

# SPRING 2 environmental protection scheme ("Scheme") application form

To qualify for the scheme we ask that you provide farm maps; all data will remain strictly confidential and will not be disclosed to any external parties; all information provided is used to determine selection in the case of oversubscription and to further improve our knowledge of the catchment.

## How to apply

For more details or to apply contact Nina Yiannoukos-Benton or Archie Humphreys

Visit our website: [www.cambridge-water.co.uk/environment/catchment-management/spring](http://www.cambridge-water.co.uk/environment/catchment-management/spring)

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## Section 1: Applicant Details

|                             |                      |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Your name:                  | <input type="text"/> |
| Farm name:                  | <input type="text"/> |
| Address:                    | <input type="text"/> |
| Postcode:                   | <input type="text"/> |
| Home Telephone No:          | <input type="text"/> |
| Mobile Telephone No:        | <input type="text"/> |
| Email Address:              | <input type="text"/> |
| Name of agronomist:         | <input type="text"/> |
| Name of agronomy company:   | <input type="text"/> |
| Agronomist contact details: | <input type="text"/> |

## Section 2: Farm Details

CPH number:

Single business identifier:

### Type of Farm Business

Tenant

Farm Manager

Landlord

Other (please specify)

Owner

### Farm Size

Total hectares farmed in the catchment

**If you are a tenant farmer; do you have management control for all on-farm improvements to be installed for the duration of SPRING?**

Yes

No

Date tenancy expires

### Farming Activity

Cereals

Root crops

Other

Oilseed Rape

Cattle

Potatoes

Dairy

### Section 3: Project Details

It is mandatory to supply a farm map and photos that show the location of the proposed work and the farm boundaries. All farmyard options require a plan or sketch detailing the proposed layout and locations of all requested items. Photos are only required to show the proposed area for improvements. Please outline farm boundary in a black marker.

Note: you could provide a copy of your Rural Land Registry map that delineates your farm boundary and further annotate this with the proposed project location(s). Please include field numbers and indicate the location on the application map; where field numbers are not available please provide a grid reference (e.g. for location of cross drains). [www.gridreferencefinder.com](http://www.gridreferencefinder.com)

### Claim for Non-Capital Items

If necessary please continue with further details on a separate sheet where there's multiple locations (field numbers and grid references) for the scheme option chosen.

| Option number | Field option                                   | Unit | SPRING rate | Total area / length / quantity | Total cost | Field numbers |
|---------------|--|------|-------------|--------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| SSW2          | 4 - 6m buffer on cultivated land               | ha   | £452.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW3          | 4 - 6m buffer on intensive grassland           | ha   | £200.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW4          | 12 - 24m watercourse buffer on cultivated land | ha   | £613.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW5          | Flower-rich margins                            | ha   | £674.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW6          | In-field grass strips                          | ha   | £560.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW7          | Beetle banks                                   | ha   | £600.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW8          | Take field corners out of management           | ha   | £400.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW9          | Wild bird seed mixture                         | ha   | £769.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW10         | Cover crops                                    | ha   | £130.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW11         | Contour cropping                               | ha   | £10.00      |                                |            |               |
| SSW14         | Arable reversion into grassland                | ha   | £326.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSW15         | Undergrown spring cereal                       | ha   | £300.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Oats, peas and vetch mix                       | ha   | £110.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Oats, peas and vetch undersown with clover     | ha   | £150.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Undersown maize                                | ha   | £120.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Low input grassland                            | ha   | £125.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Hedge laying                                   | m    | £11.00      |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Hedge planting                                 | m    | £15.00      |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Herbal ley                                     | ha   | £115.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Autumn sown annual cover                       | ha   | £500.00     |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Legume fallow                                  | ha   | £593.00     |                                |            |               |

Further requests / comments

(You can suggest your own project / options as long as it has water quality benefits)

Please use a continuation sheet and attach to this form.

## Claim for Capital Items

If necessary please continue with further details on a separate sheet where there are multiple locations (field numbers and grid references) for the scheme option chosen.

