

Stepping Stones

Delivering exceptional green spaces

Landscape and Wildlife Grants (farmers and landowners application form)



Please read the guidance notes (Form LWG01) before completing this application form, then enter the information as indicated or delete Yes/No as appropriate.

1. Applicant details

1.1 The Applicant should complete this section

Name:

Address:

Postcode:

E-mail:

Telephone:

Fax:

Status (Tick as appropriate)

Owner

Tenant/Licensee

Agent/Consultant

I have read the conditions in the guidance notes (Form LWG01) and this application has been prepared accordingly. I have included copies of any consents necessary to allow the work to go ahead.

Signature:

Date:

1.2 Where the site does not belong to the applicant, the owner should complete this section.

Name:

Address:

Postcode:

E-mail:

Telephone:

Fax:

I agree to the works in this application and accept the minimum 10 years maintenance commitment.

Signature:

Date:

1.3 To whom should the grant cheque be made payable? (Please enter initials and surname of the individual or name of the company or agency as they should appear on the cheque)

2. Site details

2.1 In which District is your site located? (Tick as appropriate).

- | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> Blaby | <input type="radio"/> Oadby & Wigston |
| <input type="radio"/> Charnwood | <input type="radio"/> Harborough |
| <input type="radio"/> Hinckley & Bosworth | |

2.2 In which Parish is the site located?

Please also enclose a location plan of the site with this application.

2.3 Is your site within, or close to, any of the following?

	Yes	No
Floodplains	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Watercourse	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Site of Importance for Nature Conservation (SINC)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Trees protected by a Tree Preservation Order (TPO)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Conservation Area	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Registered Historic Park or Garden	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

3. Project details

Please provide a detailed description of your scheme. If you have a management plan for your site please feel free to add this as attached sheets to this application form. Remember we cannot grant fund anything that has not been included in the application once the scheme has been completed. **Please remember to include 2 quotes for the works that have been applied for, thank you.**

4. Itemised works

In order to ensure that the application form includes all works to be done please complete this itemised list of works. It also helps with the processing of the grant assessment and monitoring.

4.1 Tree and shrub planting

How many trees/shrubs do you intend to plant?

4.2 Small woodland management

- | | | |
|---|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Do you intend to fell any mature trees? | <input type="radio"/> Yes | <input type="radio"/> No |
| Do you intend to carry out any thinning operations? | <input type="radio"/> Yes | <input type="radio"/> No |
| Do you intend to carry out any coppicing? | <input type="radio"/> Yes | <input type="radio"/> No |
| Do you intend to clear any drains or ditches within the woodland? | <input type="radio"/> Yes | <input type="radio"/> No |

4.3 Hedges

What total length of hedge will be planted? (metres)

What total length of hedge will be laid? (metres)

How many hedgerow trees will be planted?

What length of fencing will be needed to protect one side of newly planted hedge? (metres)

What length of fencing will be needed to protect both sides of newly planted hedge? (metres)

4.4 Ponds/wetland habitats

How many established ponds/wetland habitats do you intend to restore?

How many new ponds/wetland habitats do you intend to create?

4.5 Pollarding waterside Willows and Alders

How many trees do you intend to pollard?

4.6 Drystone walls

What total length of drystone wall will be renovated?

5. Consultant details. If you have employed a consultant to assist with professional advice on this scheme please complete this section. Please provide a quote for any costs with your application.

Name of Consultant
Address

Postcode:
E-mail:

Telephone:
Fax:

6. Maintenance

6.1 Please give full details of the type and frequency of maintenance operations. (Use another sheet if necessary).

6.2 Please indicate who will be doing the maintenance work.

7. Access

7.1 Is your site visible from a public highway or right of way?

Yes No

7.2 Are the works you are carrying out actually on a public right of way or within the vicinity of a public right of way (i.e. on the site)?

Yes No

7.3 If Yes you will need to contact Leicestershire County Council's Right of Way team to ensure that the proposed works will not interfere with the right of way. (0116 265 8160)

7.4 Will there be increased or new access to the area after the scheme is completed?

Yes No

8. Funding

8.1 Are you receiving any other funding towards your scheme?

Yes No

If yes please state the amount and give details of the funding body.

9. Planning Applications

9.1 Do any of the works included in the scheme form part of a planning application? (Any such works cannot be funded)

Yes No

Please specify:

Species list for planting schemes.

Please show the total number of each species to be planted as trees/shrubs or hedging plants or hedgerow trees.

	Tree/ shrub	Hedge plants	hedge trees		Tree/ shrub	Hedge plants	hedge trees
Acer campestre Field Maple				Pinus sylvestris Scots Pine		X	X
Aesculus hippocastanum Horse Chestnut		X	X	Pinus nigra maritima Corsican pine		X	X
Alnus glutinosa / incana Common / Grey Alder		X	X	Populus tremula Aspen		X	X
Betula pendula Birch		X	X	Prunus avium Wild Cherry		X	X
Carpinus betulus Hornbeam		X	X	Prunus spinosa Blackthorn			X
Castanea sativa Sweet Chestnut		X	X	Quercus robur Oak		X	
Crataegus monogyna Hawthorn			X	Rosa canina / rubiginosa Dog / Eglantine Rose		X	X
Cornus sanguinea Dogwood			X	Salix alba / fragilis White / Crack Willow		X	X
Corylus avellana Hazel			X	Salix caprea / cinerea Goat Willow / Sallow		X	X
Cytisus scoparius Broom		X	X	Sorbus aucuparia Rowan		X	X
Fagus sylvatica Beech		X	X	Taxus baccata Yew		X	X
Fraxinus excelsior Ash		X		Ulex europaeus Gorse		X	X
Ilex aquifolium Holly				Viburnum opulus Guelder Rose			X
Malus sylvestris Crab Apple			X	Juglans regia Walnut		X	X
				Tilia cordata/platyphyllos Small/Large Leaved Lime		X	X

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