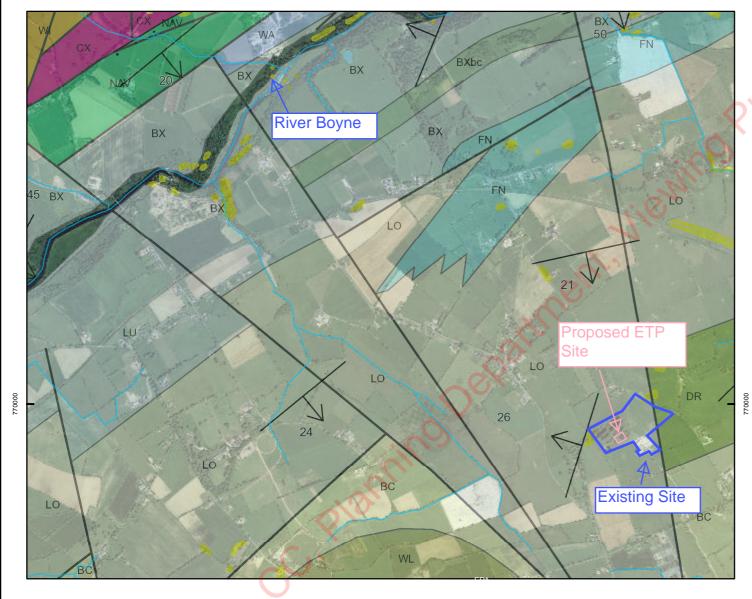


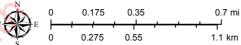
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Figure 1 - Bedrock Geology and Structural Geology



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Legend Bedrock Structure EPA River Segments **→** 10A1-1 EPA Lake Segmen Anticline S1 Structrual Symbol Labels ----+ 10A2-1 Bedrock Structure Symology Anticline F2 Bedding or main foliation, old GSI data Anticline F3 - Contorted bedding or main foliation, old GSI Anticline F4 First foliation parallel to bedding Anticline F5 Foliation trend. Thorr and Rosses Granite —<u>∓</u> _{10S0-2} Horizontal Bedding 10S1-1 Horizontal first generation fold axis Syncline S1 —<u>▼</u> _{10S2-1} Horizontal second generation fold axis Strike and Dip of Bedding, right way up Syncline S2 Strike and Dip of Bedding, way up unknown Syncline S3 Strike and Dip of First Foliation Syncline S5 Strike and Dip of Foliation 11F1-2 11S1-1 Strike and Dip of Second Foliation Early Slide Strike and Dip of overturned Bedding Strike and plunge of first generation fold axis - Strike and plunge of second generation fold Strike and plunge of third generation fold axis ______11T2-2 Strike of Shear fabric Strike of vertical Bedding Outcrop Strike of vertical First Foliation **Bedrock Stratigraphy** Boundary of Igneous Intrusion Unconformity Formation lines Boundary of dolomization Outer limit of metamorphic aureole Outer limit of higher grade aureole Lithological Boundary Shear Zone Boundary Coal seam/Tertiary dolorite dyke

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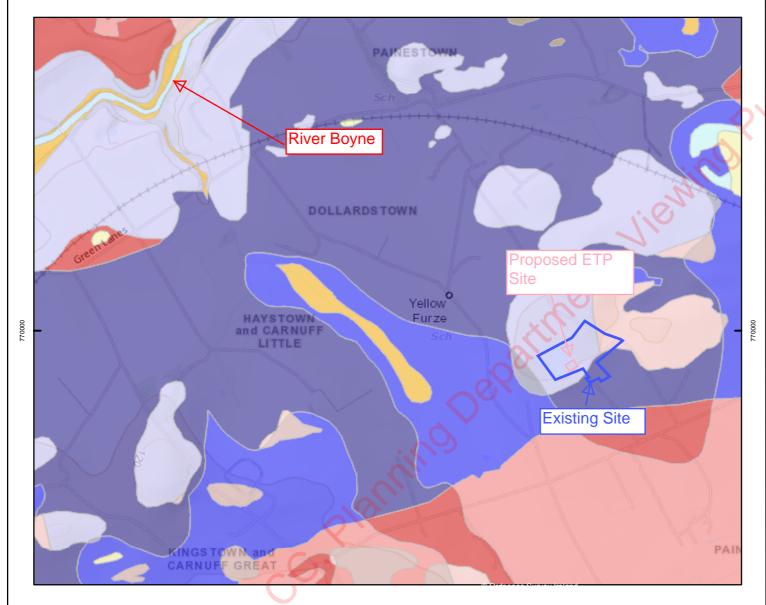
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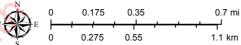
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Figure 2 - Teagasc Soils Map



