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Wind Farm

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414.063912.00001.0050.1 Site Location

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Scoping Boundary

Local Plannning Authority (LPA) Boundary

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SITE LOCATION

FIGURE 1.1

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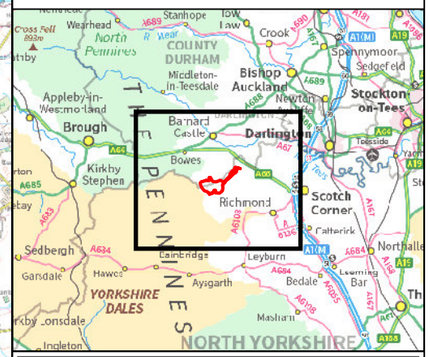
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LEGEND

Scoping Boundary

Local Planning Authority (LPA) Boundary



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FIGURE 1.2

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414.063912.00001.0078.1 Site and Surroundings

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Wind Farm Array Area
- Haul Route Search Area

T1 T2 T3 T4 T5 T6 T7 T8 T9 T10 T11 T12 T13 T14 T15 T16 T17 T18 T19 T20 T21 T22 T23

BARNINGHAM CP · DALTON CP · GAYLES CP · HOPE CP · NEW FOREST CP

Barningham · Newsham · Barningham Moor · Kexwith Moor · Hope Moor · Peat Moor Hill · Booze Moor · Hurst Moor · Harker Moss · Gayles Moor · Feldom Ranges · DANGER AREA

0 1 2 Kilometres

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WIND FARM ARRAY AREA AND HAUL ROUTE SEARCH AREA

FIGURE 2.1

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LEGEND

Scoping Boundary

Proposed Turbine Location

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BARNINGHAM CP

NEWSHAM CP

DALTON CP

GAYLES CP

HOPE CP

NEW FOREST CP

Barningham Moor

Kexwith Moor

Hope Moor

Arndale Fell

Peat Moor Hill

Booze Moor

Hurst Moor

Harker Moss

Newsham Pasture

Gayles Moor

Feldom Ranges

DANGER AREA

0 1 2 Kilometres

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PROJECT SITE

FIGURE 2.2

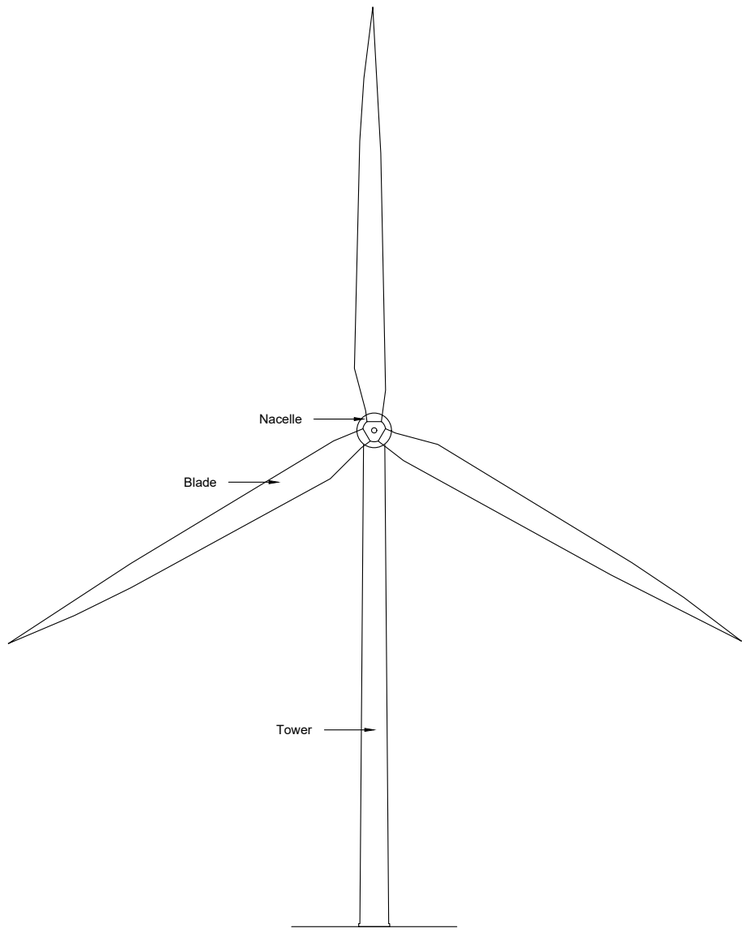
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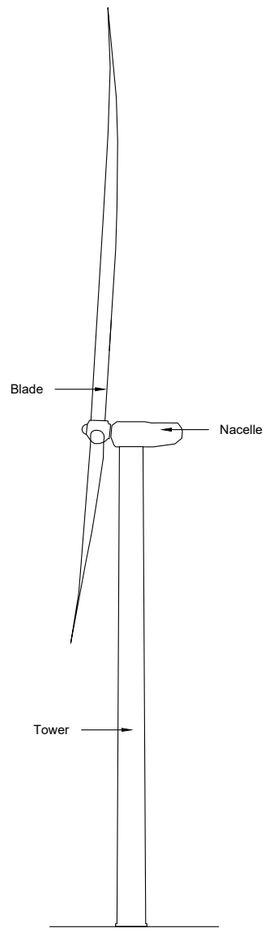
414.063912.00001.0090.1 Indicative Site Layout

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Front Elevation



Side Elevation

0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100m

Scale 1:1,000

Notes:

1. Subject to change through detailed design.
2. Actual turbine design may differ in visual appearance. Turbine design and dimensions used in the detail are indicative only.
3. External transformer subject to candidate turbine.
4. Tip heights are measured from the top of the foundation plinth.
5. Do not scale from this drawing.

Legend:

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Figure Title: Figure 2.3 Typical Wind Turbine

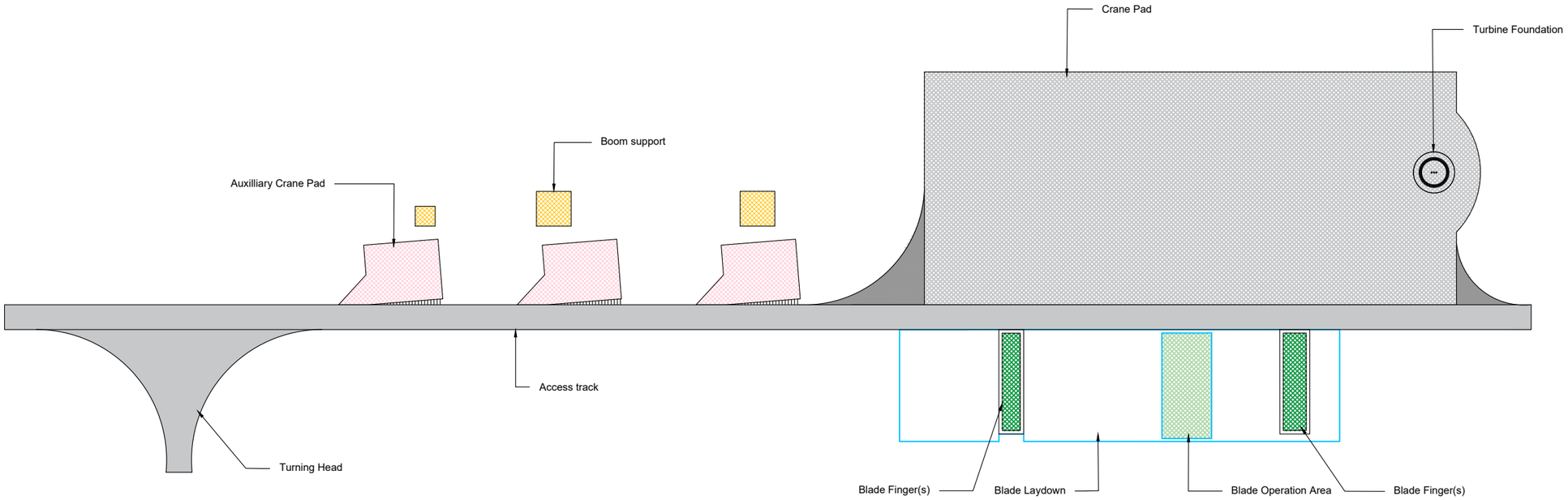
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0 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100m

Scale 1:1,000

Notes:

1. Subject to change through detailed design and selection of candidate turbine.
2. All hardstands to be constructed on suitable foundation material.
3. All hardstands to be finished with crushed rock, forming a free draining surface.
4. All permanent crane hardstanding area to be at 1:100 max gradient.
5. Do not scale from this drawing.

Legend:

- Main crane operational area - permanent
- Access track - permanent
- Assist crane hardstanding - temporary construction works
- Hardstanding - temporary construction works
- Blade finger level - temporary
- Safe walking path for driving blade gripper through - temporary
- Preparation / working area - temporary
- Works - temporary

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Figure Title: Figure 2.4 Typical Hardstanding

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414.063912.00001.0125.1 Cumulative Developments

LPA
Northumberland LPA
Boundary Lane
Greencroft Estate
Sunderland LPA
40·km
Langley Moor
Tow Law
Tow Law
High Hedley Hope Extension
Southern Law
West Durham
Broom Hill Farm
MME3, Plot DC1, Integra 61
30·km
Westmorland and Furness LPA
A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project
A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project
County Durham LPA
North East English Region
Trimdon Grange
Butterwick Moor
Hartlepool LPA
The Net Zero Teesside Project
20·km
Walkway
Red Gap Moor
A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project
A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project
Byers Gill Solar
Middlesbrough LPA
10·km
Lambs Hill
Moor House
H2Teesside
A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project
Darlington LPA
Stockton-on-Tees LPA
Hambleton
A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project
North West English Region
Lake District National Park LPA
Stockton on Tees
A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project
North Yorkshire LPA
North York Moors National Park LPA
Yorkshire Dales National Park LPA
Yorkshire and the Humber English Region
Aygill Intake
Lancaster LPA

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0 10 20
Kilometres

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Buffer
- Regional Boundary
- Local Planning Authority (LPA) Boundary

Wind Farm Status

Source: Renewable Energy Planning Database (Department for Energy Security and Net Zero, updated April 2026)

- Operational
- Consented
- Application / Appeal

Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project

Project Stage

- Post-decision
- Decision
- Examination
- Pre-application

Note
Only Cumulative developments within the Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Buffer are labelled.



