

Restoring Europe's Rivers

RESTORE

Introduction to handbook: expanding & improving information on river restoration

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Outline - dissemination of knowledge

- ➔ To support delivery of river restoration activities across Europe.
- ➔ Handbook will be shaped by practitioners, policy makers and planners.
- ➔ Accessible, relevant, informative



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➔ We know that river restoration has benefits

➔ What do you need more information on

➔ Social benefits?

➔ Economic?

➔ Environmental?



Before



After

➔ What do people need to deliver river restoration or influence others to deliver river restoration?

➔ Is it technical? Is it how to catchment plan? Is it lessons learnt?



Objectives

- ➔ We do not want to just produce another list of case studies. This type of information is already available.
- ➔ We need to provide basic technical information with links to further information.
- ➔ We do want to highlight the importance of best practices and benefits associated with each RESTORE theme for effective river restoration.
- ➔ Give enough information for people who are not river restoration practitioners to enable them to start to implement.

QUESTIONS

- ➔ Would this be useful?
- ➔ What type of information?
- ➔ Who should we aim the handbook at?
- ➔ How detailed?
- ➔ Do you have any unusual case studies/ lessons learnt

