

Wildlife conservation



Service summary:

We co-ordinate a wildlife conservation action plan in partnership with a number of local and national organisations for the North Somerset district, called Action for Nature – the North Somerset Biodiversity Action Plan.

We aim to conserve and enhance the wildlife habitats that are important in the North Somerset district – both on council owned land but also through working in partnership with communities, local landowners and partner organisations.

We will:

- aim to provide advice and assistance to landowners of wildlife sites (wildlife sites contain wildlife habitats of local importance and have been designated within the Local Plan)
- seek to work with local people and groups to enhance the wildlife habitats on council-owned land to meet our biodiversity duty under the Natural Environment & Rural Communities Act 2006

You can help by:

- identifying opportunities to help wildlife where you live or work. For example, you may garden for wildlife to enrich the wildlife networks in the area
- promoting wildlife conservation in your local community and by learning more about the rich wildlife heritage of North Somerset
- submitting records of wildlife sightings to the Bristol Regional Environmental Records Centre www.brerc.org.uk

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