



Appendix 11

Sites Designated for Nature Conservation and County Geological Sites

Candidate Special Areas of Conservation in County Meath

Site Name	Site Code
Killyconny Bog (Cloghbally)	000006
Rye Water Valley/Carton	001398
White Lough, Ben Loughs and Lough Doo	001810
Boyne Coast and Estuary	001957
Lough Bane and Lough Glass	002120
River Boyne and River Blackwater	002299
Moneybeg and Clareisland Bogs	002340
Girley (Drewstown) Bog	002203

Special Areas of Conservation in County Meath

Site Name	Site Code
Mount Hevey Bog	002342

Special Protection Areas in County Meath

Site Name	Site Code
Lough Sheelin	004065
Boyne Estuary	004080
River Nanny Estuary and Shore	004158
River Boyne and River Blackwater	004232

Natural Heritage Areas in County Meath

Site Name	Site Code
Jamestown Bog	001324

Girley Bog	001580
Molerick Bog	001582

Proposed Natural Heritage Areas in County Meath

Site Name	Site Code
Ballyhoe Lough	001594
Ballynabarny Fen	001573
Balrath Woods	001579
Boyne Coast and Estuary	001957
Boyne River Islands	001862
Boyne Woods	001592
Breaky Loughs	001558
Corstown Loughs	000552
Crewbane Marsh	000553
Cromwell's Bush Fen	001576
Dowth Wetland	001861
Doolystown Bog	001577
Duleek Commons	001578
Kilconny Bog (Cloghbally)	000006
Laytown Dunes/Nanny Estuary	000554
Lough Naneagh	001814
Lough Sheelin	000987
Lough Shesk	000556
Mentrim Lough	001587
Mount Hevey Bog	001584
Rathmolyon Esker	000557
Rosnaree Riverbank	001589
Royal Canal	002103
Rye Water Valley/Carton	001398
Slane Riverbank	001591
Thomastown Bog	001593
Trim Wetlands	001357

White Lough, Ben Loughs and Lough Doo	001810
Newcastle Lough ¹	N/A

County Geological Sites²

1. Gibbstown Castle	15. Boyne Valley
2. St. Keeran's Well	16. Galtrim Moraine
3. Bellewstown	17. Mullaghmore
4. Grangegeeth	18. Murrens
5. Barley Hill Quarry	19. Rathkenny
6. Cregg	20. Rathmolyon Esker
7. Poulmore Scarp	21. Trim Esker
8. Laytown to Gormanston	22. Altmush Stream
9. Benhead	23. Bray Hill Quarry
10. Blackwater Valley	24. Duleek Quarry
11. Kilbride Quarry	25. Riverbank at Nobber
12. Painestown Quarry	26. Rockwood Cliffs
13. Carrickleck Quarry	27. Dunshaughlin (site)
14. Boyne River, Trim	28. St. Gorman's Spring

¹ A wildlife sanctuary under the management of the Irish Wildlife Trust and is under consideration by the National Parks and Wildlife Service, Department of Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht for Natural Heritage Area status

² Clarke, A, Parkes, M and Gately, S. (2007). The Geological Heritage of County Meath. Geological Survey of Ireland and Meath County Council. Report available on www.meath.ie/localauthorities/publications/heritagepublications