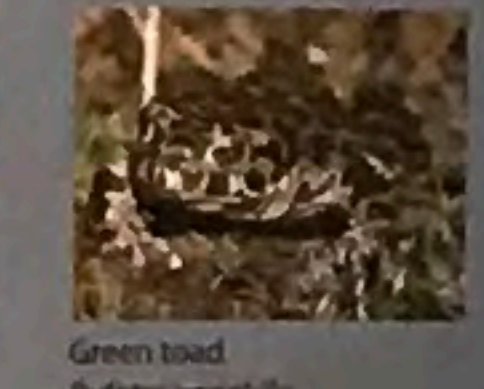
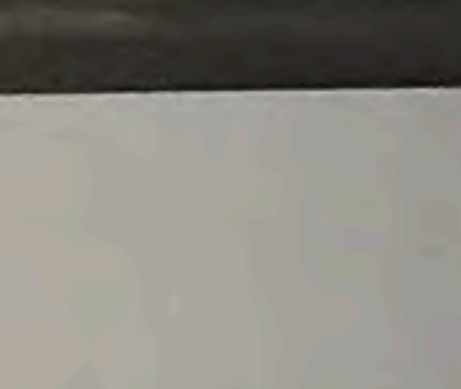
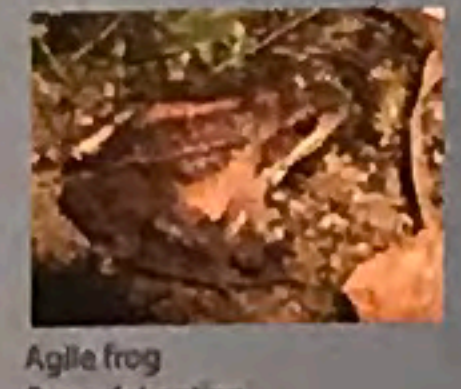
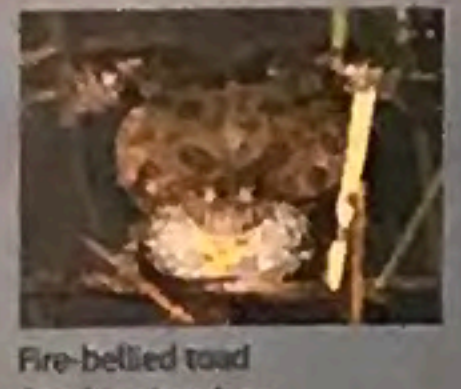
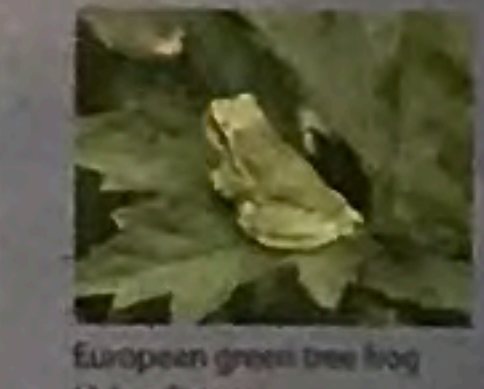


SemiAquatic Life

"Recreating habitat complexity for semiaquatic fauna"

