

Biodiversity Net Gain (BNG) Small Sites Metric Plan

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It is proposed that biodiversity net gain (BNG) for the offsetting of the construction of a new above ground slurry tank at Greensyke Farm is done in the corner of a nearby field.

The site of the new slurry tank (NY0720 4165) is currently managed as modified grass (rated as 'poor' quality), it is proposed that the offsetting site (NY0620 7970) which is also managed as modified grass is used and that an area of equal size to the new slurry tank site is enhanced to the state of enhanced modified grassland: wildflower meadow (rated as 'good' quality). This on-site enhancement would provide the biodiversity net gain required to offset the works.



Figure 1 - Farm plan identifying the site of the new slurry store and site of the BNG



Figure 2 - Site of new slurry tank



Figure 3 - Site of BNG, before net gain



Figure 4 - Site of BNG, after net gain