Spotlight on... Greening Our Communities

The Greening Our Communities Fund has been getting people up and down the county to take action against the climate crisis in their local area. Whether they are rewilding their environment, investing in green infrastructure, engaging people with growing projects or protecting local wildlife, community groups have been



empowering themselves to stand against climate change, habitat destruction and global emissions in a way that matters to them.

Global climate change will disproportionately affect the most vulnerable in society. At Norfolk Community Foundation, we believe

that by thinking globally and acting locally, we can all do our bit to combat the climate crisis.

Together, Norfolk shines brighter.

£20k given to improve energy efficiency

7 rewilding projects



30,000+ people

in Norfolk got to engage with nature, combat climate change, or enjoy a green space

12 projects got a total of **2,100+**

people growing fruit and veg





Edgefield Parochial Church Council worked with **About With Friends** to create bird and bug hotels to increase the biodiversity of the local area. They are now one of only 4 churches in Norfolk to have achieved a Silver Eco Church Award.

iFarm engaged their local community in a gardening and agricultural project. As well as learning new skills, local people are getting a whole host of health benefits, from healthy produce to physical exercise. Works will also prevent future ground erosion, preserving the local environment around Blo Norton.

awarded since 2021





Buildings can cut emissions by being more energy efficient. **Banningham and Colby Community Hall** installed cavity wall insulation, and has made their building more welcoming to parishioners, slashed their energy usage, and cut carbon emissions.



Norfolk African Community Association provided 30 weeks of horticultural training to children and parents. They inspired families to explore organic farming practices, giving the chance to grow, cook and eat healthy, organic produce.

This project has helped 28 people to develop an interest in gardening as well as giving them the opportunity to work in nature and care for the environment.

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