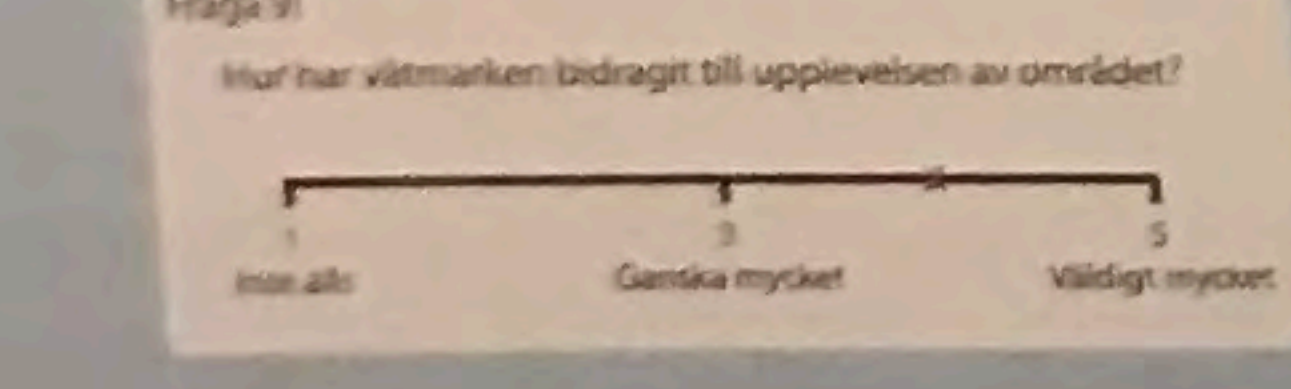
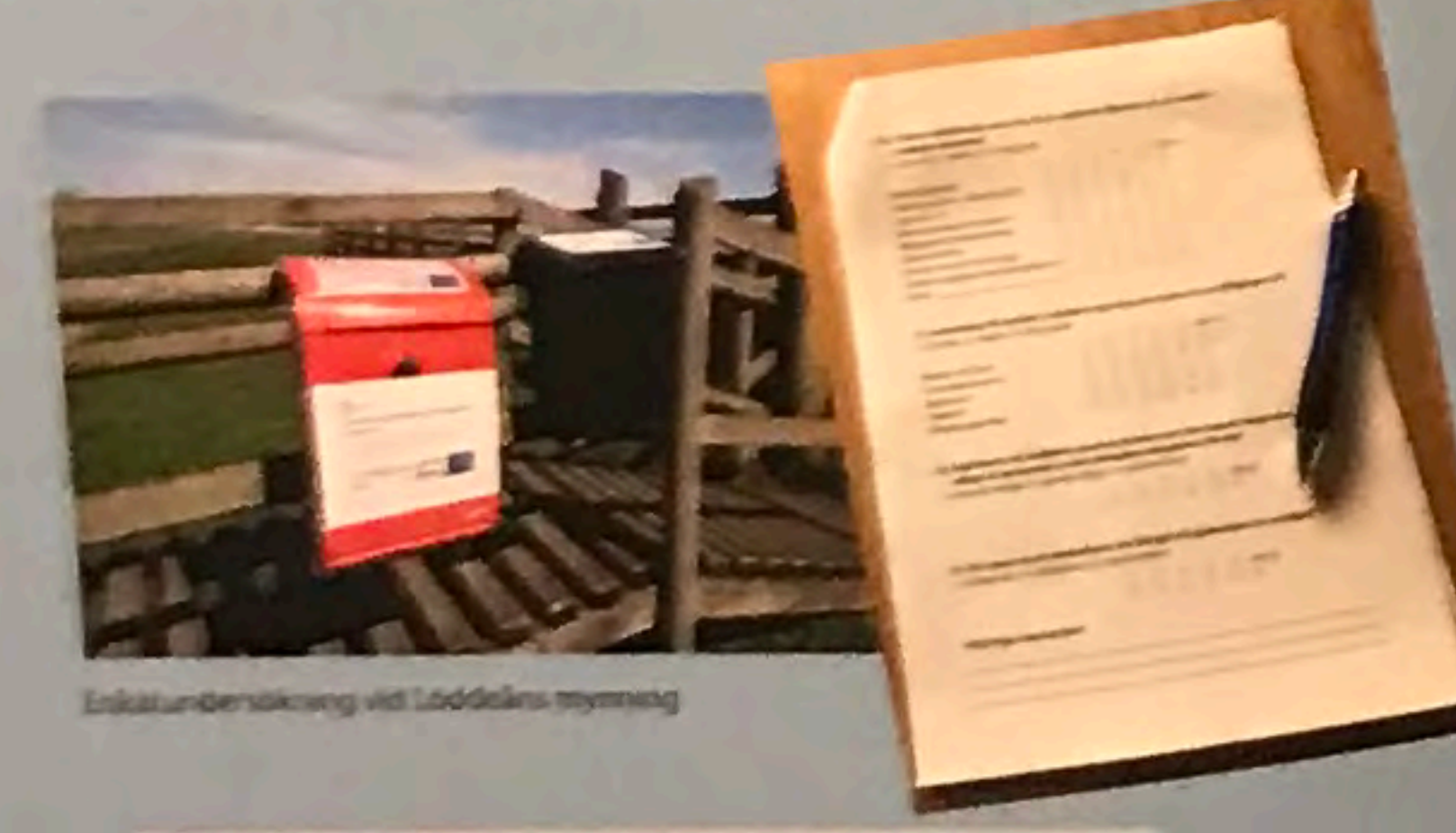
The main goal of the project is to restore and increase the number of aquatic and terrestrial habitats for herptiles and aquatic insects at several Natura 2000 sites in Southern Sweden, Denmark, and northern Germany. The goal is to ensure viable populations of species listed in the EU's Habitats Directive. Another objective is to increase the public awareness and understanding of the need for restoration measures for semiaquatic species.



