

Examples of what other landholders have done in their subcatchment with similar funding:

Catchment analysis for targeted mitigation

- Erosion control and silt retention: Mapping local geology and critical erosion areas and a stream survey to target mitigation trials
- Catchment assessment to highlight critical points and areas for targeted mitigation measures
- Baseline, horizontal river survey showing key aspects including land-use, planting, erosion, flooding issues, hydrology etc.
- Testing the effectiveness of sediment traps on 3 farms
- Riparian planting and signage project: educating and promoting awareness and working with Silver Fern Farms and a local school
- Rethinking riparian planting best practice following willow removal: Site visit with a panel of experts to provide practical advice on best approach to riparian planting and management
- Piloting cost-effective native restoration with the Tīmata Method

Plant pest management

- Cow cress/water celery control: a multi-pronged approach including organic solutions and a trial of planting for shade
- Old Man's Beard management trial
- Willow and shingle island management across nine hectares of invasive willows growing in the river channel

Economic benefits of land management

• Cost benefit report on best use of poplars at the end of their useful life