

2021 PROGRESS REPORT

Quarter: (circle one) 2021 1st 2021 2nd 2021 3rd 2021 4th

Grant Program, Number and Title: RIDEM Vegetation Survey 2020-2021

Organization: University of Rhode Island

Project Leader: Brian Maynard, Ph.D

Abstract: The objective of the project was to conduct pre- and post-burning vegetation surveys at the Nicholas Farm and Pratt Farm Management areas using the Vegetation Sampling Protocol for Xeric Habitats of the Northeast (Poulous and Barton). In this quarter we visited both sites to collect data (July) and prepared a final report (August & September).

Were planned goals/objectives achieved last quarter? Yes

Progress Achieved: Walked transects using pre-established GPS coordinates. Surveyed both Nicholas and Pratt Farms (4 transects each). Tabulated and analyzed data, including graphical presentations. Wrote report. 2020 (pre-treatment) and 2021 (post-treatment) work completed. Final report submitted on about 10/25/21.

Difficulties Encountered: One transect area at Nicholas was not logged.

Activities Anticipated Next Quarter: none – project is completed

Expected End Date: Sept. 30, 2021

Costs:

Total life to date expenses (include this quarter): \$ 6,095.58

Total Approved Budgeted Funds: \$ 7,113.00

Are you within the approved budget plan and categories? Yes – under budget

Signature: 

Date: 20 October 2021