

The following projects have been approved by the Howardian Hills National Landscape's Farming in Protected Landscapes Local Assessment Panel in Year 3 - 2023/24. We are publishing this information to enable the public to see how our budget allocation from the Department for the Environment, Food and Rural Affairs is being spent.

Business name	Location	FiPL grant awarded	Total project cost	Project start date	Project end date	Project description
Hovingham Farms (Alice Hayter)	Hovingham Spa	£4,005.00	£4,005.00	10/11/23	21/03/24	Feasibility study into the repair and conservation of a lime kiln adjacent to public access.
HE Hornsey & Sons (Howard Galtrey)	Coney Hill Farm, Yearsley	£13,847.25	£13,748.97	08/09/23	-	Creation of 450sqm of off-road parking adjacent to Yearsley Woods with boundary hedges and gates, with the planting of a new orchard of cider and Yorkshire heritage apple varieties.
Yorkshire Lavender (Emma Waddington)	Terrington	£1,734.30	£1,734.30	08/03/24	-	Biodiversity and habitat improvements including hedge gapping up, interpretation, orchard planting and creation wildflower areas
CR & AL Quarton & Son (Bruce Quarton)	Moor House Farm, Hovingham	£3,629.28	£3,629.28	29/08/23	29/08/23	Installation of 2 x 20,000 litre above ground rainwater tanks with associated rainwater goods and diverters.
Autism Plus (Ambrose Greunfeld)	Park House Barns, Gilling East	£8,169.87	£8,169.87	07/08/23	21/03/24	Re-establishing indigenous woodland flora through local seed propagation and onsite restoration efforts.
Adventures for the Soul (Alison Goodwin)	Ampleforth	£6,340.00	£12,628.00	12/07/23	03/11/23	Creating access, exploration and enjoyment of the natural environment in the Howardian Hills National Landscape for community groups and individuals at risk of isolation through a targeted, short-term, Green Social Prescribing project.
Howardian Hills National Landscape (AONB)	Area-wide	£6,500.00	£6,500.00	25/09/23	-	Provision of 50 bespoke barn owl breeding boxes with siting and monitoring advice; two information events

(Frances Standen)						available to land managers to publicise and inform the nature of the project, its requirements and ongoing management.
F&J Standen (Frances Standen)	Birkdale Farm, Terrington	£5,910.00	£7,680.00	25/08/23	-	Planting of 11.92ha of herbal ley intended as a demonstration area to be used for two farmer training events in the AONB.
Richard and Kate Duree	Knoll Hill Farm, Ampleforth	£27,036.98	£90,721.98	29/01/24	02/02/24	364m of new hedge along the line of historic hedging; 707m of gapping up with associated fencing to protect from damage by stock; installation of 4 field gates.
RJ Kelsey (Tim Kelsey)	Grimston Manor Farm, Gilling East	£23,790.50	£23,790.50	17/11/23	03/01/24	Restoration of boundary hedge, partially running along the side of the Gilling to Coulton road (Coulton Lane).
Low Farm (Will Machin)	Low Farm, Brandsby	£9,998.92	£13,307.36	04/03/24	31/03/24	250m of new hedge with 12 hedgerow trees, and 10 standard parkland trees, with guards at Low Farm.
Beacon Alpacas (Jacki Barlow)	Suncliffe Beacon Farm, Huthwaite	£9,809.01	£9,809.01	14/02/23	10/01/24	Hedging and tree planting to create wood pasture with a 0.4 ha strip of winter bird seed planted.
RI Hall (Robert Hall)	Thorn Tree Farm, Gilling East	£8,011.49	£8,011.49	05/01/24	-	39m of stonewall restoration and associated planting of 20 parkland trees with guards at Thorn Tree Farm.
Greets Farm (Sarah Lyon)	Greets Farm, Welburn (Malton)	£18,334.66	£19,502.22	20/02/23	04/03/24	550m of new hedge with 8 hedgerow trees, 5 standard parkland trees and 4 apple trees with guards at Greets Farm.
Howardian Hills National Landscape (Nicholas Burrows)	New Pilfit Farm, Coxwold	£7,516.00	£7,516.00	26/03/24	-	Conduct a feasibility study into the creation of wetland at New Pilfit Farm
Autism Plus (Ambrose Greunfeld)	Park House Barns, Gilling East	£4,776.14	£4,776.14	28/11/23	31/03/24	The Forgotten Flora project aims to physically identify donor sites for rare woodland flora seed, propagate these seeds in a bio secure environment and

