

# Nature for Climate Peatland Grant Scheme

# Annex F. Template for Detailed Site Restoration Proposals



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| *Notes for Use** *This template must be used for detailed site-specific restoration proposals. This must include all sites where possible and Year 1 sites (work commencing April 2022-March 2023) as a minimum.*
* *Infill and expand text boxes as required.*
* *There are character limits for some answers, these will be stated where applicable and include spaces. You will not be able to enter more than this limit.*
* *Please submit as a word document and do not convert to PDF.*
* *If you wish to expand on any answers or provide further information, please use the further supporting information section at the end.*  *Tables and images cannot be inserted into some of the below form-fields, these can however be added within the Supporting Information and referenced.*
* *In the sections titled Work Plan, Monitoring Plan, Restoration Trajectory, Further Supporting Information & Appendices, the form will allow you to enter data of any format including tables, pictures etc.*
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| Site Summary |
| Site Name: |       |
| County: | Choose an item. |
| Specific Location(6 figure): | Lat. | Long. | SHP. File included? |
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| Site Size (ha): |       |
| Site Peat Condition (If multiple select more prevalent condition: | Choose an item. |
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| Date Work is Commencing (approx.): | Year and Quarter |
|  | Click or tap to enter a date. | Choose an item. |
| Date Works End (approx.) | Year and Quarter |
|  | Click or tap to enter a date. | Choose an item. |
| Landowner: | Landowner Name: | Has landowner verification & permission been secured? |
|  |  | Yes | No |
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| Managing Agent (if different): |       |
| Is the site Commons Land? | Yes | No | Unknown | Details if Applicable |
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| Historic Environment Features: | Designated HE | Non-designated HE features | SHINE (Live agr-environment only) |
|  | Choose an item. | Choose an item. | Choose an item. |
| Protected Site Designations and Name: | SSSI Name | SAC Name | SPA Name | Other Designation i.e. LWS or SNCI |
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|  | SSSI Unit(s) & Condition |
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| Landscape Designation: | National Park Name | AONB Name |
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| Agri-environment scheme Ref. (if known) | **Reference Code** | **N/A** | **Unknown** |
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| Pre-app Dialog with Natural England on Protected Sites Undertaken: | Yes | No | N/A | Notes |
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| Pre-app Dialog on Historic Environment Features Undertaken: | Yes | No | N/A | Notes |
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| Supporting Information Appended/Included*If not appended to this document, attachments should be uploaded with the filename “28469\_Your company name\_Tech QE02\_and the name of your attachment.”* |
| Supporting Document | Notes | Checkbox |
| Site map |       |[ ]
| Restoration map showing the site boundary, features to be restored and activities to be undertaken |       |[ ]
| Site Access map showing access points, access routes and relevant mitigation i.e. protected sites & HE mitigation |       |[ ]
| Biosecurity Donor Site Information Form (if necessary) |       |[ ]
| Stand-alone Historic Environment Assessment (Guidance located in Annex 5 of guidance for applicants) |       |[ ]
| Historic Environment Assessment Maps |       |[ ]
| Baseline broad vegetation cover map (optional) |       |[ ]
| Baseline peat depth map (optional) |       |[ ]
| Expected restoration trajectory (using table in Annex 3 or own format if preferred) |       |[ ]
| Monitoring plan sampling locations map |       |[ ]
| Landowner declaration / permission forms (if necessary)  |       |[ ]

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| Site Background including Aims & Objectives |
| Please provide:* Brief information on the site including the baseline data collected, the aims and objectives of restoration and any associated constraints.

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| Restoration Proposals  |
| Please provide:* A breakdown of each restoration methodology proposed for the site with justification for the techniques proposed, including details of how the whole peatland hydrological unit will be addressed. Any maps should be uploaded as supporting documents or appended to the end of this document.
* A breakdown of any proposed operations not directly linked to restoration but considered necessary to carry out a methodology, for example protected sites or HEA mitigation due to constraints imposed by a permitting authority.

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| Restoration Technique Summary |
| *i.e.Gully reprofiling*  |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| *1298 m* |       |       |       |       |       |       |
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| Equipment & Capital Items Required |
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| Site Access & Protected Site Mitigation  |
| Provide information on:* Details of site access. Any maps should be uploaded as supporting documents or appended to the end of this document.
* Any incorporated mitigation measures to mitigate impacts to habitats or features including but not limited to biosecurity measures, vehicular mitigation, airlifting mitigation, low ground pressure vehicles, routes for avoidance of sensitive habitat areas, the use of bog mats, re-fuelling & storage of materials etc.

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| Consents, Permissions, Historic Environment & Protected Species |
| Provide information on:* Any permissions required for the project. If required, indicate how and when these will be obtained or provide evidence they have been obtained e.g. Forestry Commission: Tree Felling Licences, Ordinary Water Course Consent , Planning permission or permitted development rights etc.
* Will any PRoW or open access land be affected by the works?
* Any there any existing protected sites permissions which are applicable to the work?
* If protected species are present on site, the actions taken to protect those species and avoid/mitigate impacts to comply with legislation.
* Evidence that historic environment elements have been considered and if present, the actions taken to protect these features and avoid/mitigate impacts to comply with legislation. Any maps or HE Assessment should be uploaded as supporting documents or appended to the end of this document.

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| Work Plan  |
| Please provide:* A site-specific work plan, including yearly timetable/Gantt chart, restoration activities and key deliverables/milestones with a clear delivery path towards intended outputs and outcomes (restoration, monitoring and reporting).
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| Monitoring Plan  |
| You must provide:* Details of the site-specific monitoring plan, including details of the monitoring methods and, number and location of sampling points (any maps should be uploaded as supporting documents or appended to the end of this document).
* Details of existing research and monitoring on sites.
* Details of monitoring equipment to be purchased
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| Monitoring summary |
|  | Number of sampling points | Timing of sampling | Frequency of sampling |
| Peat depth: |       |       |       |
| Surface-level rods: |       |       |       |
| Dipwells (and automated loggers): |       |       |       |
| 10m vegetation quadrats: |       |       |       |
| 2m vegetation quadrats: |       |       |       |
| Fixed point photography: |       |       |       |

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| Restoration Trajectory  |
| Please provide:* An expected restoration trajectory over the next 50 years for each site using table in Annex 3 or own format if preferred. This can also be uploaded as a supporting document if preferred. The standard peat condition categories should be used.
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Further Supporting Information & Appendices

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