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ACTION B.2.

Increased basis

Knowledge of the blue matrix

Improved knowledge of the blue matrix (rivers and moist environments). In order to conduct a study of the state of interrelation between the river communities and riparian communities, has been charged with Seo BirdLife other previous report evaluating the situation of plant communities, using for diagnosis of the different species birds as bioindicators. The values and conclusions contribution this first study will have a rough idea of what the status of plant communities.

ACTION B.3.

Improving connectivity matrix Blue

1. **Bruil Park.** It has developed a project to promote the integration of Huerva River in Bruil park project is now under citizen participation.
2. **Recovery Ebro / Gallego connectivity.** The objective of this action is to retrieve the longitudinal connectivity of river corridors (pedestrians and cyclists) between the mouth of the river Gallego and left bank of the Ebro. It works on the design of these spaces and their connection with the GR99 on the road the Alfranca.

ACTION B.4.

Improving the ecological status of the blue matrix: banks of the Rio Gallego

Ecological restoration of the Peña del Cuervo. On the left bank of the river Gallego a vertical cut carved by the river on the terrace level is located. Part of the Site of Community Importance (SCI) 'Under Gallego', considered Fluvial Interesting point. The basic principles of intervention are:

1. Riparian forest regeneration: clearings, afforestation, removal of diseased and dead feet, etc.
2. New plantings adapted to current conditions on the river bank.
3. Provision of new services: access, furniture, etc.
4. Design of various leisure and recreation.