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APPROACH TO EIA

CUMULATIVE DEVELOPMENTS

FIGURE 3.1

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414.063912.00001.0051.1 LVIA Study Area

40 km
30 km
20 km
10 km

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Study Area

Newcastle upon Tyne
Sunderland
Carlisle
Ripon
Lancaster
York
Isle of Man
SEA
Preston
Leeds
Kingston
Manchester
Liverpool
Sheffield
Chester
Lincoln

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LVIA STUDY AREA

FIGURE 5.1

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40 km 30 km 20 km 10 km

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Proposed Viewpoints

1. Stang Top, YDNP
2. Stang Lane
3. Scargill, Chapel Hill
4. Barningham
5. Minor Road, Marrick Moor
6. Barnard Castle, Cricket Ground
7. Bowes Castle
8. Great Pinseat, YDNP
9. Sleightholme Moor Road, YDNP
10. A66, Mainsgill Farm
11. Wether Hill, Roman Road, YDNP
12. A1(M), Catterick
13. A1(M), Burtree Interchange, Darlington
14. Nine Standards, Scenic Viewpoint. NPNL
15. A66, Bowes Moor, NPNL
16. Minor Road Overlooking Mickleton, NPNL
17. Cogden Moor, YDNP
18. Downholme Moor, YDNP

0 10 20 Kilometres

414.063912.00001.0052.1 Blade Tip ZTV 45km

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Study Area
- Proposed Viewpoint

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

This Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) has been generated using ESRI ArcGIS Spatial Analyst extension using the assumptions detailed in the infobox below. The Digital Terrain Model (DTM) has the following accuracy: OS Terrain 5 dataset (+/-2 m) up to 30 km from turbine locations and OS Terrain 50 dataset (+/- 10 m) up to 60 km from turbine locations. The ZTV view height of 2 m above ground level is recommended by "Visual Representation of Windfarms" by NatureScot February 2017 - Version 2.2. The ZTV is generated from a bare earth terrain and does not account for the screening effect of features within the landscape such as settlements and woodland. The ZTV shows potential theoretical visibility only and is for informing 'on the ground' visual assessment.

Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Excluded
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included



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BLADE TIP ZONE OF THEORETICAL VISIBILITY (ZTV) BARE EARTH

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20 km

10 km

16 13 6 7 15 2 3 4 10 9 14 1 8 5 18 17 12 11

Proposed Viewpoints

1. Stang Top, YDNP
2. Stang Lane
3. Scargill, Chapel Hill
4. Barningham
5. Minor Road, Marrick Moor
6. Barnard Castle, Cricket Ground
7. Bowes Castle
8. Great Pinseat, YDNP
9. Sleightholme Moor Road, YDNP
10. A66, Mainsgill Farm
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15. A66, Bowes Moor, NPNL
16. Minor Road Overlooking Mickleton, NPNL
17. Cogden Moor, YDNP
18. Downholme Moor, YDNP

0 5 10 Kilometres

414.063912.00001.0053.1 Blade Tip ZTV 20km

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Viewpoint

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

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Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Excluded
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included



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BLADE TIP ZONE OF THEORETICAL VISIBILITY (ZTV) BARE EARTH (DETAILED AREA)

FIGURE 5.3

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20 km

10 km

16 13 6 7 15 2 3 4 10 9 14 1 8 5 18 17 12 11

Proposed Viewpoints

1. Stang Top, YDNP
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15. A66, Bowes Moor, NPNL
16. Minor Road Overlooking Mickleton, NPNL
17. Cogden Moor, YDNP
18. Downholme Moor, YDNP

0 5 10

Kilometres

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Viewpoint

Screened Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV)

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visibile

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

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Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Included
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included



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SCREENED BLADE TIP ZONE OF THEORETICAL VISIBILITY (ZTV) (DETAILED AREA)

FIGURE 5.4

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414.063912.00001.0054.1 Screened Blade Tip ZTV 20km

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414.063912.00001.0055.1 Hub Height Tip ZTV 45km

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Proposed Viewpoints

1. Stang Top, YDNP
2. Stang Lane
3. Scargill, Chapel Hill
4. Barningham
5. Minor Road, Marrick Moor
6. Barnard Castle, Cricket Ground
7. Bowes Castle
8. Great Pinseat, YDNP
9. Sleightholme Moor Road, YDNP
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18. Downholme Moor, YDNP

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Study Area
- Proposed Viewpoint

Hub Height Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Hubs Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 11 - 20
- 12 - 23

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Hub height:	113 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Excluded
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included



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HUB HEIGHT ZONE OF THEORETICAL VISIBILITY (ZTV) BARE EARTH

FIGURE 5.5

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40 km 30 km 20 km 10 km

National Character Areas (Natural England, 2014)

- 8 - Cumbria High Fells
- 9 - Eden Valley
- 10 - North Pennines
- 14 - Tyne and Wear Lowlands
- 15 - Durham Magnesian Limestone Plateau
- 16 - Durham Coalfield Pennine Fringe
- 17 - Orton Fells
- 18 - Howgill Fells
- 19 - South Cumbria Low Fells
- 21 - Yorkshire Dales
- 22 - Pennine Dales Fringe
- 23 - Tees Lowlands
- 24 - Vale of Mowbray
- 25 - North York Moors and Cleveland Hills
- 28 - Vale of York
- 30 - Southern Magnesian Limestone

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Study Area
- National Landscape Character Areas

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

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Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Included
DTM resolution:	5 m	Earth curvature:	Included



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NATIONAL LANDSCAPE CHARACTER WITH BLADE TIP ZTV BARE EARTH

FIGURE 5.6

Scale	Date
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0 10 20 Kilometres

414.063912.00001.0056.1 NLC with Blade Tip ZTV

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530000 520000 510000 500000

20 km

10 km

N

LEGEND

- Site Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- County Durham Landscape Character Areas
- North Yorkshire Landscape Character Areas

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

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Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Included
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included



County Durham Landscape Character Areas

1. North Pennines
2. Dales Fringe
3. Tees Lowlands
4. West Durham Coalfield

North Yorkshire Landscape Character Areas

1. Urban Landscapes
7. Yoredale Moors and Fells
9. Farmed Dale
13. Moors Fringe
24. River Floodplain
27. Vale Farmland with Dispersed Settlements
33. Gritstone High Plateau
34. Gritstone High Moors and Fells
36. Gritstone Valley

0 5 10

Kilometres

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LANDSCAPE CHARACTER WITH BLADE TIP ZTV BARE EARTH (DETAILED AREA)

FIGURE 5.7

Scale	Date
1:180,000 @ A3	MAY 2026

414.063912.00001.0057.1 LCA with Blade Tip ZTV

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414.063912.00001.0058.1 Designations with Blade Tip ZTV

N

40 km 30 km 20 km 10 km

Corby Castle
Hutton-In-The-Forest
The Image Garden
Dalemain
The English Lake District
Appleby Castle
Lake District National Park
Queen'S Garden
Sizergh Castle
Levens Hall
Dallam Tower
Arnside & Silverdale
Capernwray Hall
Lancaster Cemetery
Ashton Memorial Gardens And Williamson Park
Forest Of Bowland
Parcevall Hall
Yorkshire Dales National Park
North Pennines AONB
Lambton Castle
Lumley Castle
Durham
Old Durham Gardens
Durham Castle and Cathedral
Pasmore Pavilion
Burn Hall
Croxdale Hall
Brancepeth Castle
The Castle, Castle Eden
Ward Jackson Park
Auckland Castle Park
Hardwick Park
Ceddesfeld Hall Gardens
Ramshaw Hall Garden
Wynyard Park
Windlestone Hall
Raby Castle
Albert Park
Lartington Hall
West Cemetery, Darlington
Ropner Park
Landscape At Cummins Engine Factory, Darlington
Bowes Museum
Forcett Hall
Rokeby Park
South Park, Darlington
Garden At Tudor Croft, Guisborough
Middleton Lodge
Aske Hall
Arncliffe Hall
Temple Grounds
St Nicholas, Richmond
Hornby Castle Park
Constable Burton Hall
North York Moors
Thorp Perrow
Rievaulx Terrace
Duncombe Park
Swinton Castle
Norton Conyers
Newburgh Priory
Gilling Castl
Hackfall
Studley Royal Park including the ruins of Fountains Abbey WHS
Howardian Hills
Nidderdale
Japanese Garden At Grantley Hall
Studley Royal
Newby Hall
Ripley Castle
Allerton P...
Beningbrough Hall

0 10 20 Kilometres

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Study Area
- World Heritage Site
- Registered Parks & Gardens
- Heritage Coast
- National Landscape (previously AONB)
- National Park
- Areas of Higher Landscape Value

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

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Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Excluded
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included



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LANDSCAPE DESIGNATIONS WITH BLADE TIP ZTV BARE EARTH

FIGURE 5.8

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40 km 30 km 20 km 10 km

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Study Area
- Railway Track
- Motorway
- Primary Road
- A Road
- B Road
- Canal

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

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Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Excluded
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included



0 10 20 Kilometres

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TRANSPORTATION PRINCIPAL VISUAL RECEPTORS WITH BLADE TIP ZTV BARE EARTH

