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Our target groups

We are pleased to be able to work with committed stakeholders at various levels. Here are a few examples:

Agriculture with arable farming, animal husbandry, fruit, wine and vegetable growing as well as the food sector:

for example, in the EU project LIFE AgriAdapt, in which we provide agricultural information on climate change and sustainable climate change adaptation in a suitable manner.

Municipalities, districts and authorities:

for example, in the Interreg project "Zukunftsgrün", in which we support cities and municipalities in preparing for the future using synergies between climate protection, climate change adaptation and biodiversity.

Companies – regardless of the sector:

for example, in the project "Unternehmen Biologische Vielfalt" (UBI), in which we support companies in their commitment to biodiversity.

Citizens;

for example, in the training of volunteers to become so called flowering ambassadors.

Educational institutions and children's and youth facilities;

for example, in the "Flower Kids" project, in which we offer sustainable education programs.

Gardening and landscaping, energy consultants, solar installers and roofers:

for example, with the cross-trade training course on the construction of solar green roof combinations, which we are developing with partners as part of WEITER.mit.BILDUNG@BW.

Energy cooperatives and municipal utilities;

for example, in the "SocialRES" project, in which we supported regional energy cooperatives across Europe in developing new business models and learning with and from each other.





Lake Constance Foundation

For the protection of the environment,

climate, and nature – regionally,

nationally and internationally

Who we are and what makes us special

- We are around 20 experts from various disciplines, technically adept, creative and strong in implementation.
- We initiate and test practical strategies for greater sustainability as well as environmental and nature conservation in projects together with partners.
- We work together with stakeholders from business, public administrations, municipalities, politics, and interest groups.
- We work on transferable and scalable solutions with a long-term perspective.
- We have profound expertise, many years of experience and a close network.
- We value constructive cooperation on an equal footing.
- We are financed by public and private project funds and are not bound by political guidelines.

Our roots

The Lake Constance Foundation was founded in 1994 by six environmental and nature conservation associations from the three countries bordering Lake Constance:

- Pro Natura Schweiz
- World Wide Fund for Nature Schweiz (WWF)
- Österreichischer Naturschutzbund (ÖNB)
- Naturschutzbund Deutschland (NABU)
- Bund für Umwelt und Naturschutz Deutschland (BUND)
- Deutsche Umwelthilfe (DUH)

All donor associations are represented on the Board of the Lake Constance Foundation.

Our fields of action



We advise various stakeholders on their contribution to the implementation of the energy transition.

With focus on: Nature conservation in the energy transition, acceptance and participation, social innovation, technology promotion in the electricity and heat transition, resource management and climate protection.



Agriculture & the Food Sector

Together with partners from agriculture, the food sector and nature conservation, we launch initiatives and projects

- for significantly more climate protection, biodiversity, better climate change adaptation and fair markets. All-round sustainable food systems are our goal.



Nature and Water Conservation

Experience, love and protect nature: We bring citizens closer to local nature and its diversity and show them how to conserve it with our projects.

With focus on: Protecting lakes from micropollution, knowledge transfer in the international Living Lakes network, programs for sustainable education and concepts for nature-friendly recreational use of the forest.



Companies are dependent on biodiversity. At the same time, economic activities have a wide range of impacts on biodiversity.

Business &

Biodiversitv

Together with the business community, we develop pragmatic approaches and engage in social debates on how the sustainable use and protection of biodiversity can succeed.



What we have already achieved – a selection:

• Founding member of the "Living Lakes" network with currently 113 lakes worldwide

• Founding of the "Bioenergieregion Bodensee" as a milestone in the regional energy transition

• Promotion of more than 500 hectares of flowering areas for wild bees and other insects

• Supporting the semi-natural design of more than 100 company premises

• Advising 126 pilot farms on sustainable adaptation to climate change

• Climate protection advice for several hundred farms and cooperation with dairies that are committed to greater climate protection on their supplier farms

• Training 55 interested people as so called flowering ambassadors

 Renaturation or creation of 130 small bodies of water in the Lake Constance region

> In total, we have implemented 80 projects

with a volume of around

40 Millionen

euros in our 30 years of existence