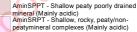


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Legend Teagasc Soils





BminDW - Deep well drained mineral (Mainly

BminPD - Mineral poorly drained (Mainly

BminPDPT - Peaty poorly drained mineral (Mainly basic)

BminSW - Shallow well drained mineral

BminSP - Shallow poorly drained mineral (Mainly basic)

BminSPPT - Shallow peaty poorly drained mineral (Mainly basic) BminSRPT - Shallow, rocky, peaty/non-

peatymineral complexes (Mainly basic)

BktPt - Blanket peat

FenPt - Fen peat

RsPt - Raised Peat

Cut - Cutover/cutaway peat

AlluvMIN - Alluvial (mineral)

AlluvMRL - Alluvial (marl)

Lac - Lacustrine type soils

Scree - Scree

AeoUND - Aeolian undifferentiated

MarSands - Marine sand and gravel

MarSed - Marine/estuarine sediments

Made - Made ground

Water - Water

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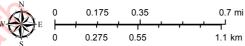


Figure ' - Teagasc Subsoil Map



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Legend

EPA River Segments

EPA Lake Segmen

Teagasc Subsoils

Ac - Alluvium (clayey)

Ag - Alluvium (gravelly)

Asi - Asi

BktPt - Blanket peat

FenPt - Fen peat

RsPt - Raised peat (intact)

Cut - Cutover raised peat

AcEsk - Esker comprised of gravels of acidic

BasEsk - Esker comprised of gravels of basic

GBi - Gravels derived from basic igneous

GCh - Gravels derived from cherts

GCSs - Gravels derived from Cambrian

GCSsS - Gravels derived from Cambrian sandstones and shales

GDCSs - Gravels derived from Devonian and Carboniferous sandstones

GDSs - Gravels derived from Devonian

GLPDSs - Gravels derived from Lower Palaeozoic and Devonian sandstones

GLPS - Gravels derived from Lower Palaeozoic shales

GLPSs - Gravels derived from Lower Palaeozoic sandstones

GLPSsS - Gravels derived from Lower

GLs - Gravels derived from limestones

GNSSs - Gravels derived from Namurian sandstones and shales

GMp - Gravels derived from metamorphic rocks

GGr - Gravels derived from granites

GQz - Gravels derived from quartzites

Rck - Bedrock outcrop or subcrop

KaRck - Karstified bedrock outcrop or subcrop

Scree - Scree

L - Lacustrine sediments

Lc - Lacustrine clavs

Ls - Lacustrine sands

Lsi - Lacustrine silts

Mrl - Lake marl

MGs - Marine gravels and sands (often

Mbs - Marine beach sands

Msi - Marine silts

Mc - Marine clavs

Mesc - Estuarine silts and clays

Marsh - Marsh

TdMr - Tidal marsh

Aeo - Aeolian sediments

Ws - Windblown sands

Wsd - Windblown sands in dunes

Made - Made ground

IrSTAv - Irish Sea Till derived from acid volcanic rocks

IrSTCSsS - Irish Sea Till derived from

Cambrian sandstones and shales IrSTDSs - Irish Sea Till derived from

Devonian sandstones IrSTI PSsS - Irish Sea Till derived from Lower Palaeozoic sandstones and shales

IrSTLs - Irish Sea Till derived from

TAy - Till derived from acid volcanic rocks

TBi - Till derived from basic igneous rocks

TCh - Till derived from cherts

TCSsCh - Till derived from Carboniferous sandstones and cherts

TCSsS - Till derived from Cambrian sandstones and shales

TDCSs - Till derived from Devonian and Carboniferous sandstones

TDCSsS - Till derived from Devonian and Carboniferous sandstones and shales

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TQz - Till derived from quartzites

Water

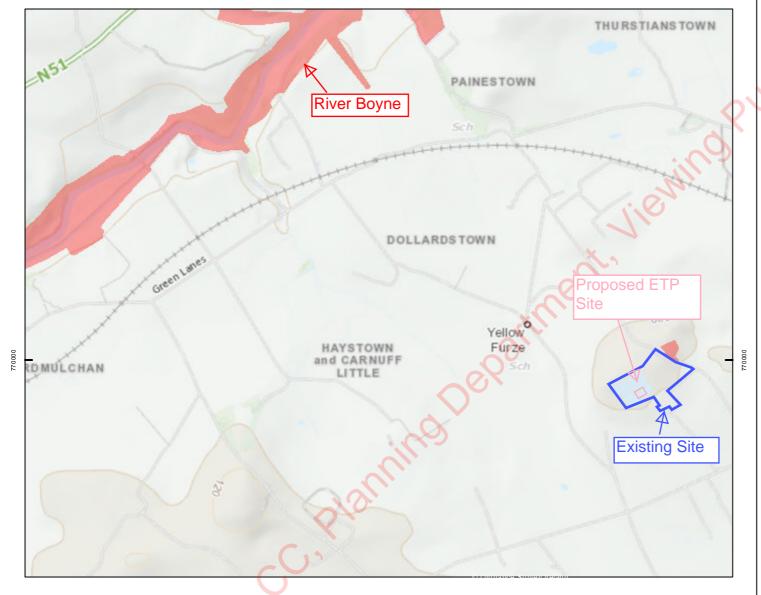
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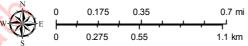
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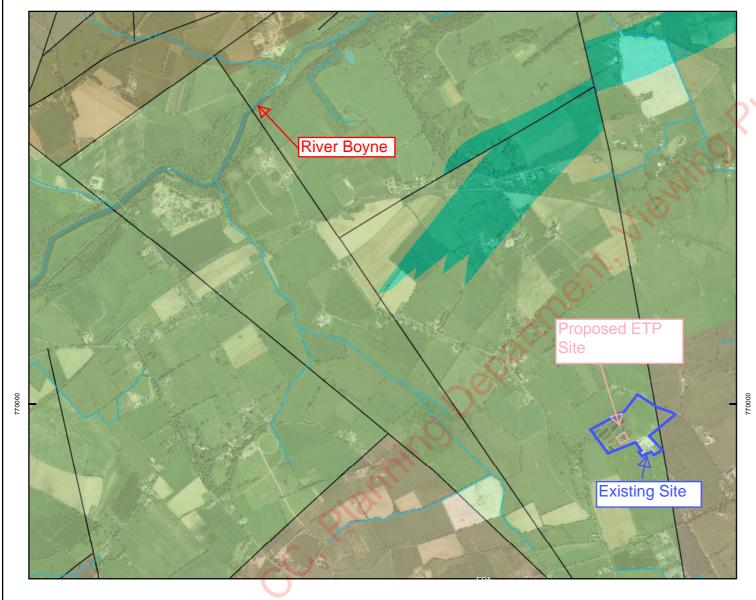
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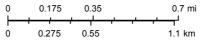
Figure) - Aquifer Map



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Legend

EPA River Segments



Bedrock Aquifer Faults

Gravel Aquifer

Locally Important Gravel Aquifer



Bedrock Aquif

Rkc - Regionally Important Aquifer - Karstified (conduit)

Rkd - Regionally Important Aquifer -Karstified (diffuse)

RK - Regionally Important Aquifer - Karstified

Rf - Regionally Important Aquifer - Fissured bedrock

Lm - Locally Important Aquifer - Bedrock which is Generally Moderately Productive

Lk - Locally Important Aquifer - Karstified LI - Locally Important Aquifer - Bedrock which is Moderately Productive only in Local

Zpnes Foor Aquifer - Bedrock which is Generally Unproductive except for Local Zones

Pu - Poor Aquifer - Bedrock which is Generally Unproductive

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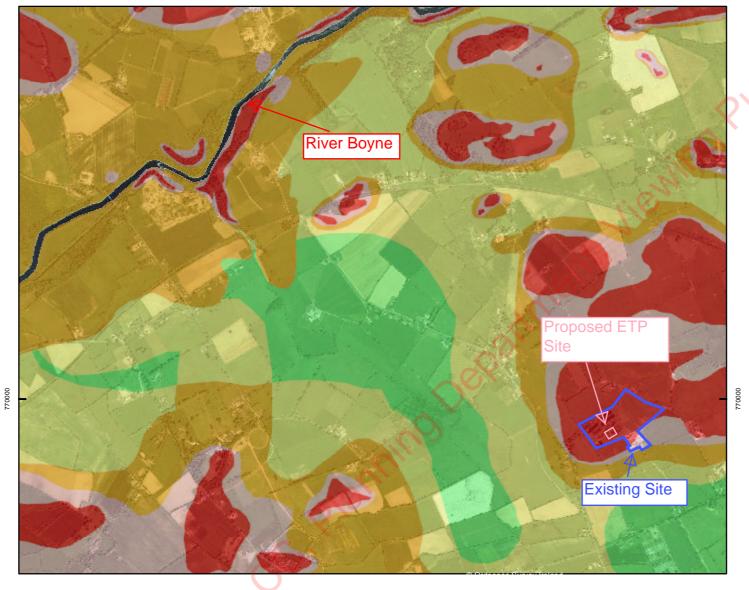
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Figure * - Groundwater Vulnerability Map



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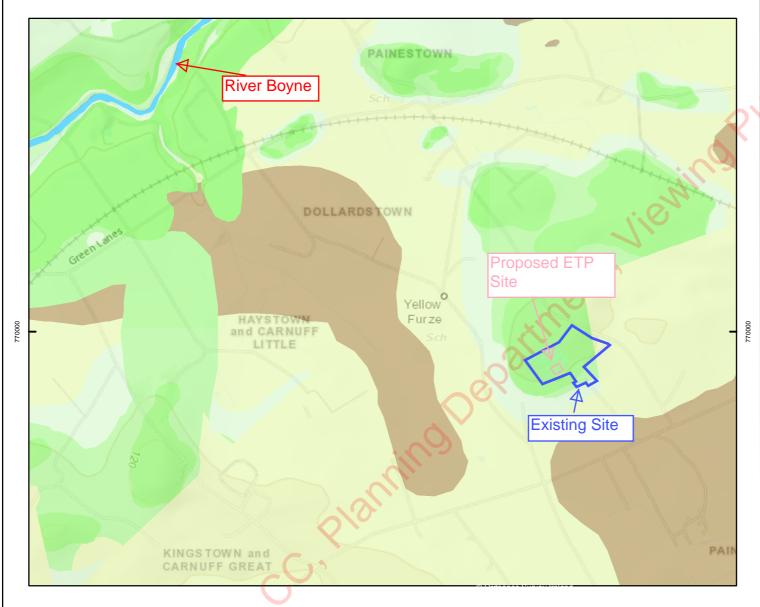
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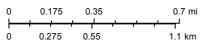
Figure 7 - Recharge Map



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Legend
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151-200 mm 201-250 mm