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Utvärdering ekosystemtjänster



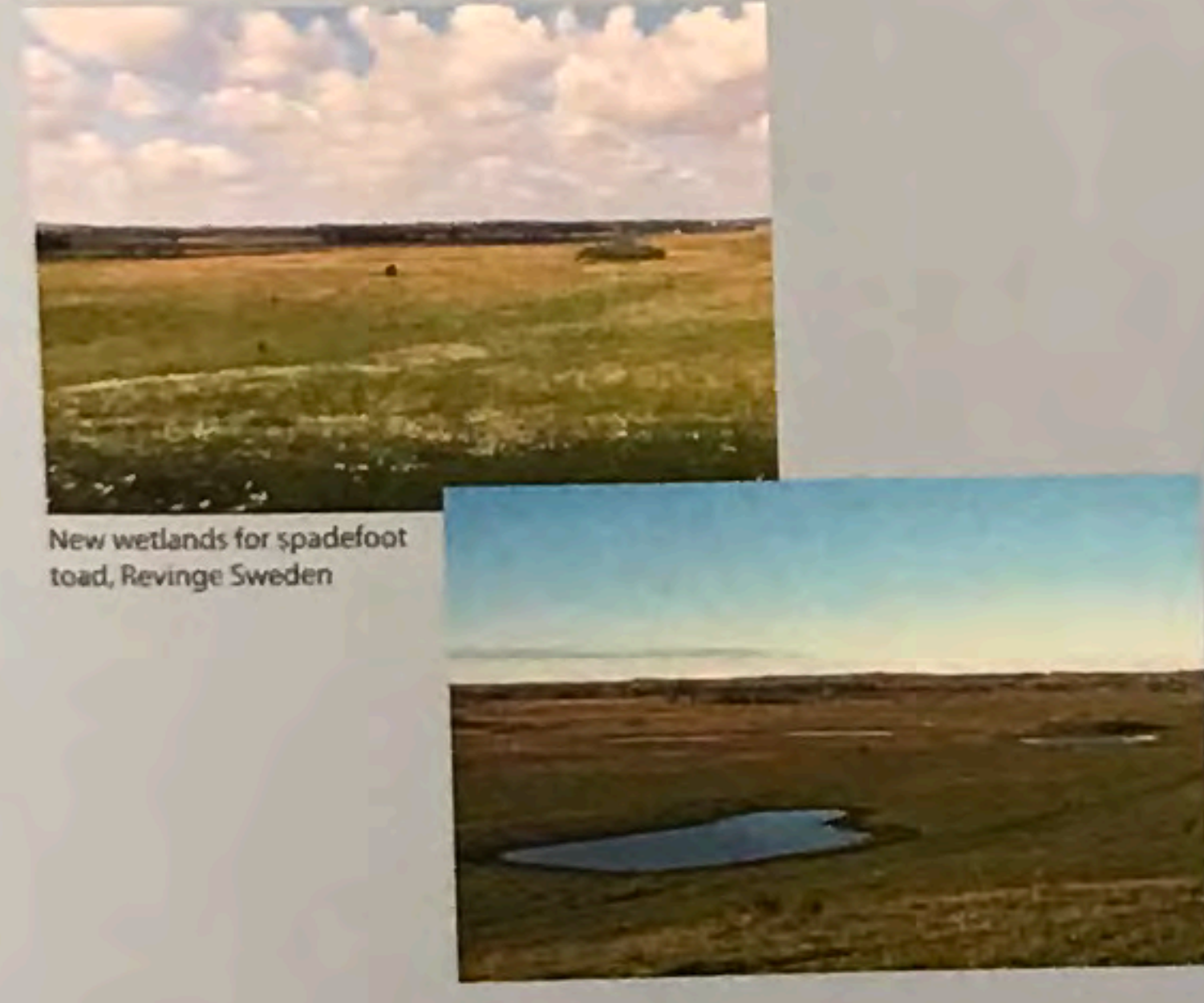
Övriga åtgärder

- Återplantering av lökroda (Löddeåns mynning & Revingefältet) och strandpadda (Ravlundan)
- Exkursioner för allmänheten
- Internationellt seminarium

