

Cotswolds National Landscape

Farming in Protected Landscapes

Approved projects – July 2021 to March 2026

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Applicant	Project name	Description	Grant awarded	Total project value	Location	Duration
<u>Eastleach Downs Organic Farm</u>	COT-001 Improving Access for Under-Represented Groups	Creation of accessible farm trail, car park and visitor hub, designed for use by people with reduced mobility.	£41,981	£52,381	Eastleach, Cirencester	Jan 21 – Sep 22
<u>Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group South-West (FWAG)</u>	COT-002 Filling the Gap	Planting over 4 km of native hedge and 400 trees on 23 farms in Gloucestershire.	£24,940	£51,448	Gloucestershire	Dec 21 – Mar 22
<u>Gloucestershire Raptor and Monitoring Group (GMRG)</u>	COT-003 North Cotswolds Owl and Kestrel Box Project	Installation of 175 nesting boxes on multiple farms, together with annual monitoring and habitat management advice.	£21,613	£21,613	North Cotswolds	Oct 21 – May 22
Box Parish Council	COT-004 Lovar Bridge and Access Improvements	Reinstatement of foot bridge and installation of 10 kissing gates to replace stiles on local footpaths.	£17,384	£18,527	Box, Bath	Oct 21 – Mar 22

<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NECFC)</u>	COT-005 Soil Carbon Baseline Trial	Trialling innovative soil carbon surveying techniques across 36 farms (c.15,000 ha), in partnership with Rothamsted Research Institute.	£48,176	£96,353	North East Cotswolds	Nov 21 – Jul 22
<u>Whittington Lodge Farm</u>	COT-006 Sainfoin Centre of Regenerative Agriculture	Development of barn into multi-purpose space, plus track improvements, for regen farm tours and events.	£100,323	£151,800	Whittington, Cheltenham	Nov 21 – Jul 22
<u>Ruscombe Farm</u>	COT-007 Ruscombe Farm Cattle Handling Equipment	Mobile livestock handling equipment to enable conservation grazing on five sites.	£3,816	£4,770	Ruscombe, Stroud	Oct 21 – Dec 21
<u>Pitt Farm</u>	COT-008 Barn Field Grassland Restoration	Ground prep, re-seeding and ongoing management to restore 4 ha field as species-rich grassland.	£4,782	£4,782	Marshfield, Bath	Oct 21 – Mar 24
<u>Bruern Farms</u>	COT-010 Resilient Farm Strategy	Purchase of grain processing equipment, flour mill and game larder to enable direct sales from regenerative farm.	£32,234	£80,585	Bruern, Chipping Norton	Jan 22 – Mar 22
<u>C Rawlings</u>	COT-011 Barnfield Hedge Planting and Restoration	Planting and gapping up 820 m of native hedge.	£19,366	£34,929	Cleeve Hill, Cheltenham	Dec 22 – Feb 22
<u>E & E Llewellyn</u>	COT-012 Slad Valley Cattle Handling System	Mobile livestock handling equipment to enable conservation grazing on Swift's Hill SSSI (plus other potential sites).	£6,710	£11,087	Slad Valley, Stroud	Nov 22 – Mar 22
<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NECFC)</u>	COT-013 Lyneham 'Mini-Cluster' Habitat Works	Coordinated and complementary mosaic habitat enhancement works on five neighbouring farms.	£16,906	£30,463	Lyneham, Chipping Norton	Dec 22 – Mar 24
<u>Greystone Farm</u>	COT-014 Greystone Farm Development	100-tree agroforestry scheme (silvo-pasture); pedestrian gates and info for local walkers; new fridge and freezers for farm shop.	£7,398	£11,510	Blockley, Moreton-in-Marsh	Nov 21 – Jan 24
<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NECFC)</u>	COT-015 Supplementary Winter Bird Feeding	3-year programme of supplementary winter feeding and surveys across 29 farms, with Oxford Uni researchers.	£121,014	£121,014	North East Cotswolds	Dec 21 – Mar 25

<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NECFC)</u>	COT-017 Cluster Facilitation	Facilitation of 90-farm (31,000 ha) group (organising farm events, projects, funding applications) prior to transitioning onto CSFF.	£22,000	£53,830	Northeast Cotswolds	Dec 21 – Jun 22
<u>Lower Hampen Farm</u>	COT-018 Homegrown at Hampen	Materials, equipment and infrastructure to set-up a Community Supported Agriculture scheme, supplying fruit and veg to local customers.	£35,482	£65,529	Lower Hampen, Andoversford	Jan 22 – Mar 23
Box Parish Council	COT-019 Box Common Improvements	Clearance of scrub and invasive species to conserve wildflower habitat, delivered with volunteers.	£14,850	£18,650	Box, Bath	Jan 22 – Mar 22
<u>Hawkwood Centre</u>	COT-020 Love Your Land (Part 1)	Improvements to packing shed and storage facilities for veg scheme.	£10,654	£21,309	Stroud	Jan 22 – May 22
<u>Abbey Home Farm</u>	COT-021 Abbey Home Farm Diversification	Accessible composting toilets for campsite and storage facilities for e-bike rental service.	£10,015	£24,329	Cirencester	Dec 21 - Mar 22
<u>Jamie's Farm</u>	COT-022 Farm Improvements	Planting and gapping up 1,500 m hedges to improve habitat connectivity and benefit grazing system.	£25,789	£41,223	Box, Bath	Jan 22 – Dec 22
<u>Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group South-West (FWAG)</u>	COT-023 Collaboration for Climate Action	Mapping natural capital on 60 farms and assessing priorities for ecosystem services recovery.	£49,200	£122,400	Upper Thames catchment	Dec 21 – Mar 24
<u>Cotswolds Estates and Gardens</u>	COT-024 Mini-Baler	Purchase of mini-baler to support management of small parcels of grassland.	£2,671	£6,677	Central Cotswolds	Feb 22 – Mar 22
<u>Gloucestershire Orchard Trust</u>	COT-025 Orchard Training and Restoration	3-year project running over 100 site-based training events in traditional orchard management.	£46,228	£46,228	Gloucestershire	Jan 22 – Feb 24
MHD Forestry Services	COT-026 MDH Rural Education – Hawton Wood	Development of 4 ha woodland as training hub for rural skills, including off-grid timber-framed building and habitat enhancements (leaky dams, ponds, hedge laying & wildlife boxes).	£48,680	£84,080	Little Compton, Moreton-in-Marsh	Dec 21 – Mar 23

<u>Ruscombe Farm</u>	COT-027 Resilient Farm and Upstream Habitat	Installation of 20 leaky dams, 0.25 ha scrub clearance (restoring fen), 140 m native hedge planting and dry-stone wall repair.	£14,791	£19,721	Ruscombe, Stroud	Dec 21 – Mar 22
<u>Sandy Hill Mob</u>	COT-028 Mob Grazing Infrastructure	Improvements to water supply and electric fencing for mob grazing system.	£4,967	£7,094.07	Sherborne, Northleach	Dec 21 – Mar 22
<u>Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group South-West (FWAG)</u>	COT-029 Optimal Shelterbelts	Planting 6 new shelterbelts in CNL as part of a 10-year research project into benefits for wildlife and farming systems, in partnership with Organic Research Centre.	£72,183	£214,838	North Cotswolds	Dec 21 – Mar 24
<u>Gloucestershire Wildlife Trust</u>	COT-030 Greystones Farm and Nature Reserve	Stockproof fencing and water supply to enable grazing on SSSI, plus bankside coppicing and upgrading tracks and gateways for the public.	£20,034	£22,775	Bouton-on-the-Water	Dec 21 – Mar 22
<u>Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group South-West (FWAG)</u>	COT-031 Bredon Hill Bird Recovery	Multi-farm project to inform and improve conservation efforts for migratory birds, including surveys, monitoring, supplementary feeding and trial feed plots.	£17,902	£46,076	Bredon Hill, Tewkesbury	Nov 21 – Mar 24
<u>Pitt Farm</u>	COT-032 Restoration of Honey Lands	Restoration and enhancement of historic field boundary through combination of coppicing, felling and hedge laying.	£4,332	£4,332	Marshfield, Bath	Dec 21 – Mar 22
<u>Village Farm</u>	COT-033 Village Farm Wildflower Project	Purchase of cut and collect mower for priority grassland management at small sites (on farm and by contract).	£19,281	£32,136	Little Barrington, Burford	May 22 – Aug 23
<u>Good Small Farms LTD</u>	COT-034 Hammonds Farm Ecosystem Enhancement	Planting a shelterbelt (managed as coppice), 205 m native hedges and 20 fruit trees in an historic orchard.	£6,293	£17,829	Stroud	Jan 22 – Mar 23
<u>Upton Estate</u>	COT-035 Upton Estate Dry Stone Walling	80 m of dry-stone wall restoration along roadside boundary.	£5,520	£13,280	Upton Estate, Banbury	Jun 22 – Mar 24