FIGURE 5.9

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414.063912.00001.0107.1 Transport PVR Blade Tip ZTV

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414.063912.00001.0059.1 Recreational PVR with Blade Tip ZTV

N

40 km 30 km 20 km 10 km

Pow Hill Allensford Whitworth Hall Hardwick Hall - Durham Wynyard Woodland Park Windlestone Hall Cowpen Bewley W Brimham Rocks

NCN7 NCN14 NCN70 NCN1 NCN715 NCN71 NCN68 NCN165 NCN65 NCN656 NCN657 NCN688

Long Distance Walking Route

1. Bay to Bay Walk
2. Cleveland Way
3. Coast to Coast
4. Dales High Way
5. Dales Walk
6. Dales Way
7. Falklands Way
8. Grassington to WestCoast
9. Great Cautley Challenge
10. Helm Wind Walk
11. Howgills 2000 Tops
12. Lady Annes Way
13. Millers Way
14. Pennine Bridleway
15. Pennine Way
16. Pennine Way NT
17. Ravenber Way
18. Ribble Way
19. Richmondway
20. South Tyne Trail
21. Stepping Over Stone
22. Swale Way
23. Teesdale Way
24. Three Rings of Shap 1
25. Three Rings of Shap 2
26. Three Rings of Shap 3
27. Three Ways Walk
28. Tidewater
29. Two Roses Way
30. Yoredale Way

0 10 20 Kilometres

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Study Area
- National Cycle Route
- National Cycle Link Route
- National Trail
- 1. Pennine Way
- 11. Pennine Bridleway
- Coastal Path
- Long Distance Walking Route
- Country Park

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Excluded
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included



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RECREATIONAL PRINCIPAL VISUAL RECEPTORS WITH BLADE TIP ZTV BARE EARTH

FIGURE 5.10

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512500 510000 507500 505000

5 km
4 km
3 km
2 km
1 km

T1 T2 T3 T4 T5 T6 T7 T8 T9 T10 T11 T12 T13 T14 T15 T16 T17 T18 T19 T20 T21 T22 T23

N

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 1 km Buffer
- Public Right Of Way (PRoW)

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

Blade tip:	200 m	Observer height:	2 m
DTM:	OS Terrain 5 and 50	Surface features:	Excluded
DTM resolution:	10 m	Earth curvature:	Included

0 1.25 2.5
Kilometres

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PRINCIPAL VISUAL RECEPTORS PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY WITH BLADE TIP ZTV

FIGURE 5.11

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414.063912.00001.0114.1 PRoW PVR Blade Tip

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414.063912.00001.0060.1 Cumulative Wind Farms

N

Boundary Lane
Greencroft Estate
40 km
Tow Law
Tow Law
Langley Moor
Southern Law
High Hedley Hope Extension
West Durham
30 km
Broom Hill Farm
MME3, Plot DC1, Integra 61
Trimdon Grange
Butterwick Moor
Walkway
20 km
Red Gap Moor
Lambs Hill
10 km
Moor House
Hambleton
Stockton on Tees
Aygill Intake

0 10 20
Kilometres

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Interval Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 45 km Study Area

Wind Farm Status

Source: Renewable Energy Planning Database (Department for Energy Security and Net Zero, updated April 2026)

- Operational
- Consented
- Application / Appeal



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CUMULATIVE WIND FARMS

FIGURE 5.12

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Viewpoint Location

VP1 - How Tallon round barrow and cup marked stones (1010540)

VP2 - Cairn on the summit of Arndale Hill, Hope Moor (1017426)

VP3 - Cairn near the summit of a low ridge, 850m south west of Cocker Stake Nook, Hope Moor (1017427)

VP4 - Prehistoric settlement and associated remains including carved rocks and a stone circle 400m north west of How Tallon Cairn, Barningham Moor (1017441)

VP5 - Prehistoric carved rocks and associated remains including cairns and a field system 800m south of Haythwaite, Barningham Moor (1017442)

VP6 - Cairn south of Cross Gill, 645m south east of Black Hill Gate, Barningham Moor (1017444)

VP7 - Cairnfield on a small knoll at Badger Way Stoop, Barningham Moor (1017445)

VP8 - Cairn on Holgate How (1014347)

VP9 - Ring cairn on Gayles Plantation, 390m ENE of Shooters Well (1014329)

VP10 - A cup marked rock with 13 cups and a groove, on a knoll in Scale Knoll Allotment, 700m north east of Black Hill Gate, Barningham Moor (1017410)

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Figure 7.1.2

Figure 7.1.3

Barningham Conservation Area

Swaledale and Arkengarthdale barns and walls Conservation Area

Rokeby Park Registered Park and Garden

Aske Hall Registered Park and Garden

N

0 2.5 5 Kilometres

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Proposed Turbine Location 5 km Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location 10 km Buffer

Listed Building (Grade)

- I
- II*
- II
- Schedule Monument Scoped In the Assessment
- Schedule Monument Scoped Out of Assessment
- Scheduled Monument
- Conservation Area
- Registered Park and Garden
- Viewpoint Location

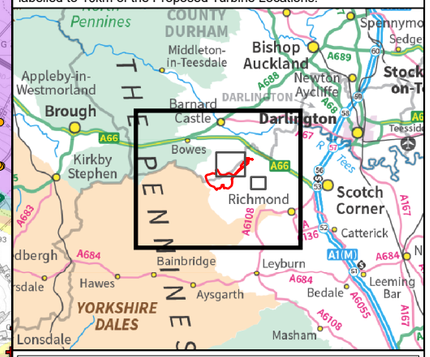
Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

Note

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FIGURE 6.1.1

Scale	Date
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Note

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The use of ZTV mapping at this stage is limited and the following assumptions should be noted:

- The ZTV has been generated using the proposed turbine locations for Hope Moor Wind Farm.
- The proposed turbine blade tip heights of 200 m have been used for generating the ZTV.
- The ZTV is generated from a bare earth terrain and does not account for the screening effect of features within the landscape such as settlements and woodland. It does not indicate potential visual effects or show the likely significance of effects. It shows potential theoretical visibility only. The ZTV has been produced for the purpose of informing 'on the ground' visual assessment.

414.063912.00001.0069.1 Designated Heritage

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location

Listed Building (Grade)

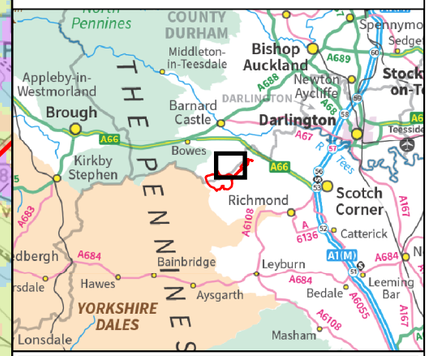
- II*
- II
- Schedule Monument Scoped In the Assessment
- Schedule Monument Scoped Out of Assessment
- Scheduled Monument
- Conservation Area
- Viewpoint Location

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

- 1 - 4
- 5 - 9
- 10 - 15
- 16 - 20
- 21 - 23

Note
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FIGURE 6.1.2

Scale	Date
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414.063912.00001.0105.1 DH Inset C

Earthwork 1009320

Drain

Track

Jenny's Plantation

Park Wood

Sprs

Livestock Pens

Rush Plantation

STONE MAN LANE

CG

1014329 VP9 1014334 1014336 1014335 1014337 1014322 1014323 1014324 1014325 1014326 1014327 1014331 1014332 1014333 1014341 1014342 1014343 1014344 1014345 1014346 1014360 1014361 1014362 1014363 1014364 1014365 1014366 1012598 1014340 1014834

Shake Holes

Area Of Shake Holes

Grove Gill

382m

375m

Feldom Rigg

Feldom Nick

Folly Plantation

Grass Moor

Pin Hill

Shake Hole

0 250 500

Metres

N

LEGEND

Proposed Turbine Location 5 km Buffer

Schedule Monument Scoped In the Assessment

Scheduled Monument

Viewpoint Location

Blade Tip Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) Bare Earth

Number of Blade Tips Theoretically Visible

1 - 4

5 - 9

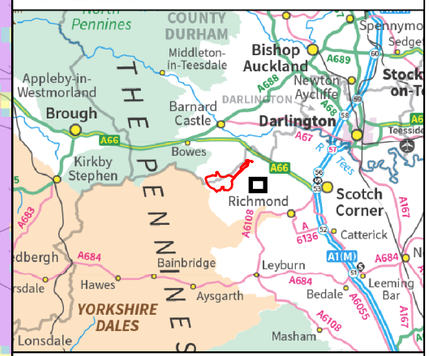
10 - 15

16 - 20

21 - 23

Note

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FIGURE 6.1.3

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510000 508000 506000

414.063912.00001.0070.1 Non-Designated

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 1 km Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Scheduled Monument Centrepoint
- Scheduled Monument

Historic Environment Record Location

- Prehistoric
- Romano-British
- Medieval
- Post-medieval
- Modern
- Undated

Historic Environment Records Linear

- Post-medieval

Historic Environment Records Polygon

- Prehistoric
- Post-medieval

Elevation (m)

- 0 - 200
- 200 - 300
- 300 - 400
- 400 - 450
- 450 - 550

Note
Only Scheduled Monuments within the 1 km buffer are labelled.