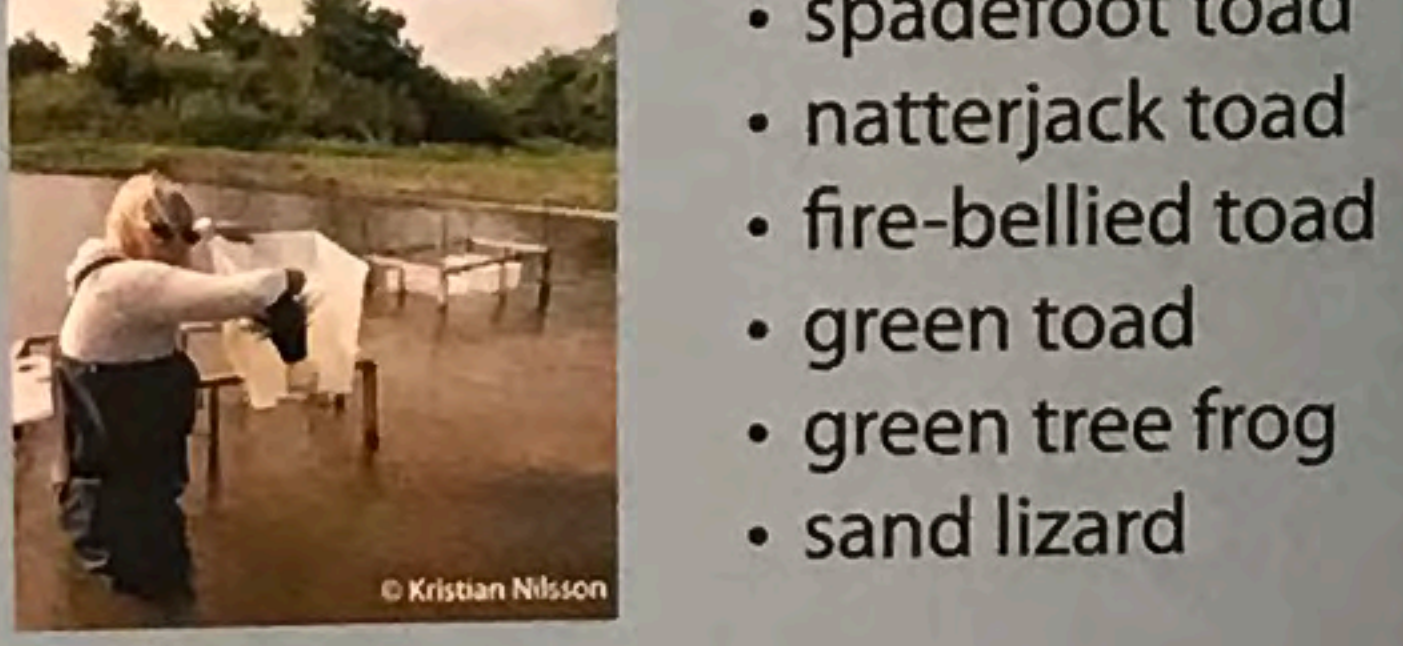
Actions

The best of two worlds? The focus species of this project live both on land and in water at different parts of their life cycles. We challenge this by improving both aquatic and terrestrial habitats through the following actions:

Create and restore wetlands



Reintroductions



- spadefoot toad
- natterjack toad
- fire-bellied toad
- green toad
- green tree frog
- sand lizard

Create hiding places and hibernation spots



Other actions

- Monitoring of targeted species before and after actions
- Information and communication eg. leaflets, excursions, ecosystem services
- Remove unwanted trees and bushes as well as invasive flora
- Fencing