<u>Stowell Park Estate</u>	COT-036 Sam Wood	2 ha broadleaf woodland planted in memorial to the late Lord Vestey.	£10,162	£17,721	Cassey Compton, Cheltenham	Feb 22 – Mar 22
<u>CNL: Glorious Cotswolds Grasslands</u>	COT-037 Seed Harvester	Purchase of new brush harvester to collect seeds from donor sites, enabling ongoing programme of grassland restoration.	£11,640	£11,640	Throughout Cotswolds	Apr 22 – Jun 22
Lodge Farm	COT-038 Developing Regenerative Farming Practices	Natural capital mapping, soil carbon audit and whole farm planning, plus 473 m new hedge, 120 bird boxes and 973 m electric fencing.	£12,335	£21,043	Lasborough, Tetbury	Feb 22 – Mar 23
Gawcombe Farm	COT-039 Gawcombe Farm Sustainable Grazing	Installation of 3000 m fencing and gates to enable strip grazing on species-rich grassland, plus scrub clearance and management.	£63,412	£74,242	Gawcombe, Stow-on-the-Wold	Feb 22 – Jun 23
Lower Upton Farm	COT-042 Lower Upton Farm Wetlands	Pollarding 50 willows surrounding large wetland, reducing risk of predation by raptors, plus bird surveys.	£7,135	£7,135	Lower Upton, Burford	Feb 22 – Mar 24
<u>Phepson Angus</u>	COT-043 Futureproofing Business with Sustainable and Efficient Outwintering Solutions	Training and equipping a draft horse to assist with winter tasks on difficult sites, plus electric fencing, to support holistic grazing system.	£8,346	£10,803	Kemerton Estate, Tewkesbury	Feb 22 – Mar 24
<u>Cleeve Common Trust</u>	COT-044 Weed Wiper	Purchase of “weed wiper” machine to control undesirable plants on SSSI with use of precisely targeted herbicide.	£4,058	£4,490	Cleeve Common, Cheltenham	Feb 22 – Mar 22
Minchinhampton Committee of Commoners	COT-045 Robotic Scrub Flail	Purchase of robotic flail to manage scrub on difficult sites.	£37,750	£50,250	Minchinhampton and Rodborough Commons, Stroud	May 22 – Dec 22

Macaroni Downs Farm	COT-046 Two Historic Stone Bridges at Macaroni Downs	Restoration of two historic Cotswold stone bridges of local interest.	£2,950	£4,950	Eastleach, Cirencester	May 22 – Oct 22
Thorndale Farm	COT-047 Thorndale Enhancement Project	Programme of works to restore and enhance 17 ha of grassland habitat, improving connectivity between local Duke of Burgundy strongholds. Works will also enhance local viewpoint.	£56,380	£56,380	Thorndale Farm, Andoversford	May 22 - Mar 25
<u>Conygree Farm</u>	COT-048 Building Resilience, Connection and Diversity (Part 1)	Support for rare breeds; polytunnel and irrigation for market garden; chiller for farm products; bird boxes; payments for hosting educational visits.	£49,276	£83,161	Aldsworth, Cheltenham	May 22 - Mar 25
Hazelwood Farm	COT-049 Hazelwood Farm Charcoal and Biochar Production	Purchase of retort kiln for processing locally sourced wood (e.g. felled ash) to produce charcoal and biochar.	£4,557	£11,394	Bathampton, Bath	May 22 – Oct 22
<u>FarmED – The Centre for Farming and Food Education</u>	COT-050 Agroecological Enterprise and Knowledge Exchange Development	Purchasing ice cream making equipment for micro-dairy; extensive soil testing; 2 all-terrain mobility scooters for farm visitors; payments for hosting free educational visits.	£38,050	£64,296	Shipton-under-Wychwood, Chipping Norton	Jul 22 – Mar 24
A Dickinson and A Lawrence	COT-051 Church Field Nature Reserve – Conservation Grazing Infrastructure	Improving fencing, access and water supply to enable beneficial grazing at small nature reserve.	£6,061	£6,454	Slad, Stroud	July 22 – Oct 22
Splatt's Farm	COT-052 Splatt's Farm	Ecological surveys and creation of 1 km permissive footpath through historic landscape.	£8,846	£8,846	Chastleton, Moreton-in-Marsh	Jul 22 – Mar 24
<u>Oakbrook Community Farm</u>	COT-053 Connecting People with Nature, Food and Regenerative Farming	Building a barn for use by community farm tenants, including space for Zerodig growers, plus better gates for permissive	£36,004	£111,504	Stroud	Jul 22 – Jan 23

		path users and interpretation panels about farm.				
<u>CNL: Glorious Cotswolds Grasslands</u>	COT-054 Autumn/Winter Calcareous Grassland Habitat Management	Improving the condition and management of a range of species-rich calcareous grassland sites in the Cotswolds through collaboration with landowners and volunteers.	£13,042	£27,042	Throughout Cotswolds	Oct 22 - Mar 25
<u>Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group South-West (FWAG)</u>	COT-055 People & Woods FWAG	Practical training and experience for new entrants to develop woodland management skills. Skills will be developed in existing woodland, with particular focus on woodland that needs restoration.	£44,007	£77,649	Throughout Cotswolds	Oct 22 - Mar 24
<u>Cleeve Common Trust</u>	COT-058 Wardens' Wood Access Improvements	Resurfacing the car park, way markers, bench and interpretation boards. Improvements to trail for mobility scooter and events shelter.	£10,642	£15,884	Cleeve Common, Cheltenham	Jul 22 – Mar 23
<u>Warwickshire Walnuts</u>	COT-060 How to Grow English Walnuts for Profit	Training programme covering the selection of walnut trees, orchard planting and establishment, maintenance and training, then harvest and marketing.	£3,320	£3,320	Shipston-on-Stour	Sept 22 - Mar 24
Cotswold Meat	COT-061 Grassland Improvement	Mobile livestock handling equipment to enable conservation grazing services by a young farmer.	£10,398	£12,997	Avening, Horsley and surrounding areas	Sept 22 – Mar 23
<u>Cotswolds Farm Park Ltd</u>	COT-062 Increasing Accessibility and Understanding at Cotswold Farm Park	Improving accessibility and enhancing the visitor experience for people from under-represented groups and/or with diverse needs, such as those with reduced mobility or sensory impairments, aiming to make the visitor attraction as inclusive as possible.	£116,308	£245,062	Guiting Power, Cheltenham	Nov 22 – Mar 24
Haycroft Farms Ltd	COT-063 Wetland and Floodplain Meadow Creation	Creating biodiverse wetland and grassland areas adjacent to the Sherborne Brook. Plus hedge laying.	£15,318	£15,318	Sherborne, Northleach	Oct 22 – Feb 24

Broadfield Farm	COT-064 Bokashi Composting Treatment	Renewing defunct silage pits to create large bokashi composting area capable of processing 1000 t of farmyard manure.	£44,464	£111,160	Eastington, Northleach	Nov 22 – Oct 23
<u>Stroud Community Agriculture</u>	COT-065 Developing Stroud Community Agriculture	Educational farm tours for diverse groups; rare breed conservation (Traditional Hereford Cattle).	£16,218	£16,873	Stroud	Oct 22 – Mar 24
<u>Friends of Frith Wood</u>	COT-066 Frith Wood Recovery	Sensitive fencing of two conservation areas to protect the wood and newly planted younger trees. This will be supported through public engagement and education.	£5,453	£6,215	Bussage, Stroud	Sept 22 - Feb 23
<u>Jamie's Farm</u>	COT-067 Carbon Auditing	Development of a carbon management plan to identify carbon mitigation and sequestration opportunities.	£2,574	£3,433	Box, Bath	Nov 22 – Oct 23
<u>Sapperton Wilder</u>	COT-068 Citizen Science Centre of Excellence	Developing and establishing a comprehensive long-term programme of citizen science activities on 150 ha site trialling different approaches to nature recovery, agroforestry and regenerative agriculture.	£89,667	£234,708	Sapperton, Cirencester	Oct 22 – Mar 24
<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NECFC)</u>	COT-069 Windrush Floodplain Meadows Restoration Plan (Part 1)	Undertaking a variety of activities to identify short, medium, and long-term restoration opportunities and a strategy for floodplain meadows restoration in the Windrush catchment.	£65,522	£82,182	Windrush catchment - source to Thames	Dec 22 - Mar 24
<u>Gloucestershire Orchard Trust</u>	COT-071 GOT Fruit Trees for Climate Change	Planting and protecting 600 fruit trees - apple, plum, pear and cherry - for heritage and climate benefits.	£89,344	£99,344	Throughout Cotswolds	Dec 22 - Mar 24
<u>Cleeve Common Trust</u>	COT-073 Equipment	Equipment to improve grassland management of Cleeve Common.	£28,187	£35,233	Cleeve Common, Cheltenham	Dec 23 – Mar 23

