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Mr. András Bankovics
Kiskunsági National Park Directorate
Liszt Ferenc u. 19.
6000 Kecskemét
Hungary

Subject: Proposal LIFE12 NAT/HU/001188
"Restoration of pannonic sodic wetlands in the Kiskunság"

Dear Mr Bankovics,

I am happy to confirm that the grant you have requested to support the above project is definitively approved.

You will find enclosed a signed original of the grant agreement which will form the basis for the completion of the project.

The first prefinancing payment of the maximum allowable amount of grant will soon be paid.

I wish you success with your project and look forward to a fruitful collaboration.

Yours sincerely,

Angelo SALSI

Enclosure : signed grant agreement



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NOTE TO LIFE BENEFICIARIES ON COMMUNICATION AND DISSEMINATION
(Please transmit to the project coordinator)

The dissemination of LIFE and the results of LIFE projects is central to the success of our programme. The more a project makes itself known to its stakeholders, local and otherwise, the better your chance of achieving your objectives.

As part of our support to your efforts to communicate the work you are doing for nature and for the environment, I am pleased to enclose* a LIFE flag, some LIFE bookmarks, LIFE stickers, Natura 2000 stickers (if you are a Nature project), a LIFE bag, pencil and post-it. There are various other LIFE products which you might find useful, such as the screen saver, communication factsheets and the various LIFE focus brochures (Nature brochures, Environment brochures). I also invite you to refresh your acquaintance with the LIFE web site and its many chapters and sections and in particular the communication toolkit. You should also receive the LIFE newsletter sent electronically every month.

Should you be organising an event, we can send you free of charge specific LIFE brochures (subject to availability), bookmarks (up to 500), stickers and flags (subject to availability). Please send your request at least a month in advance to ENV-LIFE-COMM@ec.europa.eu, specifying exactly how many of which product you would like to receive and the postal address to which they should be sent. You may also wish to advertise your event in the events section of the LIFE web site.

With the help of our external communication team AEIDL we are doing as much as we can to make LIFE and its exceptionally creative and fruitful projects both better known and better used. However, it is the combined efforts of the 1100+ open LIFE projects that is the real driving force of LIFE dissemination. It is your work that is making the difference.

Angelo SALSI

Hervé MARTIN

Enclosure: Communication materials

* This note is sent by post and via eProposal so that you can access the web-site links referred to directly.

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GRANT AGREEMENT



LIFE12 NAT/HU/001188
Restoration of pannonic sodic wetlands in
the Kiskunság



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GRANT AGREEMENT

AGREEMENT NUMBER LIFE12 NAT/HU/001188

The European Union ("the Union"), represented by the European Commission ("the Commission"), itself represented for the purposes of signature of this agreement by Mr. Angelo SALSI, Head of Unit, DG Environment,

of the one part,

and

Kiskunsági National Park Directorate
Liszt Ferenc u. 19.
6000 Kecskemét
Hungary

("the co-ordinating beneficiary"), represented for the purposes of signature of this agreement by Mr. Emil BOROS, Director,

and the following "associated beneficiaries":

- Kiskunság Society for Protection of Birds, established in Hungary
- Dunatáj Public Foundation, established in Hungary

who have conferred powers of attorney for the purposes of the signature of the agreement to the representative of the co-ordinating beneficiary

of the other part,

HAVE AGREED

The **special provisions** and **common provisions** set out below and the following **Annexes**:

- Annex I** Description of the proposal
- Annex II** Standard statement of expenditure
<http://ec.europa.eu/environment/life/toolkit/pmtools/lifeplus/reporting.htm>
- Annex III** LIFE logo
<http://ec.europa.eu/environment/life/toolkit/comtools/resources/logos.htm>
- Annex IV** Natura 2000 logo
<http://ec.europa.eu/environment/life/toolkit/comtools/resources/logos.htm>
- Annex V** Standard audit report
<http://ec.europa.eu/environment/life/toolkit/pmtools/lifeplus/reporting.htm>
- Annex VI** Financial identification of the co-ordinating beneficiary
http://ec.europa.eu/budget/contracts_grants/info_contracts/financial_id/financial_id_en.cfm

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SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Article 1

Financial support from Regulation (EC) N° 614/2007 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 May 2007 concerning the Financial Instrument for the Environment (LIFE+) is hereby granted to project proposal No LIFE12 NAT/HU/001188, title: "Restoration of pannonic sodic wetlands in the Kiskunság", received on 16.05.2013, ("the project") as described in Annex I. The grant is governed by the terms and conditions set out in the Special Provisions, the Common Provisions and the annexes to the agreement which the coordinating beneficiary hereby declares that he has taken note of and accepts.

Two identical copies of the grant agreement have been produced, each signed by the co-ordinating beneficiary.

The co-ordinating beneficiary accepts the grant and undertakes to do everything in its power to carry out the project, as described in Annex I, acting on its own responsibility.

Article 2

This agreement shall enter into force on the date when the last of the two parties signs.

The project shall run from 01.10.2013 to 30.06.2019.

The total cost of the project is estimated at € 7,199,323, as shown in the provisional budget in Annex I. The provisional budget shall give a detailed breakdown of the costs that are eligible for the Union funding under the terms of Article 24 of the Common Provisions as well as the breakdown of all sources of finance. The financial support from the Union is hereby set at 75 % of the total eligible cost mentioned in Annex I with a maximum € 5,399,492. The final amount of the grant is determined as defined in Article 28 of the Common Provisions.

Article 3

Done at Brussels in two copies, on 06 SEP. 2013

For the coordinating beneficiary,


Emil BOROS
Director



For the Commission,


Angelo SALSI
Head of Unit