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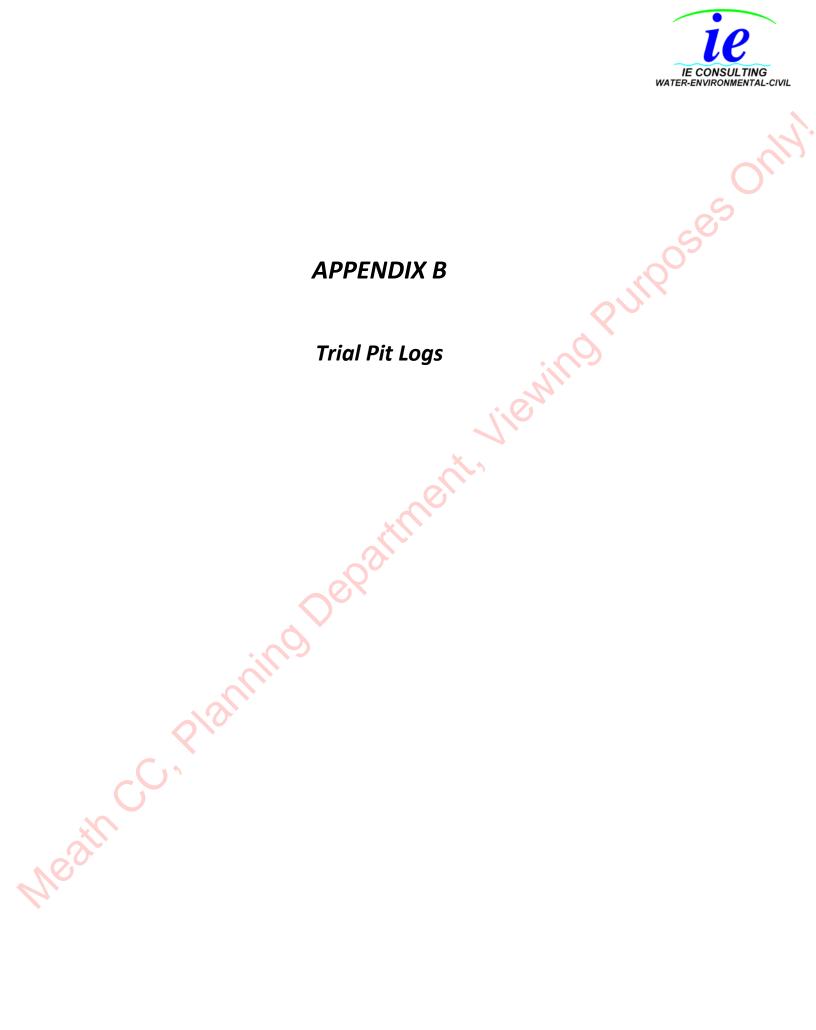
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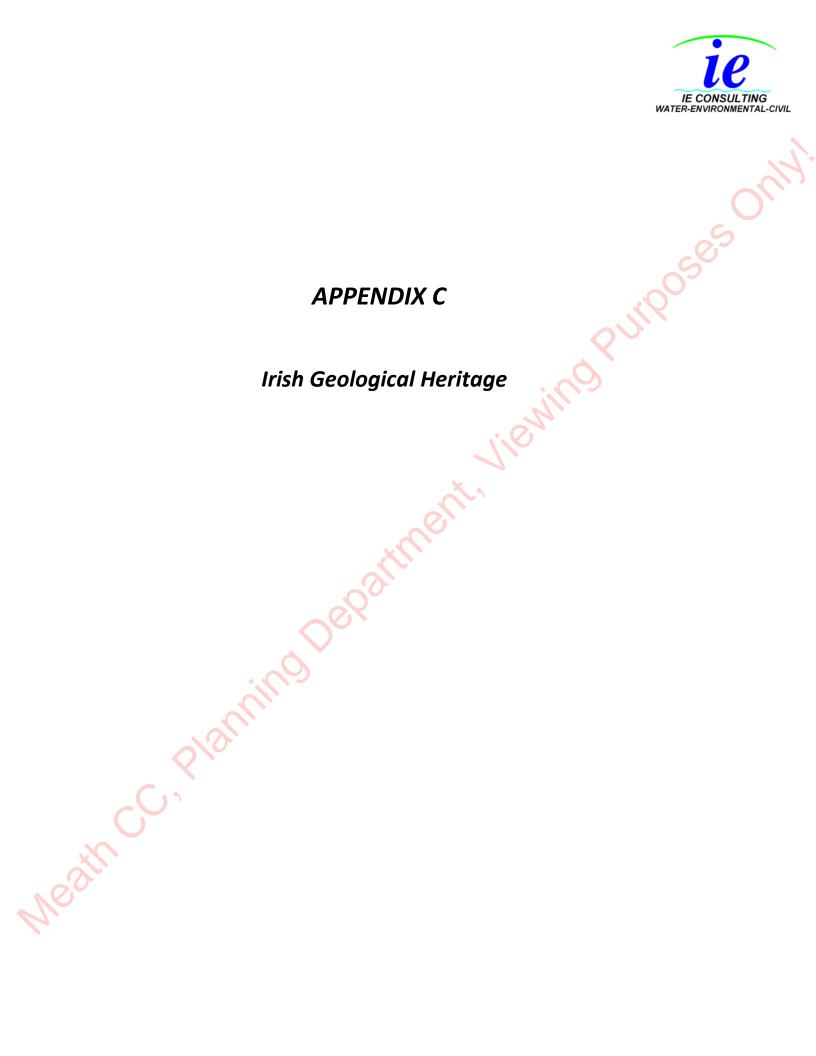
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MEATH - COUNTY GEOLOGICAL SITE REPORT

NAME OF SITE Painestown Quarry

Other names used for site

IGH THEME: IGH 8 (Lower Carboniferous)

TOWNLAND(S) Painestown
NEAREST TOWN Slane
SIX INCH MAP NUMBER 26

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Outline Site Description

A disused quarry now heavily vegetated.

Geological System/Age and Primary Rock Type

Lower Carboniferous (Viséan) thin to medium bedded limestone and shale of the Loughshinny Formation.

Main Geological or Geomorphological Interest

This disused quarry has cut into thinly bedded limestone and shale, which displays a series of angular, zig-zag folds called chevron folds. These occur when pressure is exerted on thinly bedded sequences of alternating rocks, where one rock type (limestone) is competent and the other (shale) is incompetent. These features are also found in the same rock formation along the coast at Loughshinny.

Site Importance

This is a spectacular and easily accessible example of chevron folds, which could make an excellent teaching locality. It complements the example of coastal geology at Loughshinny. It should become a County Geological Site.

Management/promotion issues

This site is found just off a third class road and is on private agricultural land, which is occasionally used for grazing cattle. Access to the site is through a farm gate along the road. This is not suitable for general promotion without suitable arrangements being made with the landowner. Only one exposed face still remains within the old quarry as the rest of the site has been filled in. It is important to keep this last face exposed and if possible, relatively free of vegetation cover.

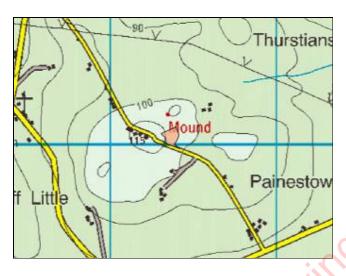




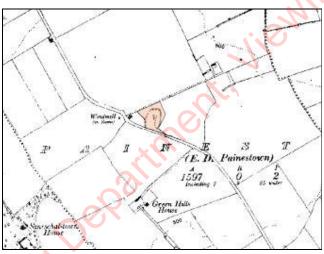
Left: Exposed quarry face displaying excellent examples of chevron folding.

Right: A closer look at the zig-zag shaped folds. The limbs of the folds usually form at a 45°- 60° angle, as seen here at Painestown.

Painestown Quarry



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MEATH - COUNTY GEOLOGICAL SITE REPORT

NAME OF SITE
Other names used for site
Boyne Terraces
IGH THEME:
IGH 7 (Quaternary)

TOWNLAND(S) Numerous

NEAREST TOWN Navan, Slane, Drogheda SIX INCH MAP NUMBER 18, 19, 20, 25, 26

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Outline Site Description

River valley.

Geological System/Age and Primary Rock Type

Quaternary deposits, channels and terraces of a relict glaciofluvial system.

Main Geological or Geomorphological Interest

The Boyne Valley is a characteristic glacially modified lowland valley formed during the last Ice Age (before c. 10,000 years ago). It is characterised by hummocky topography and steep sided valley walls that have cut into the surrounding landscape. Features within the valley include suites of glaciofluvial and delta terraces. These are significant linear shelves generally subparallel to the meanders along the rock gorge. The terraces were formed by the meandering of the river after the channel had been deepened by large volumes of glacial meltwater. The Boyne Valley is complimented by many glacial meltwater channels, which feed into the Boyne system from either side.

Site Importance

This is a nationally important example of a glacially derived valley, with easily accessible features along both sides of the Boyne River. It is an excellent teaching locality and is commonly used by the public for recreational purposes (walking, canoeing, etc). Many of the important glacial features detailed above already lie within the Boyne Woods NHA (01592) and the River Boyne SAC (02299).

Management/promotion issues

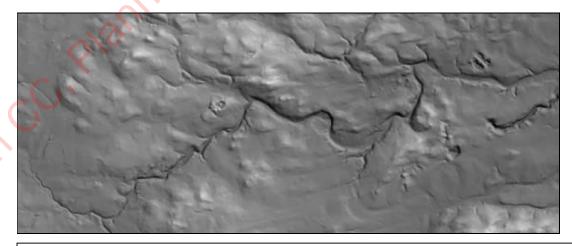
This is a well maintained stretch of the River Boyne with many sites along its banks detailing significant sections of Ireland's history. The addition of signage would greatly enhance people's awareness of this area's equally significant geological history.



Above: The Boyne Valley, beside Slane. This broad, flat, steep sided glacial valley represents a period in Meath's geological history, when the land was dominated by massive, slow moving ice sheets and the large volume of erosive meltwater they generated.

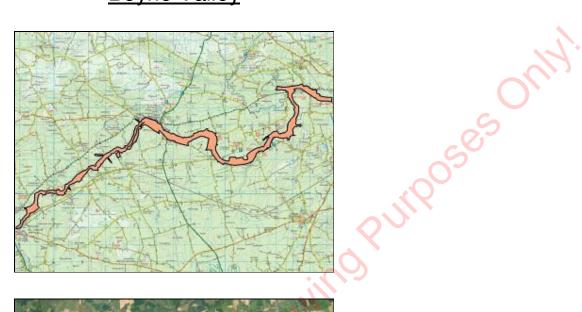






Top: A delta terrace (terrace or slope left behind by an ancient meandering river channel). Middle: The River Boyne with its steep sided wooded banks (commonly used for recreational sports such as kayaking). Bottom: Digital elevation model (DEM) illustrating the pronounced glacially derived valley that is cut into the Meath landscape.

Boyne Valley







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APPENDIX D

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