Church Farm	COT-074 Silvopastoral Enterprise	Establishment of silvopastoral enterprise including orchard renovation and creation and opening up pasture so it can be managed through mob grazing.	£71,399	£76,091	Harescombe, Gloucester	Jan 23 – Mar 24
Central Cotswold Hills Deer Management Group	COT-075 Aerial Deer Survey	Survey of deer numbers using drones with thermal imaging to assess the total number and gender of deer (fallow, roe and muntjac). This will inform future management practices and impact on the natural environment.	£12,000	£15,000	Central Cotswolds Hills	Mar 23 – Apr 23
<u>Whittington Court</u>	COT-076 Oak and Beech Planting	Planting and protecting 30 oak trees in the fields close to the A40. Planting and protecting 20 beech trees to restore historic roundels.	£5,425	£5,425	Whittington, Cheltenham	Jan 23 – Mar 23
Broadfield Farm	COT-077 Capital Works	Restoration of dry-stone wall and hedge laying.	£72,567	£79,843	Tetbury	Jan 23 – Mar 24
Painswick House Farm	COT-078 Hedges and Trees	Plant 800 m of hedgerow. Restoration of 400 m of two historic hedgerows. Tree planting within hedgerows. Establishment of 1 ha of wood pasture.	£24,401	£29,460	Painswick	Jan 23 – Mar 23
Manor Farm, Chedworth	COT-079 Hedge Planting	Planting 840 m of hedgerow with native hedgerow plants and fencing to protect from grazing livestock.	£12,903	£12,903	Chedworth, Cheltenham	Dec 22 – Feb 23
<u>Friends of Leckhampton Hill (FOLK)</u>	COT-080 Equipment	Upgrading equipment used by volunteers to maintain SSSI site tracks and trails for public access, protect and visually expose historic features and Cotswold stone walls, open up distant views from the site.	£5,784	£6,088	Leckhampton, Cheltenham	Jan 23 – Mar 23
<u>Hawkwood Centre</u>	COT-081 Love Your Land (Part 2) Barn Renovation (see also COT-020)	Repairing and restoring a traditional stone haybarn for use as a rural skills base. Installation of interpretation boards that follow an audio trail around the site.	£58,552	£104,671	Stroud	Feb 23 – Mar 24

J Allen	COT-083 Cotswold Parataxonomic Biodiversity Baseline Surveys – Empowering Farmers	Pilot project with two farms to run 'farmer-level' ecological data collection using manageable processes. Focusing on key indicator species that are easy to identify will enable farmers to repeat and continue monitoring.	£9,196	£9,196	Rendcomb, Cirencester Coln St Dennis, Cheltenham	Apr 23 - Dec 23
<u>Butterfly Conservation</u>	COT-084 Enhancing and Connecting the Cotswolds Landscape for the Duke of Burgundy Butterfly	Engagement programme to identify sites and landowners, carry out baseline surveys, and determine work required to enhance, restore, and manage habitat for the Duke of Burgundy butterfly and other associated species.	£12,109	£13,509	Prestbury Hill and south, mainly along the Cotswold escarpment	Apr 23 – Sept 23
<u>Lower Hampen Farm</u>	COT-085 Homegrown at Hampen 2	Installation of polytunnel, planting 80 m of new hedgerow and 180 trees and shrubs as part of a forest garden to improve biodiversity.	£6,860	£12,707	Lower Hampen, Andoversford	Feb 23 – Mar 23
<u>Stroud Valleys Project</u>	COT-087 Landscapes of the Lark Festival	Festival to support the land managers and graziers of the commons by raising awareness of needs and management and usage. Includes citizen science and humanities events, expecting to engage approx. 2,000 people, encouraging them to become advocates for these landscapes, their traditional management and their wildlife.	£21,284	£25,434	Minchinhampton, Rodborough and Selsley Commons, Stroud	Apr 23 – Sept 23
<u>Sandy Hill Mob</u>	COT-088 Pastured Eggs, Healthy Food and Healthy Pastures at Sandy Hill Farm	Establishment of pastured egg enterprise. Erection of a polytunnel for avian flu lockdown housing which will be used for a diversified horticultural enterprise when not occupied by chickens.	£3,966	£14,416	Sherborne, Northleach	Apr 23 – Jun 23
<u>Zerodig Farms Ltd</u>	COT-089 Project Expansion at Zerodig	Erection of polytunnel to expand capacity for food production, education/ training and community engagement activities.	£3,570	£8,926	Stroud	Mar 23

Cotswold Organic Growers Ltd	COT-090 Polycrop Seed Drill	Purchase of bespoke seed drill designed to plant three different sized seeds at different depths at the same time (in one pass). This will help the farm diversify from growing monoculture cereals towards growing three species.	£28,960	£73,500	Eastleach, Cirencester	Mar 23 – Sept 23
<u>Cleeve Common Trust</u>	COT-091 Cleeve Common Grassland Management Equip	Purchase of grass collection and removal equipment to help improve the quality of multiple small areas of grassland and sensitive areas.	£3,998	£4,998	Cleeve Common, Cheltenham	Mar 23
<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NEFC)</u>	COT-092 NECFC Technology and Tools	Equipment and technology to support communications and knowledge exchange about landscape-scale regeneration of the farmed environment and local food network.	£2,280	£2,850	North-East Cotswolds	Mar 23
<u>Abbey Home Farm</u>	COT-093 Abbey Home Farm Diversification	Invertebrate survey at Abbey Home Farm.	£4,616	£5,130	Cirencester	April 24 to Mar 25
<u>Youngwilders CIC</u>	COT-095 Nature Chain Meadows - Shared Management Plan	Creation of coordinated and financially sustainable habitat management plan for smallholdings across the villages of Limpley Stoke and Freshford, with a particular focus on wildflower meadows.	£6,706	£8,382	Freshford and Limpley Stoke, Bath	May 23 - Mar 24
Fendaisy Ltd	COT-096 Wildflower Meadow at Compton Abdale	Arable reversion to wildflower meadow with hedge planting, stone wall restoration and tree planting.	£16,778	£16,810	Compton Abdale, Cheltenham	May 23 - Mar 24
<u>Copsegrove Farm Partnership</u>	COT-097 Continuing Educational Visits at Copsegrove Farm	Programme of visits for school children, offering unique farm-based environmental outdoor education experience. Includes refurb of composting loos and provision of equipment to enable activities.	£22,621	£26,796	Stroud	Mar 23 - Mar 25

<u>The National Trust</u>	COT-098 Facilities to Support Conservation Grazing at Woodchester Park	Provision of static and mobile cattle handling facilities and livestock fencing to assist in the restoration of species-rich grassland through conservation grazing.	£33,491	£44,654	Stroud	May 23 – Feb 24
Pinnock Farm	COT-099 Equipment for Management of Tree plantation, Hedge Gapping-Up and Wood Pasture Enhancement	New fencing and a grass mower to support the establishment of an agroforestry enterprise, alongside planting of successor trees in areas of wood pasture.	£16,092	£26,172	Winchcombe	Jun 23 – Mar 24
P D Birchall & Sons	COT-100 Grove Field - Fencing of Species-Rich Grassland	Scrub clearance and installation of stock-proof fencing to enable restoration of species-rich grassland with grazing livestock.	£13,004	£13,004	Duntisbourne Abbots, Cirencester	Jun 23 – Oct 24
Brian Brazington Ltd	COT-101 Grass Cutting Equipment and Habitat Management	High-capacity cut-and-collect mower intended to meet growing need and demand for specialist services to manage species-rich grassland throughout the north Cotswolds. Applicant also carried out additional habitat works.	£30,725	£60,383	Farmington, Northleach	Jun 23 – Apr 24
Upper Wall Farm	COT-102 Fencing for Meadow Restoration	Installation of stock-proof fencing to enable grazing on area of species-rich grassland restoration.	£2,733	£2,733	Saintbury, Broadway	Jun 23 – Sep 23
<u>Pasture for Life</u>	COT-103 Pasture and Profit in Protected Landscapes	Scheme offering peer-to-peer mentoring and knowledge exchange events for graziers in the Cotswolds, Chilterns and North Wessex Downs. Intended to improve management practices that support biodiversity, carbon sequestration and landscape character.	£87,625	£107,551	Throughout the Cotswolds	Jul 23 – Mar 25
<u>Wild Oxfordshire</u>	COT-104 River Restoration and Wetland Creation on the Cornwell Estate	Creation of new river channels, reedbeds and other high-value habitats on 17 ha of land along the Chipping Norton Brook.	£146,382	£271,807	Cornwell, Chipping Norton	Jul 23 - Nov 23

Manor Farm, Chedworth	COT-105 Creamery Extension	Replacement of disused cowshed with new building for local cheesemaker, enabling an increase in cheese production and demand for the farm's organic milk, supporting the continued development of regenerative farming system.	£45,863	£117,020	Chedworth, Cheltenham	Jul 23 – Feb 24
Manor Farm, Compton Abdale	COT-106 Adaptation to Regenerative Farming	Purchase of a hybrid straw rake and additional tools, enabling the farm to implement regenerative farming practices and reduce reliance on herbicides for weed control.	£9,823	£25,850	Compton Abdale, Cheltenham	Jul 23 – Sep 23
<u>Hayles Fruit Farm</u>	COT-107 Apple Juice Production Investment	Upgrading apple juice processing equipment to increase capacity and secure ongoing viability of top fruit production at historic orchard site with extensive public access.	£12,227	£33,347	Winchcombe, Cheltenham	Oct 23 – Dec 23
Dumbleton Estate	COT-109 Footpath Fencing and Access Improvements	Upgrading stock fencing along footpath and replacing access gates to make more user friendly for footpath users.	£8,470	£8,470	Dumbleton, Evesham	Oct 23 – Jun 24
Willesley Farm	COT-110 Restoration of Cotswold Sheep Wash	Restoration of historic sheep wash alongside footpath, involving scrub clearance and dry-stone wall renovation.	£2,000	£2,000	Tetbury	Oct 23 – Mar 24
Local Community Market Gardens	COT-111 Local Community Market Gardens	Establishment of community-oriented market garden, including development and running of horticulture training programme, workshops and events.	£20,414	£22,685	Sheepscombe, Stroud	Oct 23 – Mar 25
Public House Farm	COT-112 Improving the Supply of Local, Sustainably Grown Produce to Hospitality Businesses in the Cotswolds	Various items to support establishment of a zero-dig market garden that aims to supply sustainably grown produce to local hospitality businesses, raising awareness and increasing the availability of produce from the Cotswolds.	£20,531	£51,327	Bruern, Chipping Norton	Oct 23 – Apr 24

<u>Macaroni Wood – Noah’s Ark Children’s Venture</u>	COT-113 Farm Upgrades and Education & Volunteer Management for Disadvantaged Children and Young People	Various items and activities to improve the offer at a woodland residential centre, including upgrades to livestock fencing in animal areas; creation of an accessible allotment plot for wheelchair users; and establishment of a volunteer programme with supporting educational resources.	£45,038	£66,844	Cirencester	Dec 23 – Mar 25
<u>Copsegrove Farm Partnership</u>	COT-114 Continuing Educational Visits at Copsegrove Farm (see also COT-097)	Additional educational visits plus extra support for transport costs so more children can access farm-based environmental outdoor education experience.	£11,880	£11,880	Stroud	Nov 23 – Mar 25
<u>Oakbrook Community Benefit Society</u>	COT-115 Oakbrook Educational Tours	Providing local primary and secondary schools with farm tours and education about community-supported farming. Includes installation of composting loos and hand-washing facilities, and new interpretation panels for visitors.	£19,896	£23,431	Stroud	Oct 23 – Mar 25
<u>FarmED – The Centre for Farming and Food Education</u>	COT-116 Circular Waste Management at FarmED	Implementing a circular waste-management plan by increasing the range and capacity of different composting systems on the site, including food and human waste. Also included new fencing to improve grazing management in orchard.	£18,931	£22,747	Shipton-under-Wychwood, Chipping Norton	Nov 23 – Mar 24
<u>Fibra Crop Solutions Ltd</u>	COT-117 Establishing a Regional Processing Hub for Industrial Hemp Fibre	Installation of a state-of-the-art industrial hemp processor. The aim is to engage potential growers and unlock the potential of industrial hemp as an economically viable, climate and nature friendly break crop and source of natural, low-carbon fibre in the Cotswolds.	£239,225	£956,900	Guiting Power, Cheltenham	Dec 23 – Aug 24

<u>Conygree Farm</u>	COT-118 Building Resilience, Connection and Diversity (Part 2) <i>(see also COT-047)</i>	Equipment to support mob grazing, market gardening, educational events and direct sales, all of which contribute to the farm's holistic vision for social, environmental and financial resilience.	£39,994	£84,184	Aldsworth, Cheltenham	Dec 23 – Mar 25
Lilliput Farm Partnership	COT-119 Vegetable/Salad Growing Enterprise in Association with Existing Beef Herd	Equipment to establish small vegetable/salad growing enterprise that will supply the onsite Lilliput Farm Kitchen Restaurant.	£5,500	£13,750	Toghill, Wick	Jan 24 – Jun 24
Pinnock Farm	COT-120 Additional Hedgerow Coppicing and Gapping Up <i>(see also COT-099)</i>	Rejuvenation of hedge by coppicing and further gapping up, plus fencing for protection.	£2,700	£2,700	Winchcombe	Nov 23 – Feb 24
<u>Southill Community Energy</u>	COT-121 Hedge Laying and Fencing of Roadside Margins	Traditional hedge laying to maintain hedge and enhance biodiversity. Stock proof fencing along the road margin.	£15,350	£19,642	Charlbury, Chipping Norton	Jan 24 – Dec 24
G Spittlehouse	COT-122 Hedge Laying	Hedge laying around woodland mosaic site to maintain hedge and enhance biodiversity.	£2,163	£2,163	Upton Cheyney, Bristol	Dec 23 – Mar 24
Campden House Estate	COT-123 Creation of Wetlands	Extensive section of watercourse enhancement and riparian habitat creation, including leaky dams, silt traps, scrapes, pools, ponds and species-rich grassland, to boost biodiversity and contribute to natural flood management.	£185,890	£225,305	Chipping Campden	Feb 24 – Sep 24
Lower End Farm	COT-124 Wetlands at Lower End Farm	Creation of three ponds, a flood retention area with a leaky dam and meander with a leaky dam on an existing watercourse to improve biodiversity on the farm.	£23,760	£53,903	Great Comberton, Pershore	Jun 24 – Dec 24
Wadfield and Newmeadow Farms	COT-125 Inter Row Mower	Purchase of an inter row mower to support establishment of an ambitious	£18,375	£36,750	Winchcombe, Gloucestershire	Dec 23 – Aug 24

		and experimental pasture cropping system.				
<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NECFC)</u>	COT-126 Landscape Deer Census, Deer Management and Venison Supply Chain Surveys	Survey of deer numbers using drones to assess the total number of deer (fallow, roe and muntjac). Survey of landowners and deer managers to understand current deer management strategies. Assess existing venison supply chain and provide recommendations for improvements to create a sustainable value for venison.	£34,373	£45,467	North East Cotswolds	Jan 24 – May 24
Potticks Pigs Ltd.	COT-127 Toilet Facilities & Educational Access at Warleigh Lodge Farm	Upgrading toilet facilities to include disabled access and baby changing facilities for educational access visits. Also includes funds to host visits.	£23,115	£25,500	Bathford, Bath	Jan 24 – Mar 24
<u>Miserden Estate</u>	COT-128 Ecological Baseline and Habitat Improvement	Extensive ecological baselining exercise, leading to the creation of a biodiversity report and overview of management plan to encourage nature positive strategies across the estate.	£12,697	£16,602	Stroud	Jan 24 – Jun 24
<u>Walking the Land</u>	COT-129 Growing Places: Contemporary Narratives for Farming and Managing Woodland in Protected Landscapes	Programme of immersive arts event and activities on multiple farms and landholdings near Stroud, offering people distinctive opportunities to explore, enjoy and understand the landscape, with a focus on food, farming, nature and cultural heritage.	£84,302	£122,832	Stroud	Apr 24 – Mar 25
<u>Jamie's Farm</u>	COT-130 Boosting Diverse Public Access to the Cotswolds: Helping Develop a New Jamie's Farm	Developing and conserving a Grade II listed 17 th Century Farmhouse into a residential setting for a unique therapeutic programme that will welcome 450 disadvantaged children and young people from the Southwest region and beyond every year.	£250,000	£749,968	Box, Bath	Dec 23 – Mar 25

<u>Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group South-West (FWAG)</u>	COT-131 Kingfisher Award Scheme, Gloucestershire	Delivering a series of on-farm workshops to school children, providing creative and interactive learning opportunities about farming life and farmland wildlife.	£7,915	£9,714	Gloucestershire	Jan 24 – Sep 24
<u>Stinchcombe Hill Trust</u>	COT-132 Stinchcombe Hill Habitat Restoration Project – Restoring Limestone Grassland on Stinchcombe Hill	Baseline assessment of habitat on 16.23 ha SSSI and scheduled monument.	£3,300	£3,300	Stroud	Dec 23 – Feb 24
Fourwinds Farm	COT-133 Small Deer Larder	New larder to provide a longer-term holding facility for carcasses while they wait to be delivered on into the food chain, supporting better deer management.	£1,902	£3,170	Shipton-under-Wychwood, Chipping Norton	Jan 24 - Feb 24
Congree Farm	COT-134 Building the Emergent Generation (Part 1)	Developing a network of young people from rural and urban communities working together to build an agroecological food system and regenerative future. Includes meet ups, farm walks and a flagship event. Also includes establishing Emergent Generation as a legal entity and organisation.	£10,083	£15,982	Throughout Cotswolds	Jan 24 – Jun 24
Woodleaze Farm	COT-135 Environmental Conservation Improvements at Woodleaze Farm	Planting of hedgerow and orchard trees; fencing across arable field to create permanent footpath and field corner for environmental options; botanical surveys on species rich grassland.	£9,016	£9,016	Horsley, Tetbury	Jan 24 – Dec 24
Whichford Mill	COT-136 Educational Visits, Reinstatement of the Historic Orchard and Meadow Restoration	Reinstatement of historic orchard, sheep fencing and wooden gates to enable managed grazing for meadow restoration; educational access visits with a focus on home-schooled children.	£12,696	£12,696	Whichford, Shipston-on-Stour	Feb 24 – Feb 25

