

Business name	Village	FiPL grant awarded	Total project cost	Project start date	Project end date	Project Summary
Great Trill Farm	Musbury	£4,687	£8,066	01/10/2021	31/03/2024	<p>To reintroduce farmland trees within fields. The result will be a landscape that is more traditional and attractive. The trees within fields will contribute to the diversity of available habitats for wildlife and create interconnectivity between them. The trees in themselves will sequester carbon and their canopy and root structure will contribute to reducing flood risk and soil erosion.</p> <p>To erect bird boxes across the farm with the aim of increasing the number of birds that successfully raise their broods and so over time to increase the number of birds present.</p>
Loud Partners	Farway	£9,587	£9,587	01/02/2022	14/03/2024	<p>To provide 2.13 km of permissive paths on our farm, using 2 in 1 gates, to ensure access to as many people as possible. The 3 sections of path link up to the Rights of Way network and provide access to interesting habitats on the farm and some superb views across the valley. The path passes through a traditional orchard where we will plant some additional fruit trees.</p>
National Trust	Branscombe	£ 31,242.46	£ 42,058.78	01/11/2021	31/03/2024	<p>Create, enhance, and restore 7.3 hectares of important habitats and set firm building blocks for a mixed, low intensity agricultural system, in which wildlife flourishes alongside farming. The project sets out to create a more biodiverse farmed landscape and be exemplar in wildlife friendly farming techniques.</p>

P, IW and AP Westlake	Salcombe Regis	£16,521.72	£30,063.03	1/4/22	31/3/24	<p>Plant 0.6ha wildflower margins to improve biodiversity and 4.56 ha of herbal leys to support soil structure and improve biodiversity.</p> <p>Lay 400m hedgerow laying and fill in gaps to improve existing habitat.</p> <p>Hold a programme of events and volunteering sessions for local people.</p> <p>Organise educational visits and guided walks.</p> <p>A secure dog walking field creating additional income from unproductive land.</p> <p>Create a pop-up campsite (under permissive development regulations) creating additional income from the land.</p> <p>Develop an online presence to showcase the farm and support the diversification projects.</p>
Rose Coombe Farm	Combyne and Rousdon	£8,449.76	£8,529.76	01/01/2022	15/03/2024	<p>Improve and maintain unimproved species rich grassland, removal of invasive bramble decreasing the area of quality habitat and to introduce a conservation grazing regime to manage the meadow in the long term.</p>
Trill on the Hill	Musbury	£ 28,315	£ 39,447.92	01/11/2021	31/03/2024	<p>Trill on the Hill is a special place, both for nature and for people. Never intensively farmed, it is a haven for wildlife, but has been somewhat neglected in recent years. We intend to restore and improve biodiversity across the site, whilst inviting people to experience and connect with nature in our wild and beautiful landscape.</p>

						<p>Previously part of a larger farm, Trill on the Hill currently has no infrastructure to support conservation grazing or public engagement, and this project seeks to provide both, whilst maintaining the balance towards the nature interests.</p> <p>We are keen to provide opportunities for a wide range of people to enjoy the site and propose to offer free places to join the activities.</p>
PJD Farming Ltd,The Vending Shed	Combyne	£16,080.00	£16,080.00	01/05/2023	31/03/2024	To fund a Health & Safety approved trailer to seat the public for farm tours over 2 farms locally. The trailer can also be used within the local community by other farmers. We have had interest from 3 other local farmers to borrow the trailer. It will also be offered for local fates/village fayres within East Devon AONB.
DE & JH Evans	Colyton	£4,761.10	£4,761.10	01/11/2022	31/03/2024	The field will be managed to enhance its wildflower interest aiming for an MG5c NVC community meadow. The 0.4ha field will be cut in summer for hay followed by grazing by cattle and/or ponies. To graze effectively the 320m boundary of the grazing area requires stock fencing. The floristic diversity of the field will be further diversified by adding green hay and selected wildflower seed.
Tedbridge	Farway	£22,598.65	£22,598.65	01/10/2022	31/03/2024	The East Devon Way a regional long-distance footpath passes through the meadow the project will enhance the experience of walkers using this route. The meadow will be managed for its wildflower interest and grazed by cattle after a late hay cut. Hedges will be restored and cut less frequently. A purpose-built bat roost will be constructed on the site of an old dilapidated wooden stable.
Idehill Farm	Farway	£15,704.54	£15,704.54	01/11/2022	31/03/2024	Undertaking 261 meters of hedge laying with casting up and fencing to protect the new hedge. Coppicing

