

Peatland conservation in Baden-Wuerttemberg

History:

- Conservation of Peatlands in Baden-Wuerttemberg has a **long tradition** in context of nature conservation
- As part of the Nature Conservation Strategy the State of Baden-Wuerttemberg has adopted the **Peatland Conservation Concept** (2014)
- Peatland conservation as a measure for climate protection is part of the concept but did not focus on land use-transformation → **further developments are required!**

Peatland Conservation Strategy:

- Peatland conservation as an important measure for the nature conservation and for climate protection
- Aims on large-scale rewetting of expecially drained-based used organic solis with:
 - **Perspectives for landusers**
 - **Structural establishment** of peatland conservation in administrations and in external organisations
- **Development together** with the Ministry of Food, Rural Areas and Consumer Protection Baden-Württemberg (MLR) and the Ministry of Finances Baden-Württemberg (FM)

