)

TT. Smithsonian Institution



Karen Otiji
Acting Director
Office of Sponsored Projects

1 October 2021

Date