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Number of members

338

Social networks

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We need so otters and promote their conservation
organize the International Otter
Congress in Europe and the Sea Otter
River Otter Joint Meeting at Seattle Aquarium



Activities and results 2020

Assess

Green List

i. Green List assessments were completed for Eurasian Otter (*Lutra lutra*), Congo Clawless Otter (*Aonyx congicus*), Sea Otter (*Enhydra lutris*), Hairy-nosed Otter (*Lutra sumatrana*) and Neotropical Otter (*Lontra longicaudis*). Results will be published in: Grace, M.K., et al. (In press). 'Testing a global standard for quantifying species recovery and assessing conservation impact'. *Conservation Biology*. (KSR #11)

Red List

i. Red List assessment of 13 species has been completed and submitted. (KSR #1)

Plan

Planning

i. The Nepal Otter Action Plan has been conceived and realised within the Himalayan Otter Network. It represents the first part of the action plan for Nepal and is focused on research needs. (KSR #15)

Act

Conservation actions

i. Projects of the African Otter Network have been achieved in Benin and Uganda.

ii. Educational materials are available for download on the OSG website and in print: map and information expanded to other languages in Russia and African countries.

Network

Synergy

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