

Seeking Sites: Beaver Buffer Research Trials

Help us explore practical, nature-based solutions for living alongside beavers. This project is testing whether riparian tree buffers can help reduce beaver-related impacts on woodlands.

What we're looking for

We're keen to work with sites that have:

1 A riparian area (river, burn, or loch edge)

2 Woodland creation

- Recently planted woodland, or
- Plans for new riparian planting

3 Beaver activity

- Beavers present or expected soon
- Site accessible to beavers

4 Site suitability

- One area with > 200 m of waterway, or
- 2+ nearby areas to allow comparison

What we'd need from you:

- Access to your site to plant the buffers
- Access for annual monitoring visits

Why take part?

- Contribute to practical beaver management solutions
- Support woodland protection
- Get involved in applied research
- We cover buffer planting and monitoring

Interested? Get in touch to discuss potential sites.

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