

Reforestation and Restoring Soto del Salz, Zaragoza, Spain

Location	Zuera, Zaragoza (España)
Type of Project	Reforestation – Restoring the Ribera Forest
Type of verification	ISO 14064:2 siguiendo VCS (en proceso)
Price per ton	35

The aim of the Project consists on reforestation with local species the land of the old garden center of the Aragon Government, located on the banks of the river Gállego, in the township of Zuera, province of Zaragoza (40 km from the capital). The land of the garden center has a total of 20ha, and our aim is to reforest 9.97 ha

Remarkable Aspects of the Project:

Socioeconomic Impact

The Project generates employment opportunities for locals: plantation, preservation and watering of the trees

The Project will restore an abandoned region that will be used by the neighbours of the nearby towns to practice recreational activities (walks, pilgrimages, etc)

Environmental Impact

The Project will ecologically increase the value of that territory, taking into account its strategic location in the Gállego corridor within the area Red Natura 2000 (LIC Bajo Gállego)

The Project will increase the habitat of local species such as the black poplar (*Populus alba*) or the willow (*Salix alba*), or species of high wildlife interest such as the otter (*Lutra lutra*), the red kite (*Milvus milvus*), the Mediterranean turtle (*Mauremys leprosa*), the European pond turtle (*Emys orbicularis*) or the South West European nase (*Parachondrostoma toxostoma*), among others.