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## LIFE supports EU's ecosystem services

A LIFE platform meeting in Estonia looked at ecosystem services and how to incorporate them into decision-making, to help stop biodiversity loss in Europe.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

02 June **LIFE platform meeting identifies best practices for ecosystem services**

07 June **Swedish LIFE project wins Green Award at Green Week**

06 June **LIFEnews N° 05/17**

09 June **New publication: LIFE and coastal habitats**

13 June **Commission workshop on climate action in agriculture and forestry**

14 June **It's twins! LIFE reintroduced lynx gives birth in the Palatinat Forest**

22 June **LIFE conference explores private funding options for Natura 2000 network**

27 June **MoorLIFE2020 campaign brings moorland experience to local towns**

29 June **The LIFE programme wins Andalusian Environment Awards 2017**

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## LIFE projects' experiences to feed into guidance on ecosystem services

The 'COSTING THE EARTH?' platform meeting gave LIFE projects the opportunity to share their experiences with defining, mapping and assessing ecosystem services and discuss how to inform policy in this area.

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## Featured Video

We proudly present our new short film, 'Science at the service of ecosystems'. Freshwater pearl mussels are very important players in river ecosystems. Professor Jouni Taskinen is heading a team working to breed and hopefully reintroduce this endangered species to some of Finland's rivers.

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## FORTHCOMING EVENTS

06-07 July	<b>International Water Conference Blues in the Marshes 2017</b>	AA Vught, the Netherlands
06-07 July	<b>International meeting on the conservation of high mountain lakes</b>	Ceresole Reale, Italy
11-12 July	<b>International conference on conservation and management of priority wetland habitats</b>	Riga, Latvia
30 August-01 September	<b>oLIVE CLIMA international conference on Climate Changing Agriculture</b>	Barcelona, Spain

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