Bradley Barn Farm	COT-137 Establishing a Water supply for Cattle to Facilitate the Conservation Grazing of Coombe Hill SSSI	Installation of water pipe to support better and more resilient management of SSSI with species-rich grassland.	£11,645	£19,408	Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire	Mar 24
<u>Stinchcombe Hill Trust</u>	COT-138 Stinchcombe Hill Habitat Restoration Project - Restoring Limestone Grassland on Stinchcombe Hill	Scrub clearance as part of plans to restore areas of species rich grassland.	£5,570	£10,458	Stroud	Feb 24 – Mar 24
<u>Gloucestershire Wildlife Trust</u>	COT-139 Farm Biodiversity and Carbon Baselineing	Natural capital baselines and land management plans on four farms. Includes biodiversity assessments, mapping land suited for conversion to species-rich grassland and defining new techniques for whole farm carbon assessments. Data collected will be used in a Landscape Recovery pilot application which aims to scale up to 34 farms.	£35,473	£54,555	Central Cotswolds	Apr 24 – Dec 24
<u>Sandy Hill Mob</u>	COT-140 Increasing Resilience at Sandy Hill Farm	Protecting a young orchard from grazing deer pressure; improvement to storage facilities for Pasture for Life certified beef; increasing educational access.	£5,152	£5,152	Sherborne, Northleach	Mar 24 – Mar 25
<u>Warwickshire Walnuts</u>	COT-141 Warwickshire Walnuts - How to Grow English Walnuts for Profit (extension)	Continuation of an education program covering the selection of walnut trees, orchard planting and establishment, maintenance, and training, then harvest and marketing.	£1,500	£1,500	Cotswolds	Apr 24 – Mar 25
Bradley Barn Farm	COT-142 Replacement Livestock Fencing to Facilitate Conservation Grazing	Livestock fencing to facilitate conservation grazing on difficult site.	£4,926	£4,926	Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire	Mar 24

JJ Moss	COT-143 Species rich Grassland Improvement at Breakheart Hill	Maintain and improve an area of species-rich grassland.	£7,230	£8,307	Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire	Mar 24
<u>Cotswolds National Landscape</u>	COT-144 Regenerative Agriculture Accelerator Programme – Cotswolds (Phase 1)	A high impact programme run – and co-designed by – 20 regenerative farmers and advisors in the Cotswolds to establish a knowledge network in the move towards Regenerative Agriculture practices.	£34,943	£55,245	Cotswolds	Apr 24 – Mar 25
Upper Wall Farm	COT-145 Hedgerow and Boundary Works	Planting of native hedgerow trees alongside a restored meadow. Sheep netting to reinstate original field boundaries and increase grazing options.	£7,841	£7,841	Broadway, Worcestershire	Mar 24 – Aug 24
<u>Wolds End Orchard</u>	COT-146 Volunteer Training for the Safe Use of Power Tools	A series of training courses on safe use of power tools, enabling the maintenance and restoration of the ancient Wolds End Orchard.	£4,080	£4,080	Chipping Campden, Gloucestershire	Mar 24 – Mar 25
<u>Middle Ground Growers at Weston Spring Farm</u>	COT-147 Regenerative and Community-Supported Farming for Climate and Water Resilience	Model diverse and appropriate scale regenerative growing in the Avon bioregion, bringing the local community on the restoration journey. Create and model closed loop water and nutrient flows and sharing these models with local people, trainees and horticulturists in the region.	£93,299	£64,179	Kelston, Bath	Jul 24 - Mar 25
Kemerton Estate Partnership	COT-148 Kemerton Lake Nature Reserve Woodland Grazing and Visitor Improvement Project	Installation of stock fencing to enable conservation grazing of woodland with organic mob-grazed cattle; planting 1000 wild daffodil and bluebell bulbs and various activities to improve accessibility and the overall visitor experience.	£18,826	£29,049	Kemerton, Gloucestershire	Jun 24 – Feb 25

<u>Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust</u>	COT-149 South Cotswold Fosse Farmer Cluster	Creation of a new Farmer Cluster in the headwaters of the Bristol Avon to support habitat improvements for both nature and communities across its landscape.	£26,660	£36,123	South Cotswolds	May 24 – Mar 25
Evidence Nature	COT-150 Enabling Farmer-Led Biodiversity Audits to Measure Nature Recovery on Agricultural Land in the Cotswolds	A skills-sharing project to build and exchange knowledge in the biodiversity assessment of farmland for nature recovery.	£41,960	£51,995	Dursley, Stroud	May 24 – Dec 24
<u>Boyd Farms</u>	COT-151 Nash Dutch Barn	Building a multi-purpose farm shed, allowing the farm to house cows and calves in adverse weather conditions and winter.	£14,215	£35,538	Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Sep 24 – Nov 24
<u>Stinchcombe Hill Trust</u>	COT-152 Stinchcombe Hill Habitat Restoration Project - Restoring Limestone Grassland on Stinchcombe Hill	Producing a Feasibility Study with a Management Plan - to identify the ecological and historical features on the hill, address the management issues and solutions and to provide details of the funding and stewardship schemes available to achieve the management targets.	£54,308	£58,708	Stroud	May 24 – Sep 24
<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NECFC)</u>	COT-153 Windrush Floodplain Meadows Restoration Plan (Part 2) <i>(see also COT-069)</i>	Undertake additional activities to assist with short, medium, and long-term opportunities for floodplain meadow management and restoration in the Windrush floodplain and tributaries.	£6,921	£11,400	North East Cotswolds	Jun 24 – Sep 24
<u>Overbury Enterprises</u>	COT-154 Organic Methods to Improve Soil Texture and Health	Purchasing a compost turner to improve soil health, water infiltration, sequester carbon and reduce GHG emissions	£17,920	£53,033	Overbury, Tewkesbury	Jul 24 – Dec 24
Potticks Pigs Ltd.	COT-155 Habitat & Water Runoff Prevention	Gapping up of hedgerow and pollarding to assist with slowing down the flow of rainwater runoff.	£14,008	£14,008	Bathford, Bath	Jun 24 – Mar 25

S Taylor	COT-157 Habitat Restoration - Land at Bourton-on-the-Water	Hedge laying, staking and top binding and installation of sheep fencing to allow grassland restoration.	£4,922	£4,922	Bourton-on-the-Water	Nov 24 – Mar 25
<u>Cheltenham Borough Council</u>	COT-158 To Enable Grazing in Daisybank field	Re-establishment of species rich grassland by restorative grazing. Facilitated by installation of electric fencing and associated equipment.	£8,646	£9,996	Cheltenham	Jun 24 – Jul 24
S Robertson	COT-159 Lower Slaughter Meadows	Creation of approx. 1 ha of wildflower meadow areas plus replacing fencing with native (laid) hedgerow as part of an overall 5-year re-wilding project.	£6,257	£6,949	Lower Slaughter	Jun 24 – Dec 24
F. Witts Farming	COT-160 Public Right Of Way Signs (PRoW)	Erecting 5 PRoW signs in and around Upper Slaughter.	£1,782	£1,782	Upper Slaughter	Jul 24 – Sep 24
G Thorley	COT-161 Lakeside Meadow, Bourton	Restoring approx. 0.7 ha of species-rich wildflower grassland to increase the floristic diversity of the site with wildflowers of local provenance and genetics.	£3,55	£3,929	Moreton-in-Marsh	Jul 24 – Sep 24
<u>Marshfield Traditional Farm Ltd</u>	COT-162 Grassland Restoration at Marshfield Traditional Farm	Re-seeding to floristically restore 1.40 ha of permanent pasture situated in the St Catherine's Valley SSSI, to create a wildlife rich habitat.	£4,614	£4,614	Chippenham	Jul 24 – Nov 24
Wades Farm	COT-163 Value-Add Infrastructure and Equipment for Wades Conservation Grazing	Infrastructure to facilitate a grass-fed beef initiative in and around the Slad Valley to benefit nature through conservation grazing SSSIs in partnership with Glos Wildlife Trust and Cheltenham BC.	£9,095	£9,935	Stroud	Aug 24 – Mar 25
<u>Common Soil community farm</u>	COT-164 Connecting People to the Landscape Through Food and Community Farming	Expansion of infrastructure to meet local demand. Facilitating weekly food growing sessions for local community, educational visits for Stroud College and local secondary school focused on	£9,986	£22,776	Bisley, Stroud	Jul 24 – Jan 25

		regenerative, community farming and biodiversity.				
<u>Fir Farm</u>	COT-165 Direct Sales for Dairy Enterprise	Installation of a milk vending machine and investment in more efficient ice cream making facilities, enabling expansion of a homemade ice-cream enterprise on regenerative dairy farm.	£9,873	£24,682	Lower Swell, Stow-on-the-Wold	Jul 24 – Nov 24
J Gardner	COT-166 Meadow Creation and Enrichment of Species at Orchard Meadow, Bibury	Creation of 2.9 ha of wildflower meadow and installation of wildlife boxes.	£5,873	£5,873	Arlington, Bibury	Jul 24 – Oct 24
<u>The National Trust</u>	COT-169 Repairs to Grade II listed Lower Barn	Repairs to Lower Barn, Newark, to make the building water-tight and structurally sound without altering the materials or form of the existing building.	£68,502	£101,735	Ozleworth, Wotton-under-Edge	Sep 24 – Dec 24
Michael Hartnell Nurseries Ltd	COT-172 Tree Nursery Production to Establish and Support Both Native Tree Species and Subspecies in the Cotswolds That Will Be More Resilient to Future Climate Changes	Installation of deer fencing, hedgerow planting and introduction of herbal leys to manage soils, nutrients and mitigate soil erosion to support field grown trees at a permanent native-providence tree nursery setup.	£72,688	£105,955	Moreton-in-Marsh	Jul 24 – Mar 25
<u>Phepson Angus</u>	COT-174 Bredon Hill Grazing for Nature Project	Infrastructure to improve grazing management of 220 ha of wildflower meadows, grasslands and wood pasture. Data collection and peer-to-peer learning to improve understanding of holistic grazing and its potential to delivery climate positive outcomes through soil accumulation.	£24,448	£67,557	Burrington Coombe, Blagdon	Jul 24 – Feb 25

