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Enc vi) Support for Tree Planting in your Parish

Dear Colleague,

Please see below, a message which I have been asked by our Great Northumberland Forest Team to send to all local councils in the County. Please direct all correspondence to them via

enquiries.forest@northumberland.gov.uk

Support for Tree Planting in your Parish

We are writing on behalf of Northumberland County Council and the Forestry Commission which is inviting applications for tree planting in parish councils.

The grant is called the Local Authority Treescapes Fund. It allows for the planting of new trees for all parishes in the county. The fund supports both new woodland which is not part of existing woodland (up to 0.5 hectares) and also supports the replacement of trees which have been damaged or lost. Applications to this fund need to be co-ordinated by Northumberland County Council.

If you think your parish would like to make an application, please contact us at enquiries.forest@northumberland.gov.uk and we will take you through the necessary steps. Please contact us no later than Thursday 5th May 2022. As it takes several weeks to gather the relevant information for the application, it is best to contact us as soon as you are able; you can contact us to register interest without obligation.

With best wishes,

The Great Northumberland Forest Team

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