

Neighbourhood: Shephall, Bandle Hill & Poplars

Site	Habitat	Owner	Action Ref	Action Description	Estimated Cost	Estimated Carbon Storage (tC)
Abbots Grove	Woodland	SBC	WO11	Thinning, ride and glade creation.	£15,000	
Aston Valley Flood Storage	Wetland	SBC / EA	WE18	Create pond-scape with EA.	TBD	
Barnwell School	Wetland	HCC	WE3	Arrange survey	n/a	
FVP Environment Lake	Wetland	SBC	WE5	Extend grass buffer. Diversify scrub management.	£1,000 / year	
FVP Main Lake	Wetland	SBC	WE4	More rafts / floating islands.	£13,000	
FVP Millennium Lake	Wetland	SBC	WE7	Extend grass buffer. Diversify scrub management.	£1,000 / year	
Great Collens Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO13	Thinning, ride and glade creation.	£30,000	1,522
Loves Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO21	Conifer removal, thinning	£35,000	941
Poplars Meadow	Grassland	SBC	GR8	Re-establish rotational hay cutting regime.	£1,300 / year	117
				Cut back scrub to create grass/scrub 'scallops'.	£1,000 / year	
Poplars Pond	Wetland	SBC/Scouts	WO8	Continue management, increase buffer zone.		
Ridlins Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO17	Continue thinning Poplars, create ponds	£50,000	2,556
Shackledell	Grassland	SBC	GR3	Continue scrub and grassland mowing regimes.	£2,000/year	282
Triangular Grassland	Grassland	SBC	GR4	Open up and cut/clear grassland.	£4,000	
Shackleton Springs	Woodland	SBC	WO20	Improve structure, remove invasive non-native species	£35,000	945
Wiltshire's Springs	Woodland	SBC	WO8	Minimal intervention in woodland, create 5m uncut buffer around wood.	£1,500	269

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Neighbourhood: Almond Hill & Bedwell

Site	Habitat	Owner	Action Ref	Action Description	Estimated Cost	Estimated Carbon Storage (tC)
Almond Springs	Woodland		WO18	Minimal intervention	£3,000	251
Monks Wood Ponds	Wetland	SBC	WE11	Continue rotational management.	£10,000	
Whomerley Wood Moat	Wetland	SBC	WE10	Open up by coppicing within boundary.	£20,000	
Monks Wood & Whomerley Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO7	Continue with coppicing, thinning, glade creation and conifer removal.	£100,000	8,953
Whomerley Wood Verge	Grassland	SBC	GR6	Continue current mowing regime.	£1,300 / year	

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Neighbourhood: Chells & Manor

Site	Habitat	Owner	Action Ref	Action Description	Estimated Cost	Estimated Carbon Storage (tC)
Ashtree Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO11	Thinning, ride and glade creation.	£60,000	
Blacknells Spring	Woodland	SBC	WO16	Minimal intervention – litter pick	£1000	223
FVP Balancing Pond	Wetland	SBC	WE6	Vegetation and scrub management.	£3,000 / biennially	
Hanging Hill Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO14	Minimal intervention in woodland, create 5m uncut buffer around wood.	£1,500	343
Pestcotts Spring	Woodland	SBC	WO12	Thinning, ride and glade creation.	£30,000	1,104

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Neighbourhood: Longmeadow & Roebuck

Site	Habitat	Owner	Action Ref	Action Description	Estimated Cost	Estimated Carbon Storage (tC)
Broadwater Marsh	Woodland	SBC	WO5	Minimal intervention	£1,500	276
Marymead Springs	Woodland	SBC	WO10	Minimal intervention – litter picking	£1000	347
Monks Wood West	Woodland	Private	WO4	Rotational coppice over 10-year period.	n/a	421
Ridlins Mire	Wetland	SBC	WE2	Rotational cutting, consider grazing	£5,000 / year	1,612
Six Hill Common	Grassland	SBC	GR5	Continue current mowing regime.	£3,000 / year	44
Stevenage Brook	Wetland	SBC / Environment Agency	WE17	Study be carried out to investigate the potential for restoration.	TBD	
Stevenage Brook Marsh	Grassland	Environment Agency	GR7	More intensive cutting and scrub management regime required.	n/a	352
Stevenage Golf Course	Grassland	SBC / Everyone Active	GR12	Initiate discussions between Golf Course, SBC and HMWT	TBD	
Towers Pond	Wetland	SBC	WE9	Rotational clearance of emergent vegetation.	£12,000	
Warren Springs	Woodland	SBC	WO6	Minimal intervention	£1,500	110

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Neighbourhood: Old Town, Symonds Green & Woodfield

Site	Habitat	Owner	Action Ref	Action Description	Estimated Cost	Estimated Carbon Storage (tC)
Fishers Green Pond	Wetland	SBC	WE13	Continue rotational management.	£1,200 / year	
Fishers Green Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO9	Potential for selected coppicing	£15,000	382
Martins Way Bank	Grassland	SBC	GR2	Scrub cutting and treatment on a 5-year rotation	£8,000 / biennially	74
St Nicholas Churchyard	Grassland	SBC	GR9	Instigate a more targeted, rotational cutting pattern.	£1,500	115
Symonds Green Common	Grassland	SBC	GR10	Maintain and refine current hay cutting and scrub management.	£1,100 / year	67
Symonds Green Ponds	Wetland	SBC	WE12	Continue rotational management.	£3,000 / year	
Whitney Drive Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO19	Minimal intervention	£1,500	149

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Neighbourhood: Martins Wood & St Nicholas

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Ascot Crescent Pond	Wetland	SBC	WE14	Continue rotational management.	£1,500 / biennially	
Martins Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO3	Introduce structural diversity through thinning, ride and glade creation.	£30,000	1,299
Sishes Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO2	Continue removing non-native species. Increase structural diversity. Mark out pathways.	£20,000	520
Wellfield Wood	Woodland	SBC	WO15	Thinning, ride and glade creation. Remove conifers. Create Halo around the Wild Service Tree	£40,000	1,685

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