Georgia

Embedding Biodiversity in Economic Planning



Results

Public funding for biodiversity grew **7×** since 2019 (from $30k to $220k), with **US$1.76M+** mobilized.

The “Forest Friend” platform engaged 2,200 volunteers, raised US$121k in private funding, and supported forest restoration

Mobilizing Private Finance and Citizens for Restoration

Biodiversity projects are being positioned as bankable, climate-linked investments, unlocking carbon finance and long-term private sector engagement while demonstrating large-scale restoration with measurable climate benefits. Support for non-timber forest products has diversified rural incomes.

Priority Investment Needs 2026-2030

Investment Pipeline

Develop biodiversity project pipeline.

FINANCE NEED

US$700,000

EXPECTED FINANCE RESULT

US$15 million

Public Finance Alignment

Improve biodiversity tagging and tracking.

FINANCE NEED

US$600,000

EXPECTED RESULT

Policy Coherence

Finance Plan Rollout

Operationalize biodiversity finance plan.

FINANCE NEED

US$600,000

EXPECTED RESULT

Policy Coherence

Investment Needs

US$1.9

MILLION

for transformative impact by 2030

