

## Transparency of funding

### Farming in Protected Landscapes, North Pennines AONB

#### 2023/2024 Financial Year, Q2

<i>Q2 23/24 Under £10k</i>						
Business name	Town	FiPL grant award, £	Total project cost, £	Project start date	Project end date	Description, outputs
Friends of Upper Teesdale	Barnard Castle	5,751.00	7,668.00	01/07/23	01/03/24	Provision of interpretation and improved accessibility of the cottage to the public.
Bishopside Farm	Catton	9774.96	9774.96	10/07/23	28/02/25	723m of hedge to be laid. Irregular Standards to be left in 4 of the 5 lengths.
Jollybody Farm	Stanhope	5,429.70	5,429.70	13/07/23	29/02/25	Enhance biodiversity and improve wildlife connectivity by planting two hedgerows and creating two scrapes. Reduce riverbank erosion by planting small trees and scrub (suitable Black Grouse mix) in cactus guards.
S Collinson	Lunedale	6,437.10	6,437.10	01/08/23	31/03/25	Increase biodiversity and habitat connectivity by establishing traditional hay meadow management on a second field at Harker Springs. The parcel will be restored by introduce seed from local meadows as green hay with the aim of establishing a species rich upland hay meadow sward. This project will also build upon a previous FiPL agreement to further enhance one meadow that has been successfully restored via the planting of plug plants of typical meadow species that have been grown from hand collected local provenance seed.



Teesdale Special Flora Trust	Eggleston	9,987.40	9,987.40	17/08/23	31/03/24	Conduct two species recovery trial monitoring surveys and conduct detailed mapping of rare species in Upper Teesdale.
Churchlands Farm	Catton	8,172.40	8,172.40	11/09/23	28/02/24	Enhancing biodiversity and on-farm connectivity by planting one hedgerow and boundary trees to connect two copses. Enhance one copse on a neighbour's land by planting more trees near the existing copse. Create two scrapes for waders that breed on the farm in Spring.
Durham County Council	Killhope	3,901.00	3,901.00	01/10/23	01/03/24	Planting of 1ha of felled and windblown conifer plantation with native woodland to support wildlife - in particular red squirrels. The new planting will support areas of natural regeneration and buffer the remaining conifer plantation that forms the last area for squirrels at this site.

Q2 23/24 Over £10k						
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Eden Rivers Trust	Croglin Valley	22,497.90	32,497.90	02/08/23	31/03/24	To protect previously planted woodland from grazing sheep by erecting a fence. To ensure the success of various expired planting schemes, contractors will remove redundant tree guards and re-stake and reinstate trees where appropriate.
Epiacum Heritage CIO	Alston	71,417.40	71,417.40	14/08/23	31/10/23	Repair and restoration work to Wellhouse Bastle, a listed medieval fortified farmhouse currently used for education and public interaction.
West Side Farm	Whitfield	17,637.99	17,637.99	26/09/23	31/03/24	Planting new hedgerows and restoring an old hedge line to improve habitat connectivity across the farm. Increasing tree cover of a small, wooded area whilst maintaining grazing room. Extending a line of trees against a



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