

South East England 2011

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Woodland Creation Grant Scoring Form

Important: this form should only be used for Woodland Creation Grant applications. For help on completing the form, refer to the *EWGS 7a –South East Woodland Creation Grant Scoring Guide 2011*.

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| 1 RURAL DEVELOPMENT | | | |
| 1.1 Tick box if the woodland will be within a Rural Productivity 'Lagging' Area | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Planting density (you may tick only one box) | | | |
| 1.2 Planting 70% or more high yield species (conifers, poplar, cricket bat willow) | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 1.3 Planting 2250 or more trees per hectare | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 1.4 Planting less than 2250 trees per hectare | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2 ECONOMIC REGENERATION | | | |
| 2.1 Tick box if the woodland will be within a Quality of Place priority area | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Situation (you may tick only one box) | | | |
| 2.2 On land previously used for industry or mineral extraction | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2.3 Within 5 km of a permanent population centre of at least 5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2.4 Within 8 km of a permanent population centre of at least 5,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3 RECREATION, ACCESS & TOURISM | | | |
| 3.1 Tick box if the woodland will be within a Community Forest | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Public access (you may tick only one box) | | | |
| 3.2 Proposals allow access over the whole area | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3.3 Proposals allow public access over specified routes or parts of the area | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3.4 Site contains or is immediately adjacent to a public footpath or bridleway | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4 ENVIRONMENT & CONSERVATION | | | |
| 4.1 Tick box if the woodland will contribute to a named, national or local BAP, HAP or SAP target | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Native woodland (you may tick only one box) | | | |
| 4.2 Extends an ASNW with new native woodland as per Ancient & Native Woodland Practice Guide | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4.3 Extends existing native woodland or PAWS with new native woodland as per Practice Guide | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4.4 New native woodland is being planted as per Ancient & Native Woodland Practice Guide | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5 SIZE (you may tick only one box) | | | |
| 5.1 20 hectares and over | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5.2 10 hectares and over | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5.3 3 hectares and over | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5.4 1 hectare and over | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6 LANDSCAPE ENHANCEMENT (you may tick only one box) | | | |
| 6.1 Within national Park or AONB, and meeting their landscape guidelines | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6.2 Proposals contribute to the restoration of a designed landscape | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6.3 Proposals demonstrate an identified landscape improvement | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7 REGIONAL PRIORITY (tick if applicable) | | | |
| 7.1 Woodland within LA district where woodland cover is less than the average for England | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7.2 Woodland within South East Region's Quality of Place Target Areas offering permissive public access | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7.3 Woodland that offers permissive public access is within 10 minutes walking distance of a community, bus stop or railway station | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7.4 Woodland within a 'growth area' (Thames Gateway, Ashford & Milton Keynes) | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Total Score: | | <input type="text"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |