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The cull could see

**70%**

of badgers killed.

In some areas they could  
be wiped out completely!

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**A cull of badgers in England will begin imminently, unless we can convince the government to stop the slaughter of badgers in a misguided attempt to spread the control of bovine TB. The cull will be indiscriminate, meaning many healthy badgers will be slaughtered as 'collateral damage'.**



**'Badger culling can make no meaningful contribution to cattle TB control in Britain.'**  
*Independent Scientific Group*

## **We cannot let this happen.**

**Scientific studies have shown that culling would be of little help in reducing the disease and even suggest that it could make things worse in some areas. Even Defra's own advisory body, Natural England, has said that it has little confidence in the cull delivering the predicted benefits long term.**

The Welsh Government, using the same scientific evidence as Defra, has begun a five year vaccination programme of badgers in Wales along with improved testing and biosecurity. We believe that vaccination is the more sustainable and humane solution, and has already been shown to significantly reduce the prevalence and severity of disease in badgers.

**Badgers can't speak for themselves and they certainly don't know what a desperate situation they are in. We are their only hope.**

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