



Brindley Associates Ltd has an experienced team of IIEEM registered Ecologists that provides a full ecological consultancy service to a broad range of clients. Our skilled in-house team and specialist sub contractors are able to provide sound ecological advice of the highest quality together with a range of appropriate ecological surveys and mitigation strategies for protected species and habitats.



Our work ranges from site inspections, specialist European Protected Species (EPS) surveys through to Environmental Impact Assessments and work to inform appropriate assessments.



our strengths

We are commercially aware and we translate our ecological expertise into pragmatic and cost effective solutions within the context of the Scottish planning system. Our ethos is that good liaison with consultees and stakeholders is essential and that appropriate levels and standards of work can avoid costly project delays.

what our clients say about us

"Our Farm Diversification Project, Cameron Connection, during a long and often challenging process, had much input from Brindley Associates ranging from ecological assessments and protected species surveys. We found them to be thoroughly professional and rigorous in their approach but always accessible and keen to engage with any issues which arose during the course of our successful application. I would certainly utilise their services in the future should the need arise."

Sandy Riach, Land Owner & Developer of the Cameron Connection Project





our services

We offer a full range of services including:

- Ecological walkover and scoping surveys;
- Survey programmes for European Protected Species including otters, water voles, bats, and great crested newt;
- Survey programmes for other protected species including red squirrel and badgers;
- Vegetation surveys and habitat mapping;
- Ornithological surveys and assessments;
- Management planning and habitat creation;
- Verification of compliance with BREEAM criteria;
- Assessments for projects likely to affect Special Areas of Conservation (SACs) and Special Protection Areas (SPAs); and
- Ecological and ornithological Environmental Impact Assessments (EIA).



recent projects

Some of our recent projects have included:

- Specialist Pink Footed Goose surveys for a proposed renewable energy development near an SAC in East Lothian;
- Water vole, otter and badger surveys for a residential development site in Fife;
- Red squirrel survey and mitigation proposals for a residential development site in Perthshire;
- Expert eye walkover surveys for numerous housing development sites across Central Scotland;
- Bat and Barn owl surveys for retail development sites in West Lothian;
- Bat surveys for building refurbishments and renewable energy infrastructure developments;
- Ornithological and Ecological scoping and EIA for wind farm developments; and
- Ecological survey, assessment and mitigation to inform appropriate assessments as required by the Habitat Regulations at Cameron Reservoir SPA and River Teith SAC.



The aim of the business continues to be:

To provide a professional landscape & environmental planning service by creating efficient & sustainable solutions, to enhance new developments, improve bio-diversity and ensure the protection & management of existing landscapes.