

CONTRACT AMENDMENT

Amendment #1 C150440	Original Contract Route # 00096	Amendment CMS # 54880
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1) PARTIES

This Amendment to the above-referenced Original Contract (hereinafter called the Contract) is entered into by and between United States Department of Agriculture, United States Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station (hereinafter called "Contractor"), and the STATE OF COLORADO (hereinafter called the "State") acting by and through the Department of Natural Resources, Colorado Water Conservation Board, (hereinafter called the "CWCB").

2) EFFECTIVE DATE AND ENFORCEABILITY

This Amendment shall not be effective or enforceable until it is approved and signed by the Colorado State Controller or designee (hereinafter called the "Effective Date"), but shall be effective and enforceable thereafter in accordance with its provisions. The State shall not be liable to pay or reimburse Contractor for any performance hereunder, including, but not limited to costs or expenses incurred, or be bound by any provision hereof prior to the Effective Date.

3) FACTUAL RECITALS

The Parties entered into the Contract for/to the project titled "Effects of Mountain Pine Beetle and Forest Management on Water Quantity, Quality and Forest Recovery, North Platte and Upper Colorado River Basins"..

4) CONSIDERATION

Consideration for this Amendment consists of the payments to be made hereunder and the obligations, promises, and agreements herein set forth.

5) LIMITS OF EFFECT

This Amendment is incorporated by reference into the Contract, and the Contract and all prior amendments thereto, if any, remain in full force and effect except as specifically modified herein.

6) MODIFICATIONS.

The Contract and all prior amendments thereto, if any, are modified as follows:

a. 6. TERM and EARLY TERMINATION is amended to read as follows: "The Parties respective performance under this Grant shall commence on the Effective Date. This Grant shall terminate on December 31, 2013 unless sooner terminated or further extended as specified elsewhere herein.

b. 6. a. Completion: Grantee shall complete the Work and its other obligations as described herein and in the Exhibit A on or before December 31, 2013. The State shall not be liable to compensate Grantee for any Work performed prior to the Effective Date or after the termination of this Grant.

7) EFFECTIVE DATE OF AMENDMENT

The effective date hereof is upon approval of the State Controller or their delegate.

8) ORDER OF PRECEDENCE

Except for the Special Provisions, in the event of any conflict, inconsistency, variance, or contradiction between the provisions of this Amendment and any of the provisions of the Contract, the provisions of this Amendment shall in all respects supersede, govern, and control. The most recent version of the Special Provisions incorporated into the Contract or any amendment shall always control other provisions in the Contract or any amendments.

9) AVAILABLE FUNDS

Financial obligations of the state payable after the current fiscal year are contingent upon funds for that purpose being appropriated, budgeted, or otherwise made available.

THE PARTIES HERETO HAVE EXECUTED THIS AMENDMENT

* Persons signing for Contractor hereby swear and affirm that they are authorized to act on Contractor's behalf and acknowledge that the State is relying on their representations to that effect.

CONTRACTOR**US Department of Agriculture Forest Service**

By (Print): Cindy Gordon

Title: Grants Management Specialist

US Forest Service, RMRS


*SignatureDate: 4/2/13**STATE OF COLORADO****John W. Hickenlooper, GOVERNOR**

Mike King, Department of Natural Resources

By: By: Rebecca Mitchell, Section Chief,
Water Supply Planning Section, CWCBSignatory avers to the State Controller or delegate that
Grantee has not begun performance or that a Statutory
Violation waiver has been requested under Fiscal RulesDate: 4/5/13**ALL CONTRACTS REQUIRE APPROVAL BY THE STATE CONTROLLER**

CRS §24-30-202 requires the State Controller to approve all State Contracts. This Contract is not valid until signed and dated below by the State Controller or delegate. Contractor is not authorized to begin performance until such time. If Contractor begins performing prior thereto, the State of Colorado is not obligated to pay Contractor for such performance or for any goods and/or services provided hereunder.

STATE CONTROLLER**David J. McDermott, CPA**By: 

Name and Title: Susan Borup, DNR Controller

Date: 4/11/13

THE AUTHORITY AND FORMAT OF THIS INSTRUMENT HAS
been reviewed and approved for signature.


Grants & Agreements Specialist4/2/13
Date