N

0 1 2 Kilometres

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FIGURE 6.2

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North Pennine Moors SAC
Kilmond Scar SSSI
God's Bridge SSSI
Sleightholme Beck Gorge - The Troughs SSSI
Brignall Banks SSSI
North Pennine Moors SAC
Bowes Moor SSSI
North Pennine Moors SAC
North Pennine Dales Meadows SAC
Shaw Beck Gill SSSI
Arkle Beck Meadows, Whaw SSSI
Fothering Holme SSSI
Arkengarthdale, Gunnerside and Reeth Moors SSSI
Gingerfields SSSI
Lower Swaledale Woods and Grasslands SSSI
North Pennine Moors SAC
Park Hall Meadows, Healaugh SSSI
Feetham Holme SSSI
Lovely Seat - Stainton Moor SSSI

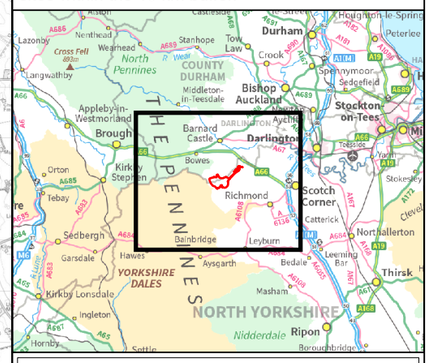
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Kilometres

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 10 km Buffer
- Special Area of Conservation (SAC)
- Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI)
- Local Nature Reserve (LNR)

Note
Only designations within the 10 km buffer are labelled.
There are no RAMSAR or National Nature Reserves sites within the 10 km buffer.



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STATUTORY DESIGNATIONS WITHIN 10 KM

FIGURE 7.1

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 2 km Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Local Environmental Record Centre (LERC) Boundary
- Special Protection Area (SPA)
- Special Area of Conservation (SAC)
- Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI)
- North Yorkshire Site of Importance for Nature Conservation (SINC)
- Durham Local Wildlife Site (LWS)

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Brignall Banks SSSI

Shaw Beck Gill SSSI

T1 T2 T3 T4 T5 T6 T7 T8 T9 T10 T11 T12 T13 T14 T15 T16 T17 T18 T19 T20 T21 T22 T23

Hud Scar/Hope Scar LWS

Hud Scar/Hope Scar LWS

Lockey Wood SINC

Low Easegill Grassland SINC

Moresdale Beck Grassland SINC

Rispey Gill SINC

Lummas House Meadows SINC

Hurst Complex SINC

Tongue Hill Meadows SINC

Shaw Beck Mines SINC

Mine Spoil Heaps Near Prys Lead Mine SINC

East Bank SINC

Waitgate Pastures SINC

Dicky Edge SINC

Marske Pasture SINC

Dalton Beck Grasslands SINC

North East North and East Yorkshire

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DESIGNATED SITES WITHIN 2 KM

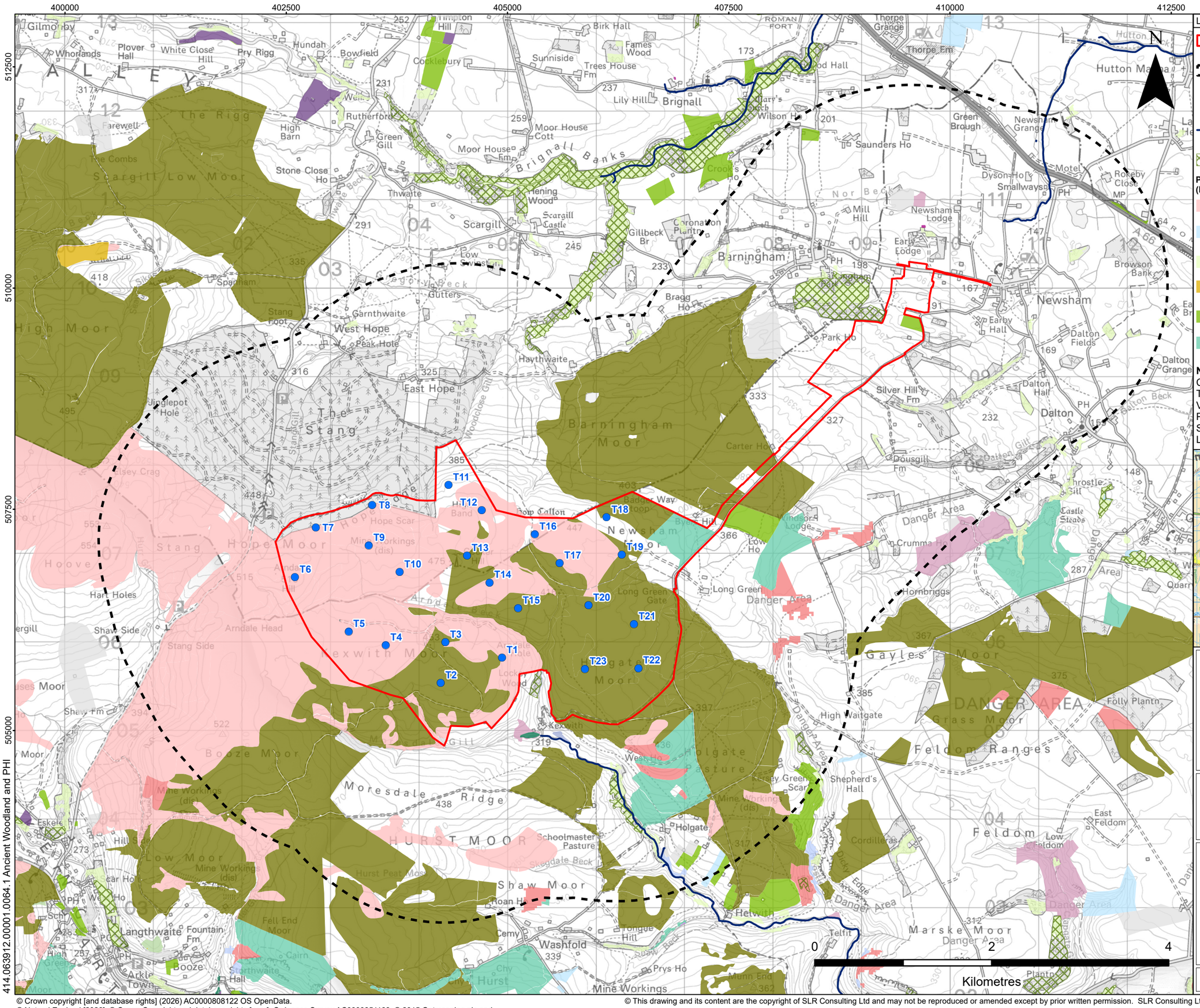
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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 2 km Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Priority River Habitat (Natural England)
- Ancient Woodland Inventory

Priority Habitat Inventory (Natural England)

- Blanket Bog
- Coastal and Floodplain Grazing Marsh
- Deciduous Woodland
- Fragmented Heath
- Good Quality Semi Improved Grassland
- Grass Moorland
- Lowland Calcareous Grassland
- Lowland Fen
- Lowland Heathland
- Lowland Meadow
- No Main Habitat but Additional Habitats Present
- Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pasture
- Traditional Orchard
- Upland Calcareous Grassland
- Upland Flush Fen and Swamp
- Upland Hay Meadow
- Upland Heathland

Note

Creator: Natural England
Title: Priority Habitats Inventory (England)
Version: 18 November 2025
Publisher: Defra Group / Natural England
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ANCIENT WOODLAND AND PRIORITY HABITAT INVENTORY WITHIN 2 KM

FIGURE 7.3

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Scargill
Barningham
Stang Foot
Moor Lane
Moresdale Road

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Kilometres

LEGEND

Scoping Boundary
Proposed Turbine Location
No Survey Access Area

Primary Habitat Classification

Rivers and Lakes
r2a - Rivers (Priority Habitat)

Cropland
c1c - Cereal Crops

Grassland
g1b6 - Other Upland Acid Grassland
g1c - Bracken
g3c - Other Neutral Grassland
g3c5 - Arrhenatherum Neutral Grassland
g3c7 - Deschampsia Neutral Grassland
g3c8 - Holcus-Juncus Neutral Grassland
g4 - Modified Grassland

Heathland
h1b - Upland Heathland
h1b5 - Dry Heaths; Upland (H4030)
h1b6 - Wet Heathland with Cross-Leaved Heath; Upland (H4010)

Heathland and Shrub
h3e - Gorse Scrub
h3f - Hawthorn Scrub
h3h - Mixed Scrub

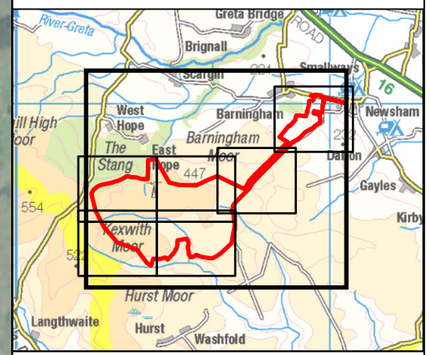
Rivers and Lakes
r1 - Standing Open Water and Canal

Sparsely Vegetated Land
s1a - Inland Rock Outcrop and Scree Habitats
s1d - Other Inland Rock and Scree

Urban
u1 - Built-up Area and Garden
u1b5 - Building
u1c - Artificial Unvegetated, Unsealed Surface

Wetland
f1a - Blanket Bog
f1a5 - Blanket Bog (H7130)
f1a6 - Degraded Blanket Bog
f2 - Fen Marsh and Swamp
f2b - Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pastures
f2c - Upland Flushes Fens and Swamps
f2f - Other Wetlands

Woodland and Forest
w1g - Other Woodland; Broadleaved
w1g7 Other broadleaved woodland types
w1h - Other Woodland; Mixed
w1h6 - Other Woodland; Mixed; Mainly Conifer
w2c - Other Coniferous Woodland



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FIGURE 7.4.1

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- No Survey Access Area

Primary Habitat Classification

Rivers and Lakes
- r2a - Rivers (Priority Habitat)