Park Farm	COT-176 Native Tree Margin at Foscote Paddocks	Planting a mix of native, broadleaf tree and shrub species along field margins adjacent to the motorway to provide habitat and improve biodiversity.	£1,515	£1,515	Chippenham	Nov 24 – Feb 25
Wild Dursley – ‘WILDur’ CIC	COT-177 Pearls & Violets Project	Habitat survey and viola plug planting to benefit the Pearl-bordered Fritillary butterfly.	£5,244	£9,257	Cam, Dursley	Sep 24 – Mar 25
<u>Emergent Generation CIC</u>	COT-178 Building the Emergent Generation (Part 2) <i>(see also COT-134)</i>	Continuing to grow a membership network of young people from rural and urban communities working together to build an agroecological food system and regenerative future. Includes delivering a range of face to face and online high impact events and activities across farming, food, climate and nature related issues and outreach via newsletter, partner collaboration and social media.	£10,084	£16,565	Throughout Cotswolds	Nov 24 – Mar 25
Cotswolds National Landscape in partnership with Batheaston Freeholders	COT-179 Improved Accessibility at Bannerdown Common	Improving the parking area to ensure safe and accessible parking for individuals with limited mobility.	£32,682	£32,682	Batheaston	Oct 24 – Mar 25
BB Akerman	COT-180 Kington Down Farm Hedgerow Planting and Rejuvenation with Improved Access	Planting and rejuvenation of 1008 m of hedgerows and improvements to public access through a block of diverse low-input grassland impacted by national electricity infrastructure. Connecting the hedgerow habitat alongside existing grazing and hay meadows and restoring the historic character of the pattern of small fields.	£28,538	£37,412	Chippenham	Oct 24 – Jan 25

Marshfield Parish Council	COT-181 Floristic Restoration and Accessibility Improvements on Ringswell Common	Restoring permanent pasture area to create a wildlife-rich habitat that is accessible to the local community. Activities include seeding native wildflowers, grazing sheep and cattle, redirecting spring water, creating accessible paths to fruit trees, and installing picnic seating and informational boards.	£11,192	£13,990	Marshfield	Oct 24 – Mar 25
<u>CNL: Glorious Cotswolds Grasslands</u>	COT-183 Grassland Restoration Limekiln Farm	Improving the species diversity and habitat value of 13 ha of grassland in the Cotswolds National Landscape through the introduction of locally sourced wildflower seed of native provenance.	£26,981	£27,451	Stroud	Sep 24 – Oct 24
<u>Old Farm Dorn</u>	COT-184 Old Farm: See Where and How Your Food Is Produced Sustainably. See It, Buy It, Eat	Installation of fresh, frozen and ambient vending machines to extend farm shop opening times; information signs for public footpath and circular farm walk; equipment to enhance farm visits and help link farm produce to our food and clothes.	£18,921	£42,074	Dorn, Moreton-in-Marsh	Oct 24 – Mar 25
High Hill Farm	COT-185 Bokashi Compound	Build a manure compound for bokashi process to retain nutrients to feed soil web and build soil health and fertility.	£18,615	£46,539	Hawkesbury, Badminton	Sept 24 – Dec 24
<u>Hawkwood Centre</u>	COT-188 Love Your Land (Part 3) Climate Action Lab: Food & Farming, Nature & Land conference <i>(see also COT-020 and COT-081)</i>	Delivery of a two-day educational conference on nature and land and the future of food and farming as part of Hawkwood's Climate Action Lab series.	£4,750	£10,417	Stroud	Oct 24 – Mar 25

<u>Wiltshire & Swindon Biological Records centre</u>	COT-189 Farmland Bird Passive Acoustic Monitoring	Working with the South Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (SCF) to deploy ten passive acoustic recorders across 37 plots of winter bird seed mix. Gathering acoustic data on bird species using the plots. Providing landowners with information on species and their distribution across the South Cotswolds.	£2,305	£2,725	South Cotswolds	Feb 25 – Mar 25
Glebe Farm	COT-190 Dry Stone Wall Restoration	Restoration of 80 m dry stone wall and installation of one wooden field gate.	£9,623	£9,6223	Cutsdean, Cheltenham	Jan 25 – Mar 25
A Field	COT-191 Landscape-scale Farmland Wader Surveying and Conservation	Purchase of a thermal drone to locate and monitor Lapwing and Curlew nests in the North Cotswolds to facilitate nest protection, monitoring of breeding success and their conservation; will be used for other farmland bird monitoring and conservation.	£4,366	£6,658	Within Cotswolds National Landscape	Feb 25 – Mar 25
<u>Cheltenham Borough Council</u>	COT-193 Bale Trailer	Purchase of a large bale trailer to improve livestock management and grazing efficiency on Leckhampton Hill.	£1,142	£1,428.00	Cheltenham	Jan 25 – Mar 25
<u>Tubbs End Farms Ltd</u>	COT-194 Farm Compost Production	Purchase of a trailed Compost Windrow turner to produce compost from crop residues and manures, to improve soil health on farms across the North Cotswolds and surrounding areas.	£18,560	£46,400	Kineton, Warwickshire	Feb 25 – Mar 25
<u>Overbury Enterprises</u>	COT-197 Agroforestry Fencing to Protect Saplings from Deer Browsing	Planting nine agroforestry alleyways on Bredon Hill, totalling 2,600 m of mixed tree species. Installation of electric fencing to protect the young trees from deer browsing.	£12,293	£31,493	Overbury, Tewkesbury	Feb 25 – Mar 25

<u>Whittington Lodge Farm</u>	COT-198 Personnel Trailer for Farm Tours and Improvement of Disabled Access to the Site	Purchase of a new personnel trailer and wheelchair ramps to improve access for visitors with reduced mobility.	£7,677	£19,192	Whittington, Cheltenham	Jan 25 – Mar 25
Lodge Farm	COT-200 Mob Grazing Infrastructure	Installation of a pumping system to distribute spring water fields, along with hotwire fencing on hilltop pasture, to support effective mob grazing of sheep and the future introduction of cattle.	£11,404	£15,050	Lasborough, Tetbury	Feb 25 – Mar 25
Bradley Barn Farm	COT-201 Replacement Livestock Fencing to Facilitate Conservation Grazing at Coombe Hill SSSI	Installing 550 m of livestock fencing.	£3,487	£3,487	Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire	Jan 25 – Mar 25
<u>Stinchcombe Hill Trust</u>	COT-202 Brief and specification for the proposed access track at Stinchcombe Hill	Drafting a brief and specification for a new access track to support conservation grazing and habitat management on Stinchcombe Hill, as identified in FWAG's FIPL-funded feasibility study (COT-152) and recommended by Natural England.	£2,760	£2,760	Stroud	Jan 25 – Mar 25
<u>Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group South-West (FWAG)</u>	COT-204 Kingfisher Award Scheme, Gloucestershire (2025)	Delivering a series of free, creative and interactive on-farm workshops to school children to provide learning opportunities about farming life and farmland wildlife.	£8,199	£11,738	Gloucestershire	May 25 – Sept 25
<u>Game & Wildlife Conservation Trust</u>	COT-205 South Cotswold Fosse Farm Cluster Facilitation (2025-26)	Co-ordination and management of a farmer cluster to deliver landscape and community benefits.	£42,500	£42,500	South Cotswolds	Apr 25 – Mar 26
<u>North East Cotswolds Farm Cluster CIC</u>	COT-206 Facilitation of the North East Cotswold Farmer Cluster (2025-26)	Continuing facilitation of a farmer cluster, enabling landscape scale collaboration and regeneration of the farmed	£33,527	£54,360	North-East Cotswolds	Sept 25 – Mar 26

		environment through knowledge exchange and support.				
<u>Cotswold Rivers Trust</u>	COT-207 Windrush Floodplain Meadow Restoration & Natural Flood Management Strategy	Delivery of the Windrush Floodplain Meadow Strategy: Restoring five priority sites, planning for restoration of five additional sites, and designing/constructing natural flood management features to enhance flood resilience and habitat.	£91,861	£101,898	Windrush catchment	May 25 – Mar 26
<u>Eastleach Downs Organic Farm</u>	COT-208 Improving Accessibility and Sustainability	Creation of an accessible path; purchase of new feed troughs and reusable straw stack covers to reduce waste; Website updates and QR codes to inform path users about ongoing farm operations.	£10,543	£25,943	Eastleach, Cirencester	May 25 – Oct 25
Potticks Pigs Ltd.	COT-209 Education Access at Warleigh Lodge Farm	Offering educational access visits to connect children to the landscape, inspiring them to understand, protect, and care for nature and the countryside by providing experiences, knowledge, and values.	£9,075	£9,075	Bathford, Bath	May 25 – Mar 26
<u>CNL: Glorious Cotswolds Grasslands</u>	COT-210 Glorious Cotswolds Grasslands – Calcareous Grassland Habitat Management	Improving the condition and management of a range of species-rich calcareous grassland sites across the Cotswolds National Landscape through collaboration with landowners and volunteers.	£7,200	£25,800	Cotswolds	May 25 – Mar 26
<u>Copsegrove Farm Partnership</u>	COT-211 Financial Support for Primary Schools in the County to Enable and Facilitate Farm-Based Outdoor Education at Copsegrove Farm, Including Transport	Continuation of unique outdoor education days for primary schools, addressing financial barriers, by funding 35 visits, including 17 with transport subsidies, and providing key equipment.	£17,446	£17,446	Stroud	May 25 – Mar 26

