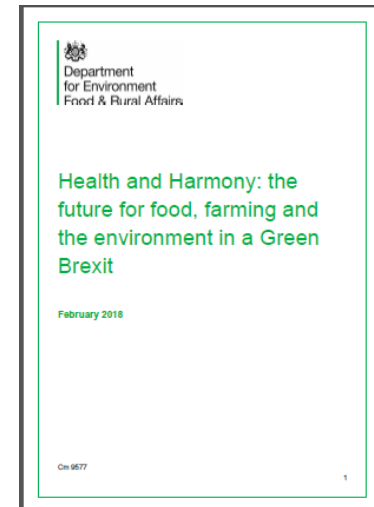


# White Peak Pilot - Background



- “Farming in the English National Parks” Policy Discussion Paper.
- Peak District National Park Management Plan
- Peak District Land Manager’s Forum – Brexit Task & Finish Group
  - Agree principles for future support system post Brexit
  - White Peak Pilot to put principles into practice
  - Health & Harmony Consultation – Peak District response
- White Peak Partnership – Brexit Task & Finish Group



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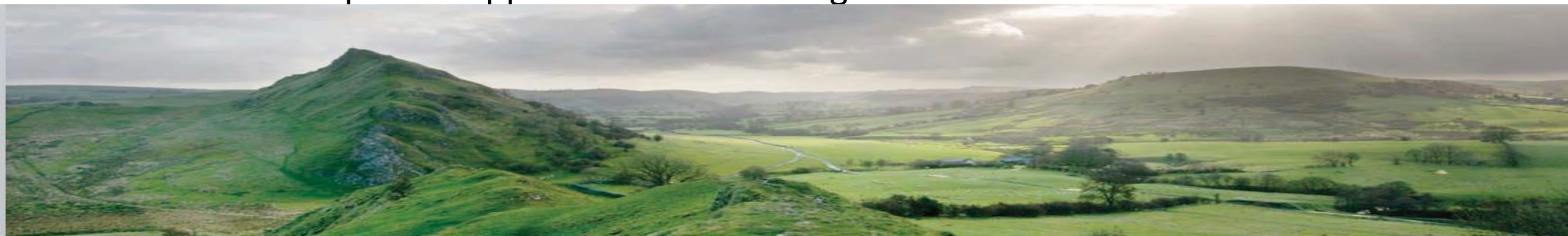


- 25 Year Environment Plan
- Defra invitation to National Park Authorities & others for pilot ideas
- Defra Environmental Land Management Scheme Programme Board
- Defra Tests, Trials and Pilots Group – more than 100 submissions
  - National pilots
    - Payment by Results (Yorkshire Dales, Norfolk),
    - Cumbria and North Devon Pioneers
  - Next phase of selection – October/November
- Agriculture Bill



# White Peak Pilot - Principles

- Sustainable model delivering for the economy, environment (natural & cultural) & community
- Co-design – farmers, land managers & organisations
- Outcome focus
- National framework with flexibility for local delivery
- Resilient nature recovery networks
- Proper reward for the delivery of public goods
- Land management plans
- Increase public support & understanding

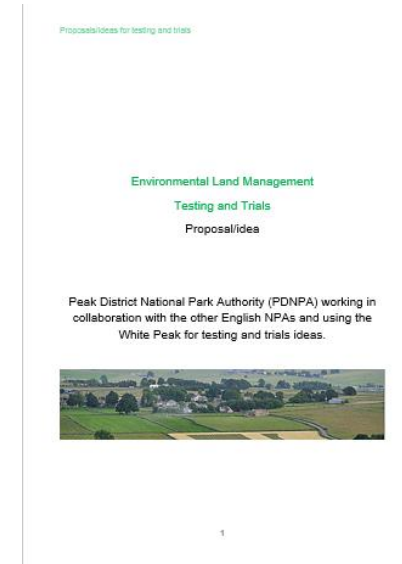


# White Peak Pilot - Defra pro forma

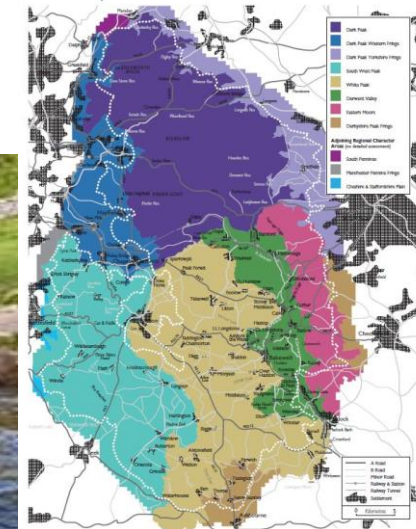


## Tests, Trial & Pilot Ideas

- National approach with local flexibility - National Character Areas
- Land Management plan - natural & cultural assets (MAGIC, HBSMR)
- Proper reward for delivery of public goods – income forgone or new method of calculating payments?
- Nature recovery network – opportunity mapping and NE evidence – retain, enhance and create species rich grassland in the right places
- Understanding/looking after/valuing cultural heritage – Wall Pilot.



Landscape Character Areas



# White Peak Pilot



## Tests, Trails & Pilot Ideas (2)

- Connections across the improved plateau linking fragmented habitats
  - pollinator buffers along walls/access routes and/or pockets
  - in field/boundary trees particularly in mitigation of Ash Die-back
  - great crested newt ponds
- Assess water vulnerable zones and soil health on the plateau.
- Soil health assessment – carbon and water benefits?
- Use of PDNPA Land Management Grant Scheme to test/trail
- Consultancy brief – what would payments need to be?