Grassland
- g1b6 - Other Upland Acid Grassland
- g1c - Bracken

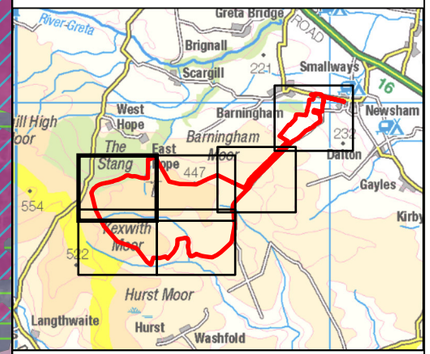
Heathland
- h1b - Upland Heathland
- h1b5 - Dry Heaths; Upland (H4030)
- h1b6 - Wet Heathland with Cross-Leaved Heath; Upland (H4010)

Sparsely Vegetated Land
- s1a - Inland Rock Outcrop and Scree Habitats
- s1d - Other Inland Rock and Scree

Urban
- u1 - Built-up Area and Garden
- u1c - Artificial Unvegetated, Unsealed Surface

Wetland
- f1a - Blanket Bog
- f1a5 - Blanket Bog (H7130)
- f1a6 - Degraded Blanket Bog
- f2 - Fen Marsh and Swamp
- f2b - Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pastures
- f2c - Upland Flushes Fens and Swamps
- f2f - Other Wetlands

Woodland and Forest
- w2c - Other Coniferous Woodland



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FIGURE 7.4.2

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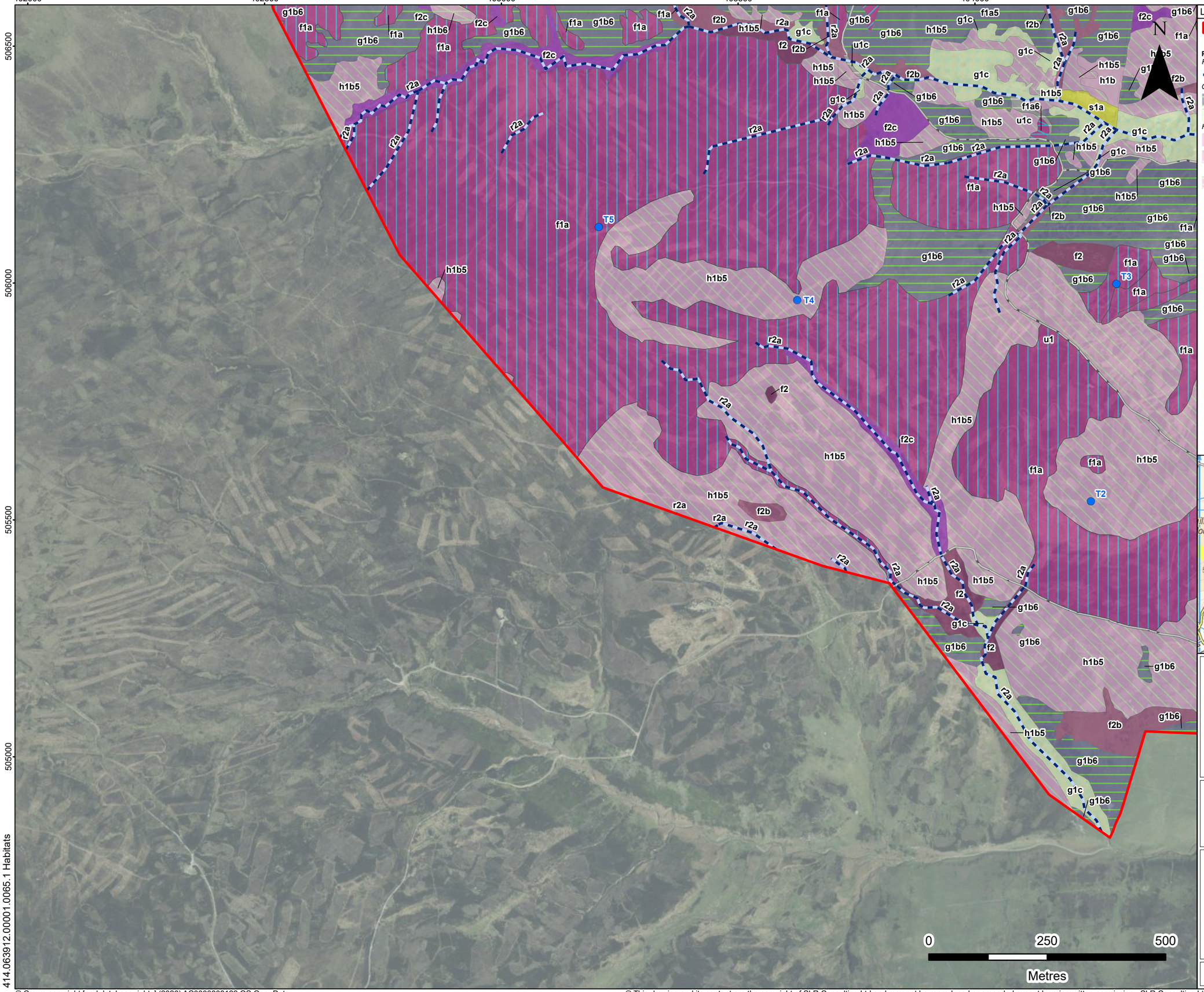
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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location

Primary Habitat Classification

Rivers and Lakes
- r2a - Rivers (Priority Habitat)

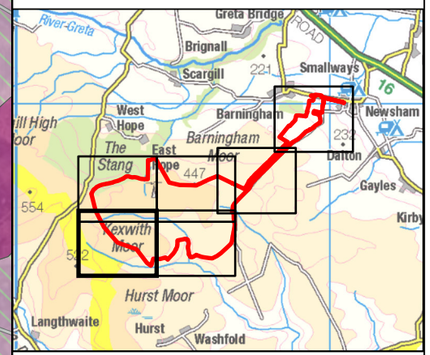
Grassland
- g1b6 - Other Upland Acid Grassland
- g1c - Bracken

Heathland
- h1b - Upland Heathland
- h1b5 - Dry Heaths; Upland (H4030)
- h1b6 - Wet Heathland with Cross-Leaved Heath; Upland (H4010)

Sparsely Vegetated Land
- s1a - Inland Rock Outcrop and Scree Habitats

Urban
- u1 - Built-up Area and Garden
- u1c - Artificial Unvegetated, Unsealed Surface

Wetland
- f1a - Blanket Bog
- f1a5 - Blanket Bog (H7130)
- f1a6 - Degraded Blanket Bog
- f2 - Fen Marsh and Swamp
- f2b - Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pastures
- f2c - Upland Flushes Fens and Swamps



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LEGEND

Scoping Boundary
Proposed Turbine Location
No Survey Access Area

Primary Habitat Classification

Rivers and Lakes
r2a - Rivers (Priority Habitat)

Grassland
g1b6 - Other Upland Acid Grassland
g1c - Bracken
g3c - Other Neutral Grassland
g3c5 - Arrhenatherum Neutral Grassland
g4 - Modified Grassland

Heathland
h1b - Upland Heathland
h1b5 - Dry Heaths; Upland (H4030)

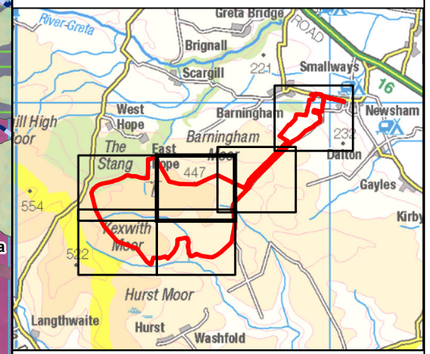
Rivers and Lakes
r1 - Standing Open Water and Canal

Sparsely Vegetated Land
s1d - Other Inland Rock and Scree

Urban
u1 - Built-up Area and Garden
u1b5 - Building

Wetland
f1a - Blanket Bog
f1a5 - Blanket Bog (H7130)
f2 - Fen Marsh and Swamp
f2b - Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pastures
f2c - Upland Flushes Fens and Swamps
f2f - Other Wetlands

Woodland and Forest
w1g7 Other broadleaved woodland types
w2c - Other Coniferous Woodland



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FIGURE 7.4.4

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Scoping Boundary
Proposed Turbine Location

Primary Habitat Classification

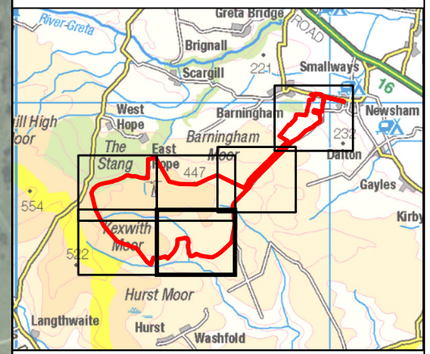
Rivers and Lakes
r2a - Rivers (Priority Habitat)

Grassland
g1b6 - Other Upland Acid Grassland
g1c - Bracken

Heathland
h1b - Upland Heathland
h1b5 - Dry Heaths; Upland (H4030)

Urban
u1 - Built-up Area and Garden
u1b5 - Building

Wetland
f1a - Blanket Bog
f2 - Fen Marsh and Swamp
f2b - Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pastures
f2c - Upland Flushes Fens and Swamps
f2f - Other Wetlands



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LEGEND

Scoping Boundary

No Survey Access Area

Primary Habitat Classification

Rivers and Lakes

r2a - Rivers (Priority Habitat)

Grassland

g1b6 - Other Upland Acid Grassland

g1c - Bracken

g3c - Other Neutral Grassland

g3c5 - Arrhenatherum Neutral Grassland

g3c7 - Deschampsia Neutral Grassland

g3c8 - Holcus-Juncus Neutral Grassland

g4 - Modified Grassland

Heathland

h1b - Upland Heathland

h1b5 - Dry Heaths; Upland (H4030)

