

Business name	Village	FiPL grant awarded	Total project cost	Project start date	Project end date	Project Summary
Newlands	Curland	£4,037.34	£5,268.92	01/08/2023	31/03/2024	Hedge planting, pond creation and enhancement
Devon Archaeological Society	Broadhembury	£4,949.40	£4,949.40	12/02/2024	31/03/2024	Through this project Devon Archaeological Society (DAS) aim to provide new public interpretation of Hembury Hillfort, linked to the recent extension of the Public Right of Way network around the site. Also, to undertake scrub clearance and tree management works that will conserve the archaeological site for future generations, maintain and enhance the landscape value of the site, enhance biodiversity, and facilitate volunteers to engage with conservation of the historic and natural environment.
Penelope Spedding	Hemyock	£7,980.35	£7,980.35	15/08/2023	25/02/2024	To add a new aquatic habitat to complement the existing presence of wet woodland, woodland, purple moorgrass and rush pasture and unimproved grazing pasture. A prominent hedgerow boundary will be restored
Trustees of Luppitt Common	Luppitt	£5,115.00	£5,115.00	01/11/2023	01/03/2024	Hartridge Common: To upgrade a well-regarded circular access path at Hartridge Common, including the installation of 4 bridle gates, footpath signage and a display board. Hense Moor SSSI: Habitat connectivity and scrub control as recommended by Butterfly Conservation.

N/A	Stockland	£7,560.00	£7,560.00	25/08/2023	28/02/2024	Creation of post and rail pen with gates and hard surfacing to facilitate loading of grazing animals into trailer after completion of grazing. Will also enable stock management including medical assistance / foot maintenance.
Dennings Down Farm	Smallridge	£18,879.14	£18,879.14	01/11/2023	01/03/2024	Planting 56 trees: 6 disease resistant elm, 25 native whips, 25 fruit trees. Extending hedge/ scrub/ willow habitat into field area along 4 boundaries to create soft margins around field edges. Creation of drove road with double hedge to divide field, provide a new wildlife corridor, provide shade and shelter for stock, and act as sheltered lambing pens in season.
Neroche Woodlanders Limited	Thurlbear	£9,657.00	£9,657.00	01/01/2024	30/03/2023	This project would enable Neroche Woodlanders to provide ten more Woodland Wellbeing sessions, to take place between January and March 2024. These are for people who are isolated, mentally unwell and at risk of suicide. A typical day includes a focused, group check-in around the campfire, nature ID walk, craft activity, nature conservation activity, cooking lunch together on the campfire and an ecotherapy practice.
Southill Farm	Staple Fitzpaine	£18,473.31	£18,473.31	01/09/2023	30/03/2024	Establishing a stronger landscape via tree and hedge planting and managing water flow in ditches

						and streams through natural solutions.
N/A	Yarcombe	£9,936.00	£9,936.00	01/06/2023	31/03/2024	To create a new pond and wetland in a pasture alongside a tributary stream of the River Yarty, designed to provide flood storage to attenuate storm flow downstream, while providing new wildlife habitat.
Burrows Farm	Clayhidon	£8,382.40	£8,382.40	25/02/2024	10/03/2024	This project will involve hedge laying a grassland field perimeter boundary (620m).
The Otterhead Estate Trust Company Limited	Cumhead	£22,852.53	£22,852.53	01/06/2023	31/10/2023	Following the upgrade of 600 metres of a highly popular permissive footpath alongside the River Otter during Year 2 of FiPL, this project proposal aims to complete the work by replacing the main footbridge on the route, and creating new steps up from Royston Lake.
Wood Farm	Buckland St Mary	£6,828.35	£6,828.35	01/07/2023	25/02/2024	Creating a new hedgerow where there is currently only a fence, installing wildlife boxes and planting trees to create a wood pasture and coppicing.
Blackdown Hills AONB	BHNL wide	£20,820.00	£20,820.00	14/08/2023	31/03/2024	To bring to fruition our soil carbon programme begun in Years 1 and 2, by producing a set of web-based Soil Carbon Guidance for farmers and landowners, providing practical guidance on how to retain and increase the carbon stored in farmland soils in the Blackdown Hills, depending on the soil characteristics of any given holding.