						41 trees along various sections of river to improve light penetration and vary habitat in a very overgrown and unmanaged riverbank. Planting 21 fruit trees to extend the existing orchard planting in a reinstated historic orchard. Managing a riparian strip. Managing species rich grass and increase wildflower species.
YJ & G.M.A Chugs Lock	Farway	£8,975.76	£8,975.76	07/11/2022	31/03/2024	To restore 3 ponds on the farm, two are of historic origins, one being a millpond, the other an aesthetic feature of the historic parkland. The third is a more recent pond. The project will also provide permissive bridleway access along the tree lined avenue that was once the approach to Netherton Hall. A permissive path will be provided linking this route to Bucknole Farm permissive access in application ED31.
G.N. Baily	Northleigh	£13,338.28	£14,809.69	05/11/2022	31/03/2024	There are no public toilet facilities between Sidbury and Colyton on the East Devon Way this provision will provide walkers in the Coly valley with an option that excludes the use of bushes. The toilet will also have the potential to unleash the potential for re-use of redundant farm buildings. One current user travel to Honiton for relief. Permissive access will be provided to link to the Rights of Way network. A shippon is being restored to keep it weatherproof and an asset for wildlife and maintain the character of the valley.
Wolversleigh Farm Partnership	Sidbury	£20,729.52	£194,321.97	01/11/2022	31/03/2024	The agritourism site involves the siting of 3 no. of Shepherd Huts and 2 no. of Safari Tents as short-term holiday accommodation, in an area with views down the Sid Valley to the coast. The site will have enhanced biodiversity features, including creation of wetland, tree planting, wildflower meadow planting, restoration of hedge and creation of new hedgerows.
Great Trill Farm	Musbury	£5,749.10	£5,749.10	01/11/2022	31/03/2024	Erecting small bird nest boxes to benefit birds as there are limited supply of veteran trees providing these

						nesting opportunities. Planting and protecting trees within fields to provide habitat for native fauna and to enhance the landscape.
Brimley Farm	Farway	£6,889.11	£7,081.83	01/11/2022	31/03/2024	Planting 15 heritage variety apple trees to reinstate the numbers in an historic orchard. Restorative pruning to existing old fruit trees. Bringing the parcels into traditional orchard meadow management.
Road Pitt Farming Partners	Colyton	£14,715.90	£16,721.40	01/01/2023	31/03/2024	Undertaking investigation into soils and carrying out trials on physical, chemical, and biological improvements of fields. Hoping to show the benefits to the soil in terms of soil organic matter, water infiltration and reduced reliance on inputs for similar production levels.
J. Chichester	Southleigh	£6,467.02	£6,467.02	01/04/2023	31/03/2024	Natural Flood Management by the construction of leaky dams. Hedgerow restoration works.
Bicton College	East Budleigh	£3,514.50	£6,114.50	01/04/2023	31/03/2024	This collaborative project between Bicton Home Farm, Clinton Devon Estate and Devon Wildlife Trust will facilitate the development of a dynamic beaver wetland over 9.73ha in the Lower Otter Valley.
Clinton Devon Estates	East Budleigh	£5,542.83	£8,142.83	01/04/2023	31/03/2024	This collaborative project between Bicton Home Farm, Clinton Devon Estate and Devon Wildlife Trust will facilitate the development of a dynamic beaver wetland over 9.73ha in the Lower Otter Valley.
River Cottage Ltd	Musbury	£19,992.64	£30,360.94	01/04/2023	31/10/2023	Farmland rejuvenation and facilitating public access.