Project areas

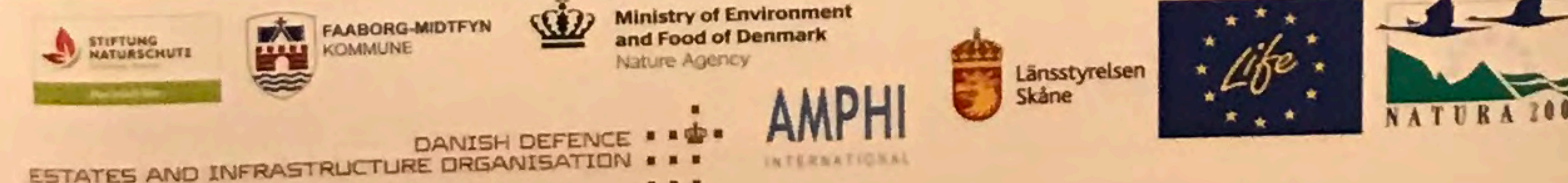


The project includes 11 sites in Southern Sweden, 18 sites in Denmark and 9 sites in Northern Germany



The project is co-financed by the municipalities of Copenhagen, Lund, Malmö, Næstved, Slagelse, Vellinge and Vordingborg as well as SEPA, Kävlingeåns water council and the Scanian landscape foundation.

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SemiAquatic Life

The project has been going on between 2016-2021 and was managed by the County Administrative Board of Skåne. Measures have been done in aquatic environments as well as terrestrial habitats in Natura 2000-areas in Sweden (11 areas in Scania), Denmark (18 areas) and Germany (9 areas).

The main purpose of the project was to restore and create wetlands as well as enhance the terrestrial environments to improve the conservation status of herptiles and semi-aquatic insects. Another aim was to increase public awareness of the organisms and thus the understanding of the importance for restoration measures

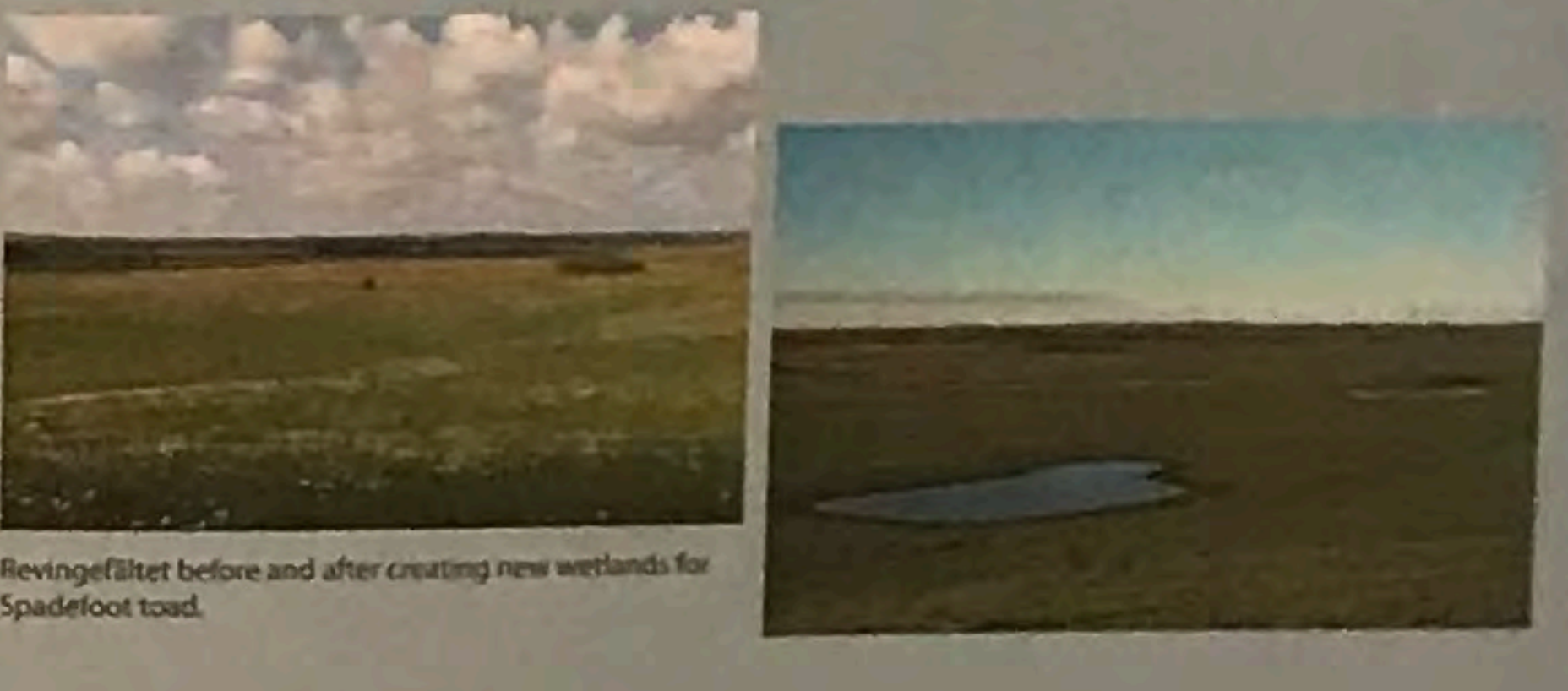
The project was financed by EU Life Nature. In Scania the project was co-financed by the Swedish Environmental Protection Agency, Kävlingeåns water council, Lund municipality, City of Malmö, Scanian Landscape Foundation, Vellinge municipality and the County Administrative Board of Skåne.