Yarty Farm	Membury	£18,483.14	£18,483.14	01/12/2023	13/03/2024	Stage one of a larger River Restoration project on the Yarty and wood pasture creation to stabilise soils sloping to floodplain.
Chardstock Eco Group	Holy City	£12,000.00	£27,000.00	01/09/2023	31/03/2024	This project builds on the successful work to date of the Chardstock community in getting to know and understand their river, the Kit Brook, and using that understanding to improve its quality.
N/A	Yarcombe	£7,022.00	£7,022.00	15/10/2023	15/02/2025	There are 4 overgrown hedgerows on this holding that would benefit from hedge laying and gapping up as part of recommended rotational management.
Grants Farm	Churchstanton	£7,003.36	£7,003.36	15/10/2023	15/02/2024	The project will restore overgrown and weak or gappy hedges
Blackdown Hills AONB	Holy City	£4,000.00	£8,000.00	21/08/2023	31/03/2024	Provision of technical, scientific and specialist support on river and nature matters on the Kit Brook, in order to support high quality FiPL applications.
Musgrove Farm Partnership	Dunkeswell	£6,409.15	£6,409.15	01/11/2023	01/03/2024	Restoration of 2 hedgerows, stone-faced bank restoration and hedgerow creation, reinstating a relict hedged boundary.
W Edwards & Son	Combe St Nicholas	£12,479.60	£12,479.60	15/10/2023	31/03/2024	To environmentally enhance and diversify the farms habitats
Mr and Mrs H and F Thomas	Buckland St Mary	£7,956.11	£7,956.11	15/10/2023	15/02/2024	This project seeks to enhance and restore biodiversity and landscape features whilst benefitting people and adding interest to place.
Wrangcombe	Wellington	£10,000.00	£19,080.00	14/12/2023	31/03/2023	To clear scrub and secondary woodland from a substantial area of springline mire at Wrangcombe, to re-establish open habitat and

						enable more effective conservation grazing.
S&S Schwerdt	Yarcombe	£13,882.52	£13,882.52	20/01/2024	31/12/2024	We intend to clear and restore an existing woodland pond creating light and habitat, create a new wildlife pond in an existing wet scrub and lay woodland hedges to let in light.
Open Space Management Group for Churchstanton Parish Council	Churchinford	£3,412.14	£3,412.14	01/12/2023	02/02/2024	The Quarry has been disused for several years. As such is a wasted space, that with hard work and enthusiasm could be a unique, beautiful, peaceful, safe environment for the use of all ages within the community and wider area. It is important to maintain this area, or it will be lost to future generations.
South Wood Farm	Cotleigh	£10,590.80	£10,590.80	01/02/2024	31/03/2025	Strategic new native tree and shrub planting to add functional biodiversity gains in traditional grassland farming landscape. New native berry-bearing trees and shrub belts in substantial farm boundary belts will link hedgerows and complement new woodland planting close by on the farm. Stock fencing as required to protect new planting plus deer repellent to increase tree resilience/growth
Wolford Woodland	Dunkeswell	£17,143.40	£17,143.40	01/11/2023	01/01/2024	The main focus of this project is heathland restoration at Dunkeswell Turbary, a neglected County Wildlife Site, noted for lowland heath habitat.
Adams & Vergano	Luppitt	£11,908.60	£11,908.60	15/11/2023	30/03/2025	Creating additional hedged boundary with associated fencing

						and field gates. Adding a small number of in field trees to open pasture. This is a project spreading work over 2 years and builds upon previous works from a previous FiPL agreement.
Somerset Wildlife Trust	Bishopswood	£6,858.30	£6,858.30	01/11/2023	31/03/2025	his project seeks to improve the quality of habitat available for species including, brown hairstreak butterfly and hazel dormouse. As part of a previous wider bid aimed at species recovery, which wasn't successful, this project aims to enhance the quality of several hedgerows and improve the structure of Milkham copse through coppicing.
Trimplants Wholesale Nursery	Combe Raleigh	£4,993.50	£4,993.50	20/11/2023	31/03/2024	To advance the study of biochar as a growing medium, carbon store and microbial habitat, of relevance for future conversion of woody waste material and food production in the Blackdown Hills
Osmore Farm	Membury	£7,599.21	£7,675.44	04/01/2024	28/02/2024	Fencing around a diverse grassland to enable more management options, as appropriate. Strategically located infield tree planting and proactive management of existing wooded areas (both copse and hedgerow). It also includes the restoration of a historical pond and orchard.
Gregghams Farm	Colston	£1,901.37	£1,901.37	15/12/2024	31/03/2024	The Kit Brook is a watercourse and catchment area receiving particular attention from the AONB and other agencies. Mr Parker's land hosts a section of

						the brook and this project seeks to slow water flow at peak times as well as enhancing water quality.
J I and J MCCULLOCH	Hemyock	£4,488.64	£4,488.64	20/01/2024	20/02/2024	Approx 366 metres hedgelaying; some coppicing of larger woody growth
Axe Farm	Wambrook	£4,978.94	£4,978.94	15/01/2024	31/03/2024	To create a Farm Resilience Plan for Axe Farm, to lay out how the farm could meet the farmer's goals, become compliant to regulations, remain or become financially viable and reduce the environmental impact of the farm.
Rakehill Farm	Stockland	£4,273.94	£4,273.94	15/01/2024	31/03/2024	To create a Farm Resilience Plan for Rakehill Farm, to lay out how the farm could meet the farmer's goals, become compliant to regulations, remain or become financially viable and reduce the environmental impact of the farm.
Marlpits	Stapley	£4,499.93	£4,499.93	29/02/2024	31/03/2024	This project extends the positive environmental work carried out in Round 2 FiPL on adjacent land. An existing wildlife pond would be enhanced by sensitive work to remove silt and leaf litter that has built up over many years. The other project seeks to prevent the permanent loss of a traditional farm building through the initial gathering of technical structural information and costings.