

"Biotopverbund und Restitution durch extensive Landbewirtschaftung"

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T+D-Projects

The Federal Agency for Nature Conservation is funding testing- and development projects that should contribute to sustain biodiversity and furthermore to reintroduce and protect rare plant and animal species.

In this context, particular importance is given to projects which combine aspects of conservation and land use, developing concepts applicable for nature conservation nationwide.

"Ried und Sand"

The main goal of the testing- and development project "Ried und Sand" is to protect habitats with high conservation value in both sand and former river bed ecosystems in the western part of the district Darmstadt-Dieburg by developing new grazing systems.



"Twofold network"

Within a new biotope network

- habitats should be integrated in the network by ecological restoration and / or grazing.
- nature conservation and agricultural land use should be combined to mutual benefit.

By the end of the project in 2008, the system of conservation and land use should be economically balanced.

Partners

The project is advised and assessed by the TU Darmstadt in both nature conservational and socioeconomic aspects.

The project has broad support and acceptance by local and regional authorities and stakeholders.