

NORTHERN UPLAND CHAIN
Local Nature Partnership

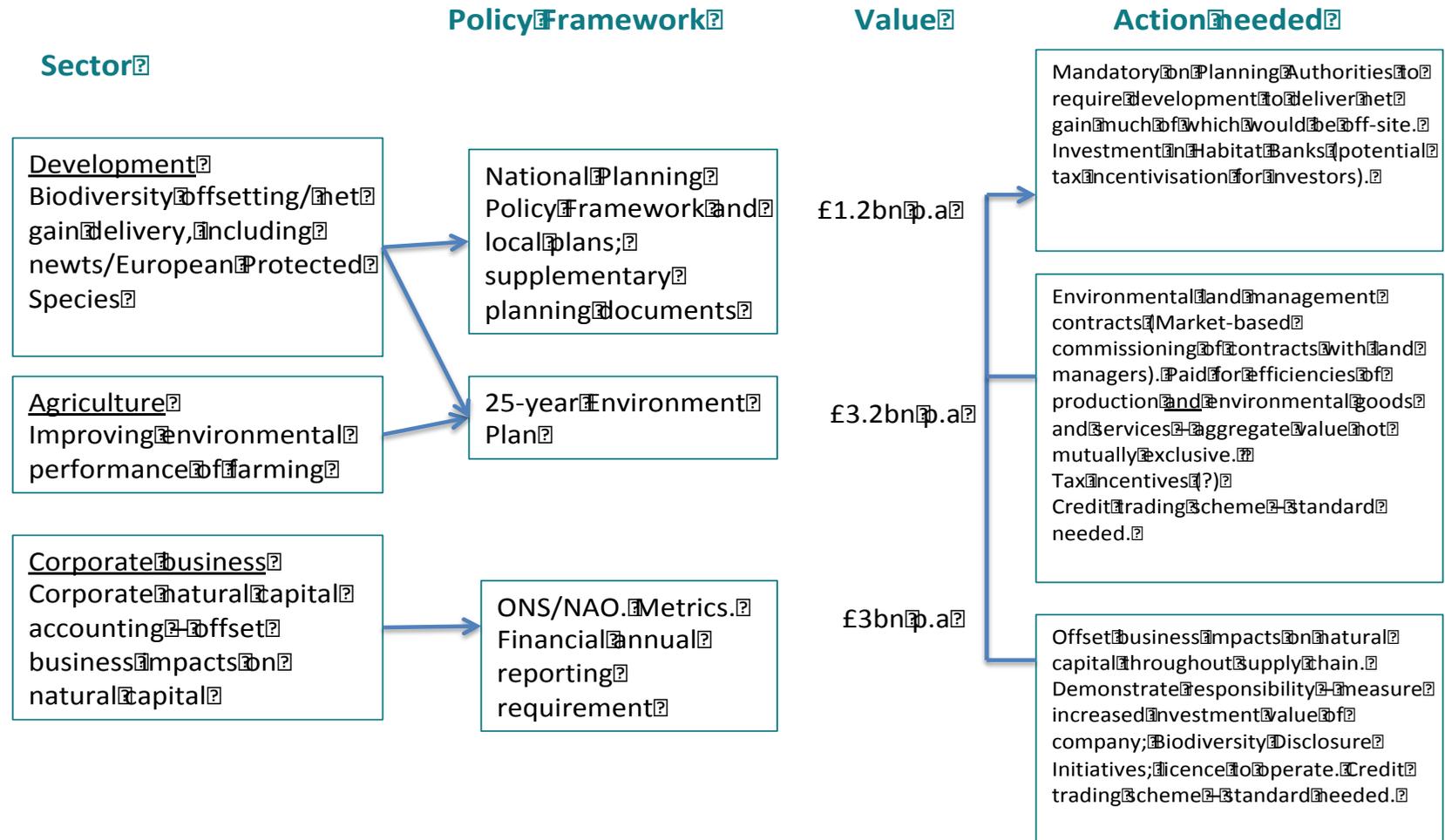


ANNUAL FORUM NATURE RECOVERY

Traditional funding

Aggregate membership 17 conservation bodies	7.3 million	Latest reports 2015-2017
NGO income	£979m	Latest reports 2015-2017
NGO staff numbers	14,800	Latest reports 2015-2017
NGO spending on biodiversity in England	£372m	Latest reports 2015-2017
Govt. spending on biodiversity in England	£384m	2013/14

The Restoration Economy



What the Restoration Economy could achieve for the Nature Recovery Network

Cost of 40ha high quality mosaic grassland habitat bank – creation and 30yr management	£1.585m
Value of fund from Environmental Land Management contracts	£3.6bn
Value of fund from net gain/offsetting (NG)	£1.2bn
Value of fund from corporate natural capital accounting (CNCA)	£3.0bn
Area of land restored through habitat banking (exc. CNCA and NG)	90,850 ha/yr
Time to deliver Nature Recovery Network (exc. CNCA and NG)	5.5 years
Area of land restored through habitat banking (inc. CNCA and NG)	196,845 ha/yr
Time to deliver Nature Recovery Network (inc. CNCA and NG)	2.5 years

Issues and barriers

- Mindset of the conservation sector
- We cant do anything until we have the maps and spatial plans
- Access to land
- Access to finance
- Cultural change – the economics will drive that
- We will only deliver nature recovery if the major part is played by the private sector

Suggestions for Groups

1. How do we get the levels of woodland creation/re-generation needed to respond to the climate emergency without jeopardizing nature recovery?
2. What does 'farming for nature recovery' look like and how do we best help farmers to make the transition?
3. Who pays for nature recovery?
4. Everyone agrees that we need to restore all our upland peat – how can we speed up that process?
5. How do we 'sell' the value of nature recovery in the Northern Upland Chain to the public? Whose responsibility is it?