Rivers and Lakes

r1 - Standing Open Water and Canal

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Wetland

f1a - Blanket Bog

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f2b - Purple Moor Grass and Rush Pastures

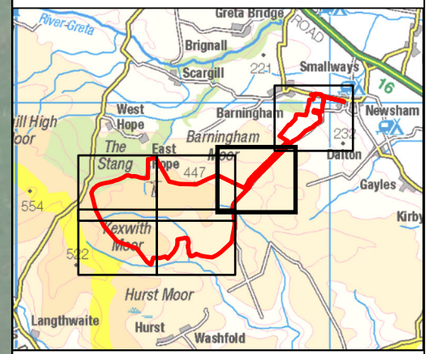
f2c - Upland Flushes Fens and Swamps

f2f - Other Wetlands

Woodland and Forest

w1g7 Other broadleaved woodland types

w2c - Other Coniferous Woodland



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Barningham

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LEGEND

Scoping Boundary
No Survey Access Area

Primary Habitat Classification

Rivers and Lakes
r2a - Rivers (Priority Habitat)

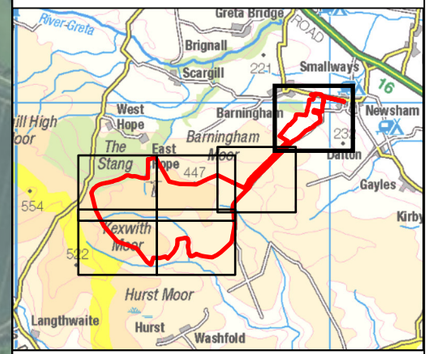
Cropland
c1c - Cereal Crops

Grassland
g1c - Bracken
g3c - Other Neutral Grassland
g3c5 - Arrhenatherum Neutral Grassland
g3c8 - Holcus-Juncus Neutral Grassland
g4 - Modified Grassland

Heathland and Shrub
h3e - Gorse Scrub
h3f - Hawthorn Scrub
h3h - Mixed Scrub

Urban
u1 - Built-up Area and Garden
u1b5 - Building

Woodland and Forest
w1g - Other Woodland; Broadleaved
w1g7 Other broadleaved woodland types
w1h - Other Woodland; Mixed
w1h6 - Other Woodland; Mixed; Mainly Conifer
w2c - Other Coniferous Woodland



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Bollihope, Pikestone, Eggleston and Woodland Fells SSSI

Teesdale Allotments SSSI

Upper Teesdale SSSI

Lune Forest SSSI

Cotherstone Moor SSSI

Bowes Moor SSSI

Mallerstang-Swaledale Head SSSI

Arkengarthdale, Gunnerside and Reeth Moors SSSI

North Pennine Moors SPA

Lovely Seat - Stainton Moor SSSI

Swale Lakes SSSI

Brinkburn LNR

Geneva Wood LNR

Foxglove Covert LNR

Ballowfield LNR

Freeholder's Wood & Ridding's Field LNR

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 20 km Buffer
- Special Protection Area (SPA)
- Site of Special Scientific Interest Impact Risk Zone (SSSI IRZ)
- National Nature Reserve (NNR)
- Local Nature Reserve (LNR)

Note
Designations have been filtered to those with Ornithology features.
Only designations within or intersecting with the 20 km buffer are labelled.

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STATUTORY DESIGNATIONS WITHIN 20 KM

FIGURE 8.1

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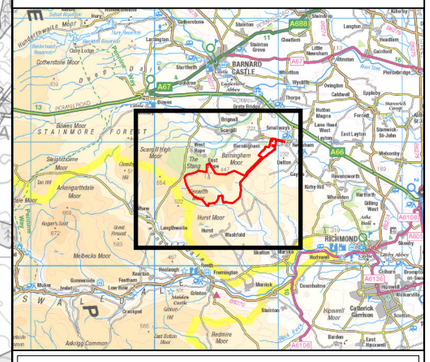
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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Vantage Point (VP) Location
- Vantage Point 2 km Viewing Arc
- Area of Theoretical Visibility from VP1
- Area of Theoretical Visibility from VP2
- Area of Theoretical Visibility from VP3

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Note
This Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) has been generated using ESRI ArcGIS Spatial Analyst extension. The digital terrain model (DTM) has been derived from OS Terrain 5 dataset (accuracy: 2.5m RMSE). The ZTV has been generated from a viewing height of 1 m above ground level, and a surface offset of 20 m.



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FLIGHT ACTIVITY SURVEY AREA
APRIL 2022 - AUGUST 2024

FIGURE 8.2

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414.063912.00001.0067.1 Flight Activity Survey Area

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Breeding Bird Survey Area 2022 and 2023 Breeding Seasons
- Nightjar Survey Area 2022 Breeding Season
- Winter Walkover Survey Area 2022/2023 and 2023/2024 Non-breeding Seasons
- Black Grouse 2022 and 2023 Lekking Seasons
- Scarce Breeding Bird 2022 and 2023 Breeding Seasons

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BREEDING AND WINTERING BIRD SURVEY AREAS APRIL 2022 - AUGUST 2024

FIGURE 8.3

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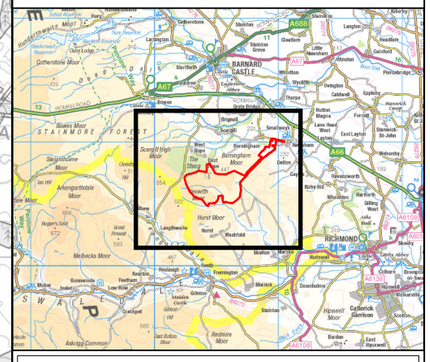
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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Vantage Point (VP) Location
- Vantage Point 2 km Viewing Arc
- Area of Theoretical Visibility from VP1
- Area of Theoretical Visibility from VP2
- Area of Theoretical Visibility from VP3
- Area of Theoretical Visibility from VP4

Note
This Zone of Theoretical Visibility (ZTV) has been generated using ESRI ArcGIS Spatial Analyst extension. The digital terrain model (DTM) has been derived from OS Terrain 5 dataset (accuracy: 2.5m RMSE). The ZTV has been generated from a viewing height of 1 m above ground level, and a surface offset of 20 m.



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FLIGHT ACTIVITY SURVEY AREA 2026 BREEDING SEASON

FIGURE 8.4

Scale 1:40,000 @ A3

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0 1 2 Kilometres

414.063912.00001.0109.1 Flight Activity Survey Area 2026

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LEGEND

Scoping Boundary

Proposed Turbine Location

Breeding Season 2026

Breeding Bird Survey Area

Black Grouse Survey Area

Scarce Breeding Bird Survey Area

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0 1 2 Kilometres

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**BREEDING BIRD SURVEY AREA
2026 BREEDING SEASON**

FIGURE 8.5

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414.063912.00001.0110.1 Breeding Bird Survey Area

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414.063912.00001.0071.2 Hydrology Setting

Brignall Banks SSSI

Aldbrough Beck From Source To Clow Beck River Wb Catchment

Gill Beck From Source To Greta River Wb Catchment

Skeeby/holme/dalton Bk From Source To River Swale River Wb Catchment

Marske Beck From Source To River Swale River Wb Catchment

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SCARGILL CP · BARNINGHAM CP · NEWSHAM CP · DALTON CP · HOPE CP · NEW FOREST CP · GAYLES CP

Scargill Low Moor · Barningham Moor · Kexwith Moor · Hope Moor · Harker Moor · Gayles Moor · Newsham Pasture · Peat Moor · Hurst Moor

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 500 m Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location

Hydrological Features

- Statutory Main River
- Minor Watercourse (OS OpenMap Local)
- Waterbody (OS OpenMap Local)
- Surface Waterbody Catchment

Ecological Feature

- Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI)

0 1 2 Kilometres

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HYDROLOGY & HYDROGEOLOGY

HYDROLOGICAL SETTING

FIGURE 9.1

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414.063912.00001.0072.1 Watercourses and Flooding

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 500 m Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location

Watercourses and Flooding

- Statutory Main River
- Minor Watercourse (OS OpenMap Local)
- Waterbody (OS OpenMap Local)
- Flood Map for Planning (Rivers and Sea) Flood Zone 3
- Flood Map for Planning (Rivers and Sea) Flood Zone 2

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0 1 2 Kilometres

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WATERCOURSES AND FLOODING

FIGURE 9.2

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414.063912.00001.0073.1 Hydrogeological Setting

Tees Carb Limestone & Millstone Grit

SUNO Millstone Grit and Carboniferous Limestone

T1 T2 T3 T4 T5 T6 T7 T8 T9 T10 T11 T12 T13 T14 T15 T16 T17 T18 T19 T20 T21 T22 T23

SCARGILL CP BARNINGHAM CP NEWSHAM CP DALTON CP HOPE CP NEW FOREST CP GAYLES CP

Barningham Moor Kexwith Moor Hope Moor Harker Moss

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 500 m Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Water Framework Directive (WFD) Groundwater Bodies Cycle 3 Classification 2022

Source Protection Zone (SPZ)

- Zone 1 – Inner Protection Zone (Protective Cover)
- Zone 2 - Outer Protection Zone (Protective Cover)

N

0 1 2 Kilometres

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HYDROGEOLOGICAL SETTING

FIGURE 9.3

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414.063912.00001.0102.1 Probe Depth

LEGEND

Scoping Boundary

Proposed Turbine Location

Probe Depth (m)

- 0 - 0.3
- 0.3 - 0.4
- 0.4 - 0.5
- 0.5 - 1
- 1 - 1.5
- 1.5 - 2
- 2 - 3
- 3 - 4
- 4 - 5