	Subsidies for Coach Expenses <i>(see also COT-097 and COT-114)</i>					
<u>Common Soil (Cotswolds) Limited</u>	COT-212 Connecting Young People to the Landscape through Food and Community Farming	Continuation of educational visits for young children and parents and older students (11-18), focusing on regenerative farming, biodiversity, and outdoor cookery.	£9,438	£10,890	Bisley, Stroud	Jun 25 – Jan 26
<u>Cotswolds National Landscape</u>	COT-213 Regenerative Agriculture Accelerator Programme - Cotswolds (Phase Two) <i>(See also COT-144)</i>	A high-impact programme run and co-designed by regenerative farmers and advisors in the Cotswolds, this second year builds on its successful first cohort, taking them deeper and establishing a new cohort of 25 to expand the knowledge network.	£86,249	£99,305	Cotswolds	Apr 25 – Mar 26
Park Farm	COT-214 Fencing for Habitat Creation at Rack Hill	Constructing 250 m of fencing, including three gateways (one for a footpath), to enable sheep grazing for species-rich grassland restoration.	£5,213	£5,611	Rack Hill, Wiltshire	Jun 25 – Jul 25
John Higgs Farms	COT-215 Deer Chiller at Litchfield Farm	Purchase of a deer chiller to increase holding capacity and improve local venison supply.	£5,182	£8,591	Enstone, Chipping Norton	Jul 25
Omniserve Ltd	COT-216 Nature's Own Vineyard - Measuring the Response of Insect Diversity to the Creation of a Regenerative Vineyard in the Cotswolds	To conduct parataxonomic insect surveys, establishing baseline data to evidence biodiversity outcomes from regenerative viticulture, and informing educational materials.	£2,850	£3,600	Stroud	Jun 25 – Feb 26
SJN Pile (Farming) Ltd	COT-217 Habitat Creation, Edgehill	Purchase of a brush harvester to collect wildflower and grass seed for grassland restoration.	£2,120	£5,300	Edgehill, Banbury	Jul 25 – Oct 25

<u>Youngwilders CIC</u>	COT-218 Nature Chain Meadows - Delivery of Grazing Management and Youth Engagement Plan	Delivery of a sustainable management plan (previously funded under COT-095), enhancing wildlife-rich habitat across five smallholder farms through appropriate grazing and youth engagement.	£2,330	£3,330	Freshford and Limpley Stoke, Bath	Jun 25 – Feb 26
<u>The Bathurst Estate</u>	COT-220 Cirencester Park Broad Avenue Restoration – Phase 2b	Restoration of an historic tree-lined avenue by felling a degraded western stretch and replanting with Small-Leaved Lime.	£76,544	£98,089	Cirencester	Aug 25 – Mar 26
<u>Gloucestershire Wildlife Trust</u>	COT-221 Enabling Grassland Restoration	Expanding on natural capital baselines and land management planning to six Cotswold farms, including grazing infrastructure assessments, UK Habitat surveys on two farms, and Soil Organic Carbon (SOC) content assessments across six. Data collected will inform a Landscape Recovery pilot application which aims to scale up to 34 farms.	£31,643	£38,293	Central Cotswolds	Jun 25 – Feb 26
<u>The National Trust</u>	COT-222 Boundary Court Field Barn: A Space for Nature Connection	To rebuild a traditional Cotswolds field barn to create a covered space for visitors. Also includes improvements to the adjoining Public Right of Way for year-round accessibility.	£93,398	£112,970	Stroud	Aug 25 – Feb 26
<u>Sandy Hill Mob</u>	COT-223 Grassland Habitat Restoration, Bird Monitoring and Educational Access at Sandy Hill	Over-seeding 28 ha of herbal ley fields for restoration to biodiverse wildflower grasslands. Also includes monitoring bird life and erecting bird boxes, alongside providing educational access visits.	£39,981	£42,181	Sherbourne, Northleach	Jul 25 – Mar 26
<u>Sapperton Wilder</u>	COT-224 Sapperton Wilder: Phase 2 – Livestock Integration and Grassland Restoration	Installing livestock infrastructure to enable adaptive grazing for grassland and habitat restoration. Conducting para-taxonomy of invertebrates to monitor ecological recovery, plus student art	£120,828	£287,115	Sapperton, Cirencester	Jul 25 – Mar 26

		workshops, skills transition research, and project filming.				
<u>FarmED – The Centre for Farming and Food Education</u>	COT-225 Education Access Support	Offering 15 free farm walks to groups facing financial barriers.	£5,445	£5,445	Shipton-under-Wychwood, Chipping Norton	Jul 25 – Mar 26
<u>Stroud Community Agriculture</u>	COT-226 Sharing the Love: Engaging Young People in Organic Community Farming in Stroud	Providing 20 free, educational tours for diverse community groups to offer insights into small-scale organic and biodynamic horticulture.	£8,860	£8,860	Stroud	Sept 25 – Mar 26
<u>Emergent Generation CIC</u>	COT-227 Emergent Generation – Knowledge and Outreach Activities 2025/26	Delivery of a three-day agroecology event for 70-100 young Em Gen members in the Cotswolds. Also recording a "Future Harvest: Voices of the Next Generation" podcast series and hosting a youth-focused agroecological networking session at the Oxford Real Farming Conference (January 2026).	£28,360	£49,965	Cotswolds	Jul 25 – Mar 26
Potticks Pigs Ltd.	COT-228 Potticks Pigs Pollarding and Pressing	Purchase of a fruit press and scrapper to allow children to press apples and pears during school visits; Pollarding willow trees along the riverbank to manage growth and maintain habitat.	£3,141	£3,141	Bathford, Bath	Sep 25 – Mar 26
<u>Gorsehill Abbey Farm</u>	COT-229 On-Farm Milk Processing and Ice Cream Making Capacity Improvement and Upgrade of Sales Area	Upgrade of pasteurisation equipment for organic milk, additional ice cream making equipment to expand the product range, and enhancement of the sales area with display freezers and a fridge to enable the sale of additional products, including meat.	£32,265	£80,663	Broadway	Sep 25 – Dec 25

<u>The National Trust</u>	COT-230 Species-Rich Grassland Restoration at Newark Park: Grazing a Traditional Rare Breed Herd to Establish Species-Diverse Grasslands	Installation of a 10,000-litre underground water tank and connection of three springs to provide a sustainable water supply for grazing traditional rare breed livestock, to support the creation of 97 ha of species-rich grassland.	£11,629	£17,876	Ozleworth, Wotton-under-Edge	Oct 25 – Feb 26
<u>Middle Ground Growers at Weston Spring Farm</u>	COT-231 Regenerative and Resilient Horticulture in the Cotswolds	Wetland restoration, wildflower meadow management, and habitat enhancement with bird, bat, and owl boxes, alongside the creation of accessible visitor paths and infrastructure. Funding will also support volunteer days, open farm tours, and facilitation of the Regenerative Growers cluster, which aims to share knowledge and promote sustainable horticulture across the Cotswolds.	£43,015	£89,517	Kelston, Bath	Aug 25 – Mar 26
Abrahams Deer Management	COT-232 Deer Management for the Protection of Woodland, Flora and Fauna over Parcels of Land Including Ancient Woodland	Purchase of a deer chiller, processing and hygiene tools, monitoring devices, and handling equipment to reduce populations of three deer species across multiple sites to sustainable levels, protecting young and ancient woodland while supporting environmental conservation and the rural economy.	£7,412	£15,827	Chipping Norton	Aug 25 – Mar 26
Hill Barn	COT-233 Biodiversity at Hill Barn	To maintain 0.7 ha of wildflower meadow from the Cotswold District Council Grassland Restoration Project (October 2024) through hay cutting.	£452	£4,733	Withington	July 25 – Mar 26
Frampton Farm	COT-234 Frampton Farm Walling	Restoration of a 20 m section of dry-stone retaining wall in the centre of Frampton Mansell Village.	£9,875	£19,750	Frampton Mansell, Stroud	Sep 25 – Nov 25