Actions in Sweden

Restorations: 1.28 ha (23 objects)

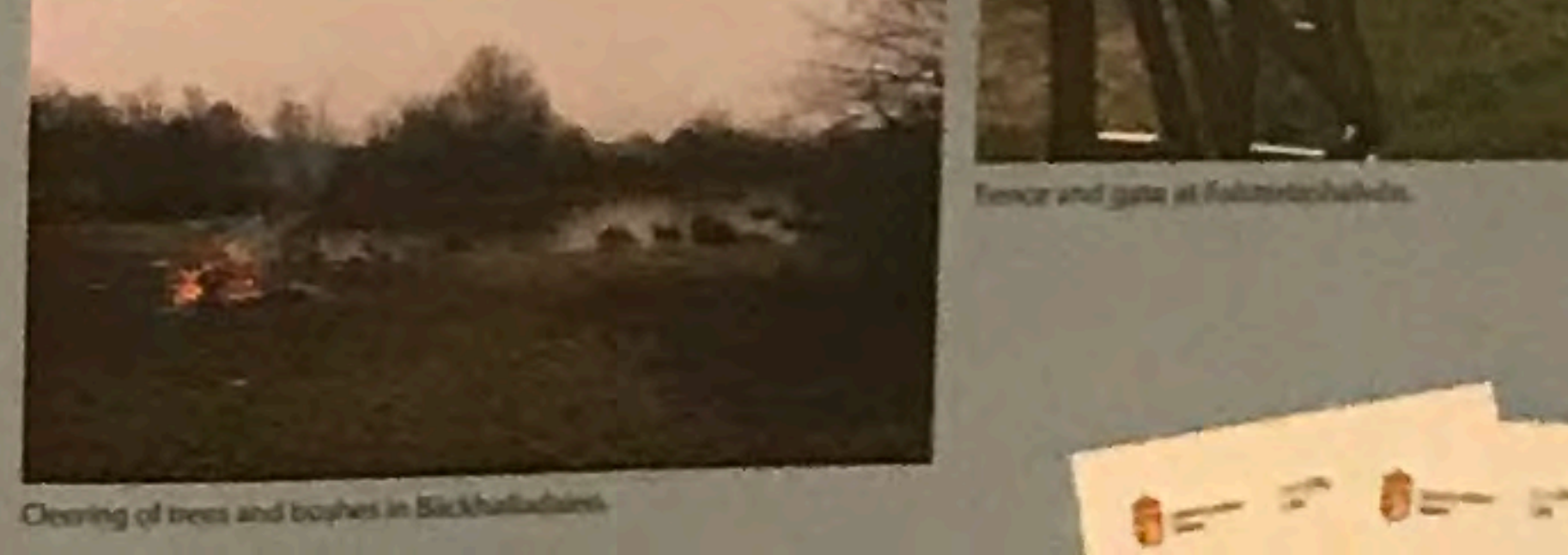


New wetlands: 3.45 ha (55 objects)



Other habitat improvements:

- xerotherm habitats (3 objects)
- clearing of trees & bushes (20.2 ha)
- fencing (3 km)
- gates & stiles (6 pieces)



Monitoring:

- herptiles (before & after)
- invertebrates (before & after)

Evaluations:

- ecosystem services
- socio-economic effects



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