N

0 1 2 Kilometres

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GEOLOGY AND GROUND CONDITIONS

PEAT DEPTH INTERPOLATION

FIGURE 10.1

Scale 1:25,000 @ A3

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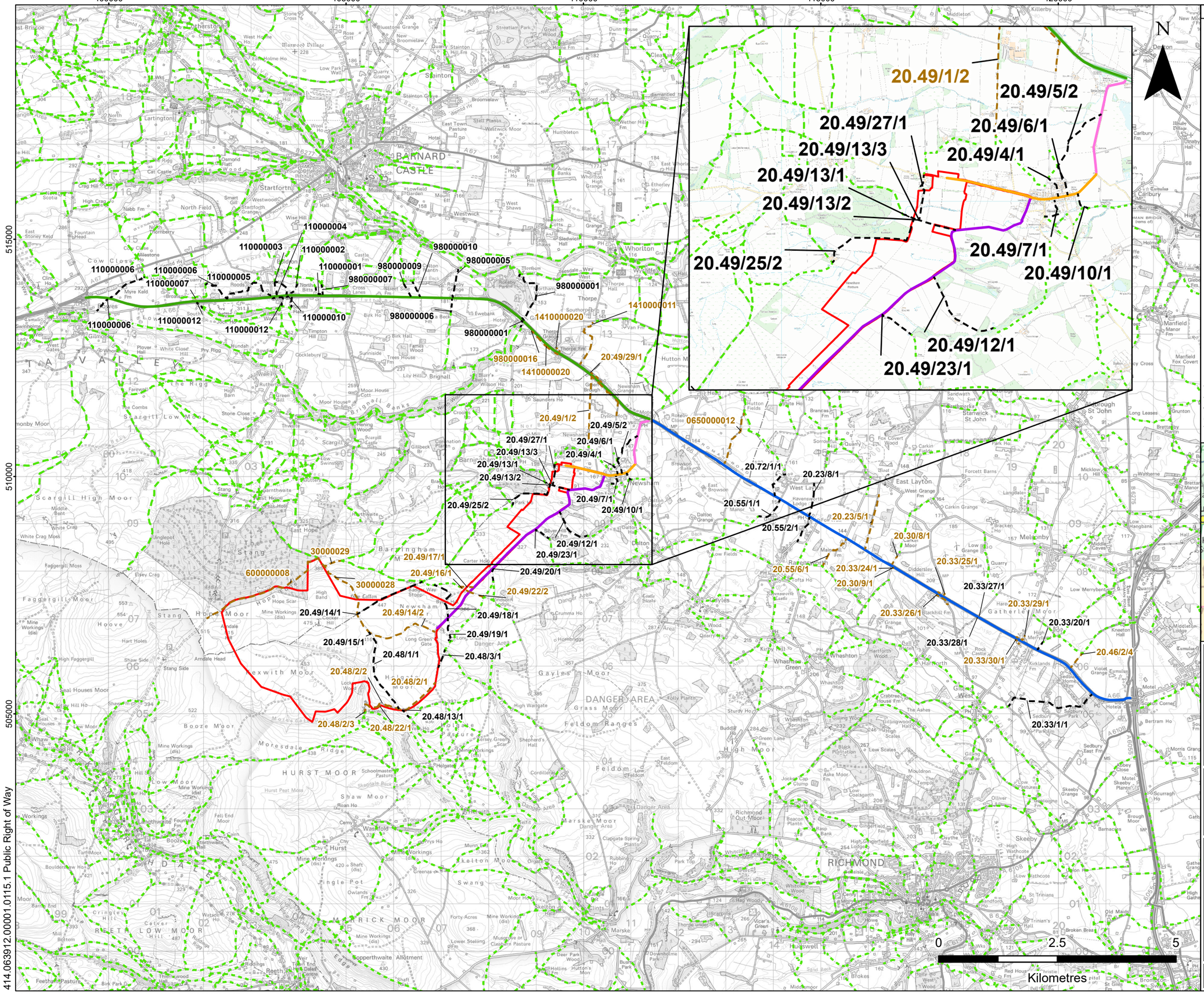
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414.063912.00001.0115.1 Public Right of Way



LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary

Public Right of Way

- Bridleway
- Footpath
- Wider Public Right of Way Network

Transport Study Area

- Moor Lane
- Barningham Road
- Low Lane
- A66 between Low Lane and A67
- A66 between Low Lane and A1(M) Junction 53 at Scotch Corner

Note
The A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project plans alterations to some of the Public Rights of Way shown on this figure which interact with the A66.
Only PRoW which intersect the Scoping Boundary or Transport Study Area are labelled.

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ACCESS, TRAFFIC & TRANSPORT

TRANSPORT STUDY AREA AND PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY

FIGURE 11.1

Scale 1:75,000 @ A3

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414.063912.00001.0077.1 Vehicle Routes

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NORTH

LEGEND

Scoping Boundary

Proposed Turbine Delivery Route (TDR)

Able Seaton Port

Teesport

0 5 10 Kilometres

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ABNORMAL INDIVISIBLE LOAD VEHICLE ROUTES

FIGURE 11.2

Scale 1:250,000 @ A3

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414.063912.00001.0074.1 Study Area

LEGEND

Scoping Boundary

Proposed Turbine Location

Noise Level Contour

32dB Contour

35dB Contour

N

T1 T2 T3 T4 T5 T6 T7 T8 T9 T10 T11 T12 T13 T14 T15 T16 T17 T18 T19 T20 T21 T22 T23

SCARGILL CP

BARNINGHAM CP

NEWSHAM CP

HOPE CP

NEW FOREST CP

DALTON

GAYLES

Barningham Moor

Hope Moor

Kexwith Moor

Hurst Moor

Gayles Moor

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NOISE AND VIBRATION

NOISE AND VIBRATION STUDY AREA AND 32 dB AND 35 dB CONTOURS

FIGURE 12.1

Scale 1:30,000 @ A3

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0 1 2 Kilometres

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414.063912.00001.0075.1 Potential NSR

LEGEND

- Site Boundary
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Noise Sensitive Receptor (NSR) Location
- 32dB Contour
- 35dB Contour

Name	X	Y
Kexwith	405349	505058
Schoolmaster Pasture	406050	503847
Holgate	406823	503896
West House	406379	504759
High Roan House	404747	503028
Washfold	405166	502767
Slack Hills	405692	502753
Haythwaite	405730	509117
Far East Hope	403970	508952
East Hope	403825	508975
Peak Hole	403159	509295
West Hope	402927	509362
Forestry Lodge	402415	509000
Stang House	401046	506155
Long Green	407184	506604
Byers Hill	407137	507472
Low Swinston	404500	510447
Scargill	405169	510598
Garnthwaite	403194	509649
Stang Foot	402555	509535
Shaw Farm	400544	505189

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POTENTIAL NOISE SENSITIVE RECEPTORS

FIGURE 12.2

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414.063912.00001.0086.1 Potential Sensitive Receptors

LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 250 m Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Residential Receptor Location
- Ancient Woodland Inventory

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AIR QUALITY

POTENTIAL SENSITIVE RECEPTORS

FIGURE 15.1

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414.063912.00001.0124.1 Socio-Economics Study Area

Upper Teesdale Ward

North Richmondshire Ward

Upper Dales Ward

County Durham LPA

Westmorland and Furness LPA

Yorkshire Dales National Park LPA

North Yorkshire LPA

Darlington LPA

Stockton-on-Tees LPA

Hartlepool LPA

LEGEND

Scoping Boundary

Regional Area

Local Planning Authority (LPA) Boundary

Local Area

Ward Boundary

North Richmondshire

Upper Dales

Upper Teesdale

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Newcastle upon Tyne
Sunderland
Carlisle
Ripon
Lancaster
York
Preston
Leeds
Manchester