Bibury Home Farm	COT-235 Deer Larder and Processing Facility	Purchase of a modular larder and chiller unit for the storage, processing, and sale of deer carcasses to support effective and responsible deer culling.	£16,222	£27,038	Bibury	Nov 25 – Jan 26
<u>Severn Rivers Trust</u>	COT-237 Removing River Barriers to Migratory Fish on the River Frome	Detailed design of four barriers to fish passage on the River Frome, ready for their removal or easement to open up 1.5 km of river to migratory fish, reinstating natural flows and increasing resilience to climate change.	£72,200	£72,266	Stroud	Nov 25 – May 26
<u>Ruscombe Farm</u>	COT-238 Restoring Grazing to Formerly Species-Rich Grassland	To cut back encroaching vegetation around land parcel perimeters to enable fencing installation, supporting effective ongoing management of the land through cattle grazing.	£1,000	£1,700	Ruscombe, Stroud	Oct 25 – Dec 25
<u>Cotswold Cattle Co</u>	COT-239 Biodiversity and Natural Capital Uplift through Adaptive Grazing Management at Moor Wood Farm and Surrounding Landscape	Procurement and installation of above-ground water infrastructure to maintain the flexibility required for adaptive cattle grazing practices.	£9,193	£11,102	Woodmancote, Cirencester	Aug 25 – Nov 25
<u>Wiltshire & Swindon Biological Records centre</u>	COT-241 Winter Farmland Bird Monitoring	Working with the South Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (SCF) to deploy passive acoustic recorders and carry out point counts at 60 sites across 30 landholdings, covering a mixture of habitat types. Collecting data on bird species and providing landowners with information on the birds present on their holdings and improving understanding of species distribution.	£10,589	£12,304	South Cotswolds	Nov 25 – Mar 26

Broadfield Farms	COT-242 Windmill Spring	To install a system to harvest spring water into a 4,500-litre tank and use a constant-pressure pump to replace the existing mains water supply.	£19,725	£32,875	Eastington	Mar 26 – Mar 27
<u>FarmED – The Centre for Farming and Food Education</u>	COT-243 Borehole and Water Treatment System	To dig a borehole and build an on-site water treatment centre at FarmED to provide a sustainable irrigation supply for on-site vegetable growing and a treated water supply to the buildings.	£22,757	£45,515	Shipton-under-Wychwood, Chipping Norton	Jan 26 – Mar 26
<u>Buglife</u>	COT-244 Improving Farmland for Pollinators and Other Invertebrates, Guidance Materials and On-farm Workshops	Delivery of two on-farm talks and guided walks focusing on the habitat features needed by pollinators and other invertebrates, and how these can be created or better managed to support invertebrates, other wildlife, and provide additional ecosystem services of value to farmers.	£4,484	£4,484	Cotswolds	Dec 25 – Mar 26
Wilcote Farms	COT-245 Processing of Venison Burgers	Processing venison into burgers using an automated system to increase production capacity, through the purchase and installation of specialist processing equipment and associated items.	£2,822	£7,055	North Leigh, Chipping Norton	Dec 25
<u>Wychavon District Council</u>	COT-246 Grassland Restoration on Fish Hill	Planting a woodland edge scrub ecotone with tree saplings of a native scrub mix with appropriate protection.	£3,436	£3,436	Broadway	Dec 25 – Mar 26
M D Hamilton Farms	COT-247 Fenceless Collars for Native-breed Cattle to Facilitate Conservation Grazing	Purchase of 20 GPS fenceless collars for a herd of native White Park cattle to facilitate conservation grazing.	£3,360	£4,200	Chipping Norton	Nov 25 – Mar 26

<u>North East Cotswolds Farmer Cluster (NECFC)</u>	COT-248 NECFC Supplementary Bird Feeding of Farmland Birds 2025/26	To significantly scale up winter supplementary feeding of farmland birds in the North East Cotswolds, using locally sourced seed across up to 30 farms.	£13,000	£31,132	North East Cotswolds	Nov 25 – Mar 26
R.F. Dancer & Son	COT-249 Livestock Management and Handler Safety Equipment at Manor Farm	Purchase of a stock cube and associated cattle handling equipment to safely manage livestock out of the farmyard for routine and emergency welfare checks whilst protecting the handler.	£4,481	£8,963	Chipping Norton	Dec 25 – Mar 26
<u>Wolds End Orchard</u>	COT-250 Restoration of Wolds End Orchard	To deliver a program of traditional orchard restoration and conservation training for volunteers at Wolds End Orchard. Through hands-on workshops and accredited courses, volunteers will learn essential rural skills, including pruning, grafting, hedge laying, safe machinery use, and habitat planting.	£9,060	£9,060	Chipping Campden	Jan 26 – Mar 26
<u>Fir Farm</u>	COT-251 Nofence Grazing Project	To establish a herd of Sussex cows and calves grazing along the Dickler and Windrush rivers and ancient hay meadows through purchase of 30 Nofence GPS collars, enabling fenceless conservation grazing.	£6,720	£8,400	Lower Swell, Stow-on-the-Wold	Jan 26 – Mar 26
<u>RTA Restoration Ltd</u>	COT-252 Carrant Brook Restoration Project: Black Poplar (<i>Populus nigra subsp. betulifolia</i>), Swifts (<i>Apus apus</i>), and House Martins (<i>Delichon urbicum</i>)	To plant native Black Poplars and create nesting sites for House Martins and Swifts in collaboration with landowners along the Carrant Brook.	£20,610	£20,610	Carrant Brook, Tewkesbury	Dec 25 – Mar 26

<u>Bruern Farms</u>	COT-253 Flour Milling Plant and Bokashi Bran Compost Site	To upgrade the existing flour mill and create a bokashi composting unit to convert bran waste into valuable compost for the farm.	£21,518	£53,408	Bruern, Chipping Norton	Dec 25 – Mar 26
<u>Stroud Slad Farm</u>	COT-254 Hedgerow Restoration & Organic Woodchip Production for No-Dig Community Garden	Purchase of a woodchipper and restoration of 151 m of hedgerow, with arisings chipped and recycled on-site in a no-dig organic not-for-profit community market garden.	£4,433	£5,031	Stroud	Jan 26 – Mar 26
Church Farm	COT-255 Refrigerated Storage and Secure Cabin for Farm-Derived Produce	Addition of a fridge, transport cool boxes, and secure cabin to scale storage capacity for farm-produced beef and pork.	£1,618	£4,045	Leaffield, Oxfordshire	Jan 26 – Mar 26
<u>Biodynamic Land Trust</u>	COT-256 To Support and Guide Agroecological Farmers in Their Journey to Achieving Farm Viability	Development of a Knowledge Exchange Programme to support current and future tenant farmers in building farm viability, economically, environmentally and socially.	£9,746	£10,196	Stroud	Apr 26 – Mar 27
<u>Gloucestershire and Warwickshire Steam Railway</u>	COT-257 Calcareous Grassland Improvement and Restoration on the GWSR	Purchase of scrub management equipment to restore approximately 170 ha of line-side land to species-rich calcareous grassland, enhancing biodiversity, improving landscape quality, and maintaining scenic views for passengers.	£6,921	£9,321	Toddington	Feb 26 – Mar 26
<u>Banbury Ornithological Society (BOS)</u>	COT-258 Curlew Recovery Conservation Work	Equipment to support curlew conservation work, including surveying, nest monitoring, and habitat protection across project sites.	£16,692	£33,217	Tysoe, Warwickshire	Feb 26 – Mar 27
<u>Boyd Farms</u>	COT-259 Nash Farmyard Borehole	Installation of a farm borehole to provide a secure, sustainable water supply to improve drought resilience, reduce carbon emissions associated with water transport and treatment, and support	£10,655	£21,310	Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Feb 26 – Mar 26

		long-term regenerative and organic land management.				
N G Adams	COT-260 Conservation and Mob Grazing Using a Livestock Trailer	Purchase of a livestock trailer to enable flexible movement of sheep and cattle for conservation grazing and habitat management across the Evenlode Valley.	£21,250	£42,500	Evenlode Valley	Apr 26 – Jun 26
<u>Wild Oxfordshire</u>	COT-261 Remote Bird and Bat Monitoring	Purchase of 10 bird and bat monitors with accessories to track species presence and abundance across wetland and river restoration sites.	£17,128	£22,378	Evenlode Valley	Mar 26
<u>Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group South-West (FWAG)</u>	COT-262 GREAT Market Garden Project	Installation of an off-grid solar system to provide electricity to a welfare unit, irrigation systems and future site infrastructure.	£7,779	£12,779	Cirencester	Feb 26 – Mar 26
M Dunn	COT-263 Deer Chiller	Construction of a purpose-built cold room for storing deer carcasses.	£7,459	£12,432	Gloucester	Mar 26
Potticks Pigs Ltd.	COT-264 Educational Access at Warleigh Lodge Farm 2026/27 and 2027/28	Offering educational access opportunities for groups which are ineligible under the Countryside Stewardship Scheme VED1 option.	£25,410	£25,410	Bathford, Bath	Apr 26 – Mar 28