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NSRC Final Project Template

***Directions:*** *Please use the following outline to complete your report, writing for a non-technical audience. Two or three paragraph responses for each section or use bullet lists as appropriate. Include illustrations (photos, maps, etc) with descriptive captions and credits. Hyperlink citations.*

Project title

Principal Investigator (Affiliation/Institution: Email)

Co-Principal Investigators (Affiliations/Institutions: Emails)

Completion date

1. Brief (2 bullet or 2 sentence) description of the most important project outcomes or take-home message(s)
2. Project Summary (350-400 words; include rationale, methods, major outcomes, implications for Northern Forest)
3. Background and Justification for the project
4. Methods *(summarize, include what was unique or changed in the project)*
5. Key Findings/Accomplishments *(research results and project outcomes, management implications as appropriate)*
6. Implications and Applications in the Northern Forest Region *(Describe the applicability and implications of your project’s results and outcomes in the context of the Northern Forest region; describe collaborations or partnerships established)*
7. Future directions *(Describe possible future work in this arena, in the context of the Northern Forest region)*
8. Products Delivered *(full citation information for all publications, as well as presentations, workshops, abstracts, technical reports, websites, theses, etc. that resulted wholly or in part from your NSRC funding. Organize into the categories that follow. Use DOIs and hyperlinks when available.)*

* Peer-reviewed publications
* Research/technical Reports
* Theses
* Conference Papers
* Conference presentations (including workshops and posters).
* Seminars / webinars / workshops / field tours
* Other tangible products (videos, websites, databases, interviews, etc.).

1. Student Involvement

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|  | **Names** | **Degree Sought** |
| **Post-docs** |  |  |
| **Professionals** |  |  |
| **Graduate Students** |  |  |
| **Undergraduate Students** |  |  |
| **Summer students** |  |  |

1. Partners/Stakeholders/Collaborators (*List all partners, stakeholders, and collaborators participating in project (e.g., campus depts., tribal entities, other universities, companies, government agencies, NGOs, etc.)*
2. Geographic Location of Project (*List locations used in study, including Townships or Latitude & Longitude for each installation)*
3. Leveraged funding *(Identify any additional funding you received for this project, and whether it was direct funding or financial value of any in-kind contributions)*

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