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STUDY AREA

FIGURE 17.1

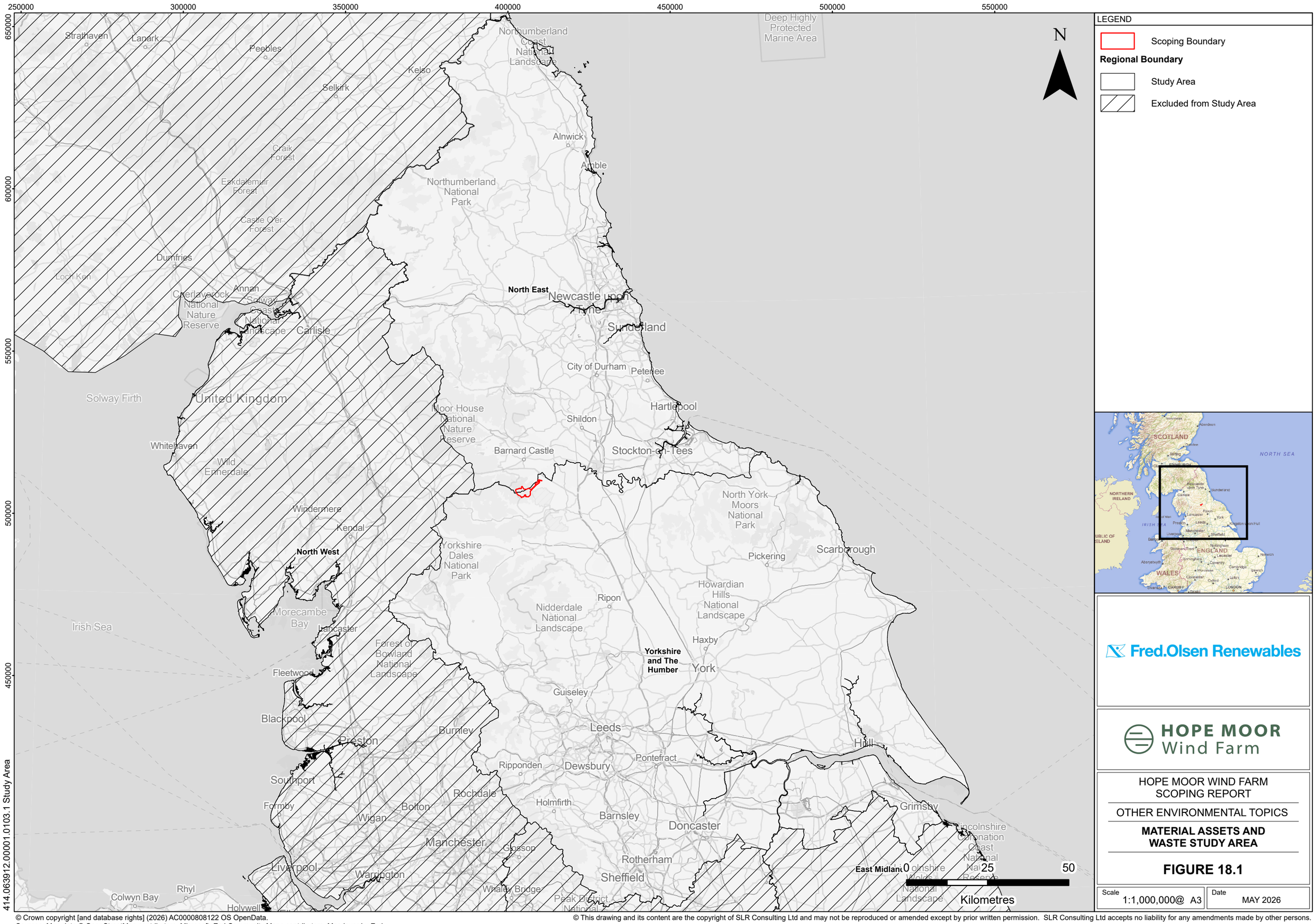
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MATERIAL ASSETS AND WASTE STUDY AREA

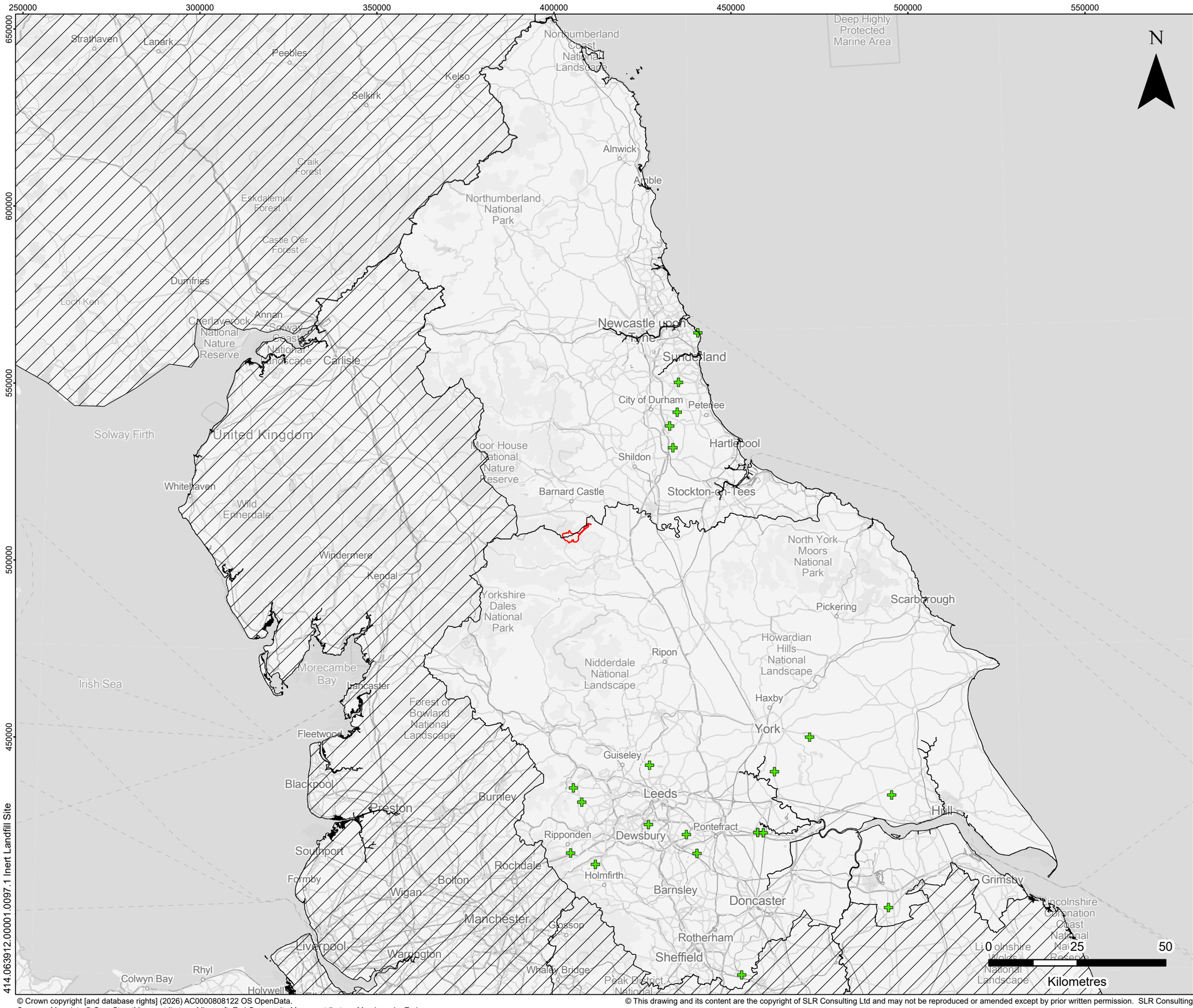
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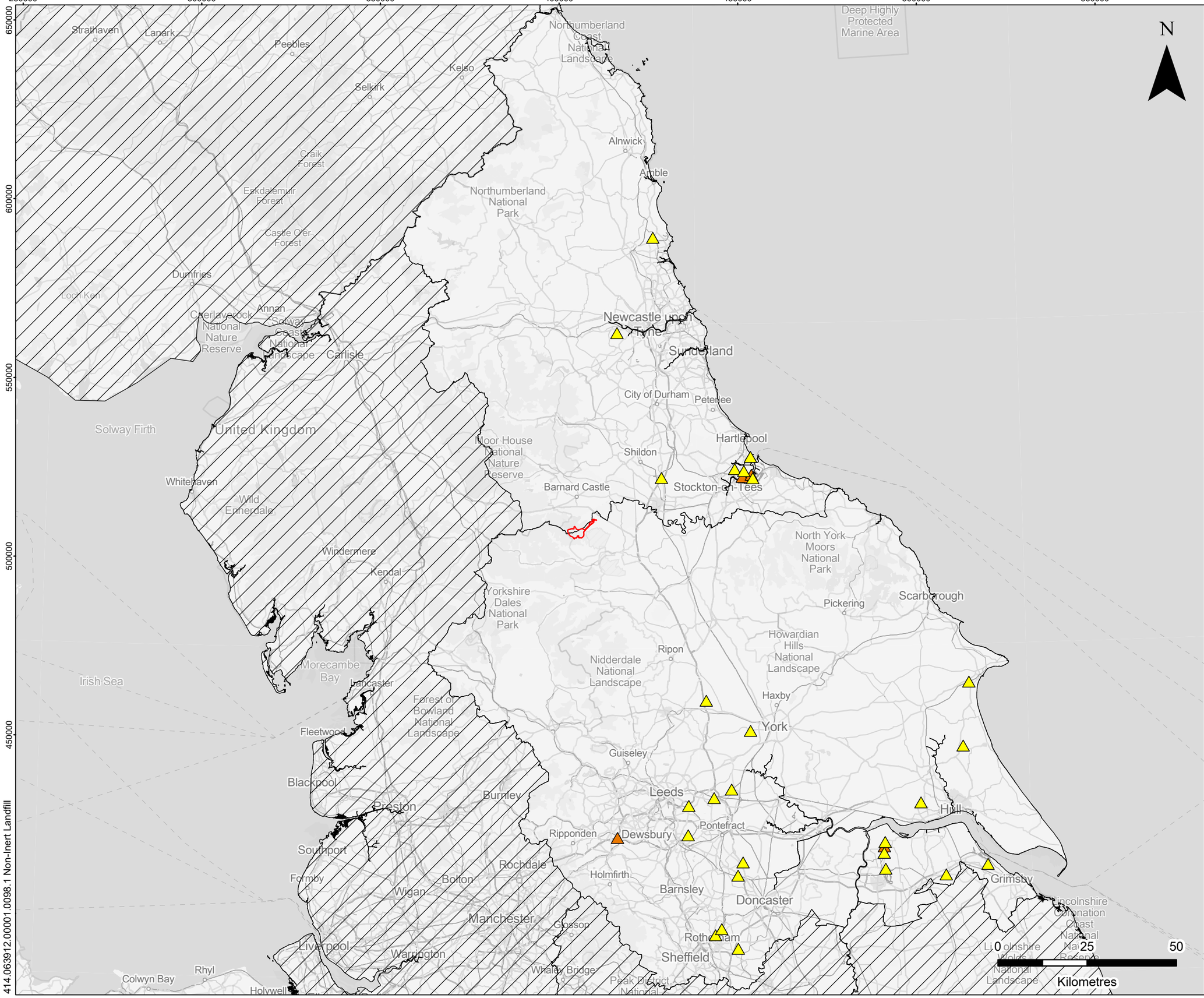
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