



Design considerations: ensuring environmental net gain delivers real environmental benefits

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The opportunity

Can this:



= £££ for:





The Risk

Or is it a licence to trash?





Key Design Requirements

1. Biodiversity net gain must be a pre-requisite.
2. Must adhere to mitigation hierarchy.
3. Robust baseline and metrics.
4. A decent multiplier.
5. Proper monitoring and evaluation.
6. Real additionality.
7. Delivered in perpetuity.
8. Embedded in an appropriate governance framework - resources allocated to society's priorities.
9. Informed by a comprehensive spatial planning process.
10. Improved ecological expertise for local authorities.



Thank you

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