						then plant plug plants at suitable receptor sites within the HHNL & NYMNP.
Howardian Hills National Landscape (Nicholas Burrows)	Lodge Field Farm, Gilling East	£8,875.00	£8,875.00	26/03/24	-	Conduct a feasibility study into the creation of wetland at Lodge Field Farm adjacent to the Holbeck, in an area likely drained post WWII.
The Nature Connections Pathway Programme Partnership (Alison Goodwin)	Ampleforth	£55,612.77	£67,196.77	21/11/23	-	Creating a sustainable pathway that links up with the Green Social Prescribing referral process to support those in need, enabling greater nature connection, resilience, empowerment and less dependence on NHS services.
JF and SE Goodwill (John Goodwill)	Coulton Grange, Coulton	£7,699.54	£7,699.54	23/02/24	14/03/24	Creation of an area of wood meadow pasture, building on existing tree planting and enclosing the area in 216m of new hedge. 4No gates will permit access from the yard to the arable fields beyond.
Hagg Yard (Joe Cook)	Hagg Yard, Crambe	£9,387.60	£9,387.60	22/02/24	-	67m of hedge laying, hedge gapping up, tree planting, and an above ground rainwater tank (15m ³). Livestock improvements comprising a new drinking trough, gates, relocation of sheep pen, and provision of a cattle grid.
BI & BM Mosey (Stephen Mosey)	Montreal Farm, Coulton	£8,443.32	£8,443.32	09/01/24	08/03/24	Installation of a new hedge with gates along the main public road between Gilling East and Coulton.
Coulton Mill (Nicholas Burrows)	Coulton Mill, Coulton	£3,000.00	£3,000.00	05/01/24	31/03/24	Updating of existing Management Plan, completed in 2012, with re-costed Schedule of Works and site plan. For the purposes of completing an application for Historic Building Restoration Grant funding from Defra.
Rose Cottage Farm (Lou Howard)	Rose Cottage Farm, Terrington	£2,865.00	£2,865.00	20/03/24	29/03/24	Production of a Management Plan for the purposes of completing an application for Historic Building Restoration Grant funding from DEFRA following the approval of the initial application

LEAF (Linking Environment and Farming) Education (Sam Wyman)	Work is proposed across the Howardian Hills, on several farms	£8,420.00	£8,420.00	22/05/24	-	A programme to support farmers with their first steps towards educational visits. Support 10 farmers to undergo CEVAS. Provide bespoke support for individual farmers - aiming to facilitate completion of CEVAS portfolio work, advise on groundwork/ capital investment required before the arrival of school groups, and support with the preparation of activities and educational content for each setting.
LEAF (Linking Environment and Farming) Education (Sam Wyman)	Work is proposed across the Howardian Hills, predominantly in local schools	£6,870.00	£6,870.00	09/04/24	-	LEAF education initiative includes a bespoke Continual Professional Development session for up to 15 teachers in the Howardian Hills National Landscape, focusing on incorporating local agricultural and natural landscapes into national curriculums. This session will equip teachers with practical strategies for arranging farm visits and teaching about food, farming, and sustainability, enhancing their ability to engage students with the farmed and natural environment within the HHNL. Support and attendance at Ryevitalise teachers conference. LEAF will deliver 11 tailored in-school workshops for students in schools within the HHNL, aimed at providing hands-on experiences with food production, farming practices, and sustainability.