



European Landscape ConventionLandscape Award of the Council of Europe

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On 14 October 2015, the Committee of Ministers of the Council of Europe acknowledged and praised the great value of the project and recommended making it well-known to the general public for its exemplary value, and as a source of inspiration.

Biodiversity and Natural Resources Management in the Camili Basin

Camili Environmental Protection and Development Association, Turkey

As a result of the project, an inter-sectoral, participatory and sustainable management plan has been prepared and is being implemented. Training, education and awareness-raising programmes have also been carried out for local people and schoolchildren. In addition, technical and financial assistance has been provided to involve the local population in the landscape-related projects, offering new economic prospects. The project illustrates how the precautionary management of natural resources and biodiversity contributes positively to enhancing the landscape, which is considered an essential component of people's surroundings.

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Thorbjørn Jagland, Secretary General