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LIFE preparatory projects explained

Several new types of LIFE project have been launched as part of the LIFE programme for 2014-2020, including preparatory projects.

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First projects revealed

The first preparatory projects to be awarded grants were unveiled earlier this year. 'EuroSAP' (LIFE14 PRE/UK/000002) and 'LIFE European Red Lists' (LIFE14 PRE/BE/000001) will support the implementation of EU Nature policy.

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Featured video

The **Return of the Neophron (LIFE10 NAT/BG/000152)** LIFE project seeks to secure the protection of all the remaining pairs of Egyptian vultures (*Neophron percnopterus*) found in 15 Natura 2000 sites in Greece and in 12 sites in Bulgaria.

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS

18-19 May	LIFE Nature Platform Meeting on wildlife poisoning	Gembloux, Belgium
19-20 May	Crops for better soil: final conference	Athens, Greece
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21 May	Celebrating Natura 2000 Day in May 2016	Brussels & across Europe
23 May	Beyond Wood - forest ecosystems services policy conference	Brussels, Belgium
23-25 May	Meet LIFE at the 3rd Symposium on Urban Mining and Circular Economy	Bergamo, Italy
24-25 May	UK Water Platform Meeting	Manchester, UK

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

04 April **European Commission visits LIFE project on urban congestion**

06 April **Vote for your favourite LIFE Environment project!**

7 April **Call for Natura 2000 ecosystem restoration evidence**

14 April **New communication tools for all LIFE projects**

15 April **Vote now for your favourite Natura 2000 project**

18 April **LIFE Nature Platform Meeting on wildlife poisoning**

19 April **LIFE Best Awards at Green Week**


26 April **Greek olive crop and climate change project gets national attention**


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