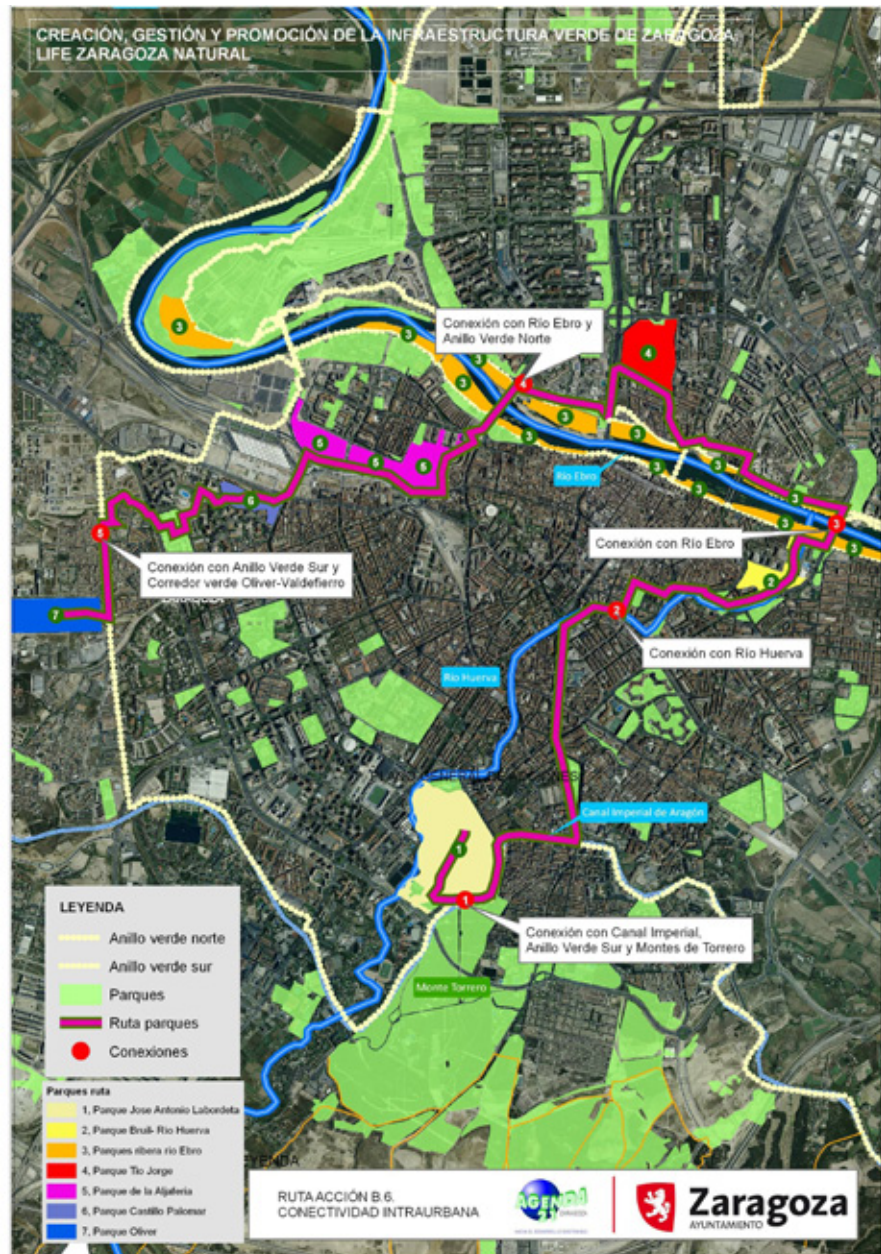


Peña del Cuervo

ACTION B.6.

Improving connectivity of green infrastructure

Zaragoza has an extensive network of parks, gardens and green areas, which include the Parque José Antonio Labordeta and Water Park Luis Buñuel. The goal is to unite all these elements through streets / roads and wooded parkland, creating a network of sites and connectors that join and invite to walk and sustainable mobility. The structure of the paper includes a preliminary study of all possible options to make these green corridors; will be installed after the final route information panels, advertising panels and other elements of signage, to disseminate this information to the public and facilitate their understanding and use.



Plan de conectividad de la matriz verde

ACTION B.7.

Improve the ecological state of the green matrix

This action is divided into two phases.

1. Forest Plan guidelines Torrero. The project aims at an early stage is drafting a document that characterizes the mass, both from a strictly forest-silvicultural view and from the point of view of Mount as a provider of ecosystem services. In particular with regard to the intensity of public use.
2. there will diagnose the forest that, in a second phase, allows addressing decision for management and handling. And later a Forest Plan Guidelines, involving action to overcome the ecological situation of apparent stagnation in the pine forest of *Pinus halepensis* that populates Mount Torrero is, and get natural regeneration and diversification of the mass.



Monte de Torrero

ACTION B.10.

Campaign promoting civic environment Zaragoza

The action is conceived as an action that can actively improve the perception and knowledge of the natural environment of Zaragoza by its citizens, both from the point of view and from recreational education, including environmental aspects at this point, but also cultural, and awareness of the economic potential of these spaces.

To do the following tasks will be undertaken:

1. Travelling exhibition on Zaragoza ecosystems. Action B.10.1.
2. Design and production teacher book and note "Natural Zaragoza School Life". B.10.2 action.
3. Webcams and digital displays. Action B.10.4.

4. Photo Contest and creative nature. Action B.10.6. The contest rules were approved on November 3 by the Minister of Culture, Education and Environment of the City of Zaragoza, Jerónimo Blasco. The contest was launched the following day. 94 participants have registered and between 16 and 31 December provides for the publication of winners and awards. A selection of images in the contest participants will also expose from those days in the Ebro Environmental Center.
5. Photographic services. Bank photographs.
6. Editing and assembling video 'Life Experiences Natural Zaragoza'.



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Shares monitoring of project impact (type C shares)

ACTION C.3.

Follow the socioeconomic impact of the project

Perception and citizen awareness of green infrastructure and monitoring of socioeconomic impact. Action C3. Evaluate the possible change in the perception of citizens of Zaragoza regarding natural spaces through two rounds of surveys. By specific questions, the needs of citizens, which in this environment could be met with generating business activities related to leisure, sports, education, tourism will be pressed. etc. As a result, they must be identified opportunities to generate new businesses and quantify their potential contribution to employment.

Monitoring and promotion of Life projects

Evaluation meetings and balance

The last October 25 and November 5 meeting each project monitoring Life Huertas km 0 and Life Natural Zaragoza, in the Documentation Centre of Water and Environmental Center held Ebro.



The City of Zaragoza in 2014 with CONAMA Life Projects

Between 24 and 27 November the National Environment Conference (CONAMA 2014), which was attended by a representative of the City of Zaragoza with a stand to present the projects Life Huertas km 0 and Life was held at the Palacio de Congresos de Madrid Natural Zaragoza. Information, activities and developments that were generated in this forum will be the subject of a forthcoming informative newsletter.

Puedes encontrar más información acerca del proyecto Life Zaragoza Natural en la web municipal y seguirnos en las siguientes plataformas y redes sociales:

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