| Option number | Capital option                              | Unit             | New SPRING                | Total area / length / quantity | Total cost | Field numbers |
|---------------|---|------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|---------------|
| SSW16         | Pesticide sprayer washdown / handling area  | m <sup>2</sup>   | £40.00                    |                                |            |               |
| SSW17         | Lined biobed                                | m <sup>2</sup>   | £75.00                    |                                |            |               |
| SSW18         | Pesticide biofilter (per unit)              | per unit         | £980.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSW19         | Roofing for sprayer washdown area           | m <sup>2</sup>   | £70.00                    |                                |            |               |
| SSW21         | Post & wire (inc. fencing)                  | m                | £5.50                     |                                |            |               |
| SSW22         | Sheep netting (inc. fencing)                | m                | £7.50                     |                                |            |               |
| SSW23         | Permanent electric fencing (inc. posts)     | m                | £5.50                     |                                |            |               |
| SSW25         | Gate (inc. posts)                           | per unit         | £200.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSW26         | Gateway relocation                          | per unit         | £320.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSW27         | Resurfacing gateways (unit)                 | per unit         | £130.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSW29         | Hard bases for livestock drinkers / feeders | per unit         | £200.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSW30         | Livestock troughs                           | per unit         | £150.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSW31         | Pipework for troughs                        | m                | £2.00                     |                                |            |               |
| SSW32         | Livestock & machinery hardcore tracks       | m                | £42.00                    |                                |            |               |
| SSW33         | Cross drains                                | per unit         | £300.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSW34         | Installation of piped culverts in ditches   | per unit         | £350.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSW35         | Rainwater goods                             | m                | £12.00                    |                                |            |               |
| SSW37         | Check dams                                  | per unit         | £42.00                    |                                |            |               |
| SSW40         | Coppice trees                               | per unit         | £25.00                    |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Farmland bird feeder                        | per unit         | £30.00                    |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Concrete                                    | m <sup>2</sup>   | £30<br>(capped at £4,000) |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Soakaway gateway                            | per unit         | £400.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Soakaway gateway double                     | per unit         | £750.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Above ground tank                           | m <sup>3</sup>   | £115.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Below ground tank                           | m <sup>3</sup>   | £350.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | First flush diverter                        | per unit         | £170.00                   |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Soil testing                                | Based on a quote |                           |                                |            |               |
| SSWSPL        | Callibration                                | Based on a quote |                           |                                |            |               |

## Section 4: Consents and Permissions

### A - Is the proposed work within close vicinity to a watercourse?

Yes     No

(i) If yes, have you contacted the Environment Agency/Local Flood Authority for advice?

Yes     No

By ticking no, you are declaring that no written consent is required.

(ii) From the advice sought, do you require a permit?

Yes     No

If yes, please ensure written consent is enclosed as part of this application.

### B - Is planning permission required?

Yes     No

If yes, please ensure a copy of planning permission is available if requested.

### C - Is the proposed work located within A Site of Special Scientific Interest?

Yes     No

If yes, please ensure written consent is enclosed as part of this application.

### D - Does your work pose potential discharge risks from pesticides to surface or groundwater?

Yes     No

(i) If yes, have you contacted the Environment Agency/Local Flood Authority for advice?

Yes     No

By ticking no, you are declaring that no written consent is required.

(ii) From the advice sought, do you require an Environmental Permit or Exemption under the Environmental Permitting Regulations (2010)?

Yes     No

If yes, please ensure written consent is enclosed as part of this application.

### E - Have you obtained a grant from South Staffs Water before?

Yes     No

(i) Have you obtained grants from another organisation (CSF, Natural England, Wildlife Trust, etc)?

Yes     No

If yes, please notify your South Staffs Water Catchment Advisor in order to avoid potential issues of dual funding. And please provide the scheme number:

(ii) Are you applying for an item to replace an expired HLS or ELS option?

Yes     No

If yes, please provide details of this with accompanying evidence that the agreement has ended.

## Section 5: Declarations

By signing this form I understand that I am accepting and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of the Scheme.

PLEASE TICK AND SIGN DECLARATION

- All information I have supplied in this form is correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I have read and agree to the terms and conditions of the Scheme.
- I understand that I am responsible for pursuing and obtaining all necessary permissions, consents, permits or approvals from the relevant bodies and authorities for the work itemised as part of this application.
- I understand work carried out under the Scheme must comply with all relevant health and safety legislation.
- I have read and understand the obligations put upon me under the Scheme.
- I understand that I am not able to claim for an option payment under the Scheme where payment is already being received from another source (known as dual funding) e.g. an existing Environmental Stewardship scheme.
- I understand that this application and any subsequent offers of grant are only in respect of the funding of the project and do not confer any other approvals.
- I agree to South Staffs Water contacting me using any of the contact details provided in Section 1 in relation to my application and the administration of the Scheme.

If you would like to be contacted by South Staffs Water in relation to any other catchment events and promotions, please tick the methods of communication you are happy to receive:

- Post     Phone     Email

You may opt-out of receiving such communication at any time. To do so, please contact Nina Yiannoukos-Benton (details above).

- I understand that South Staffs Water will process my information in accordance with the South Staffs Water's privacy policy (available at [www.south-staffs-water.co.uk/privacy-cookie-policy](http://www.south-staffs-water.co.uk/privacy-cookie-policy)) for the purposes of assessing my application and administering the Scheme.
- By completing and signing this form, I confirm that where third party information is provided, I have obtained express consent from the third party that their information will be shared with South Staffs Water and processed in accordance with South Staffs Water's privacy policy.

**All applicants are required to sign this declaration; landlords, please ensure that both you and your tenant(s) have signed this form.**

Signed ..... Date.....

Print name .....

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**The submission of false or misleading information or statements may lead to disqualification and/or liability to refund any grant payments obtained through the Scheme.**

## Payment Details

Payee Name .....

Sort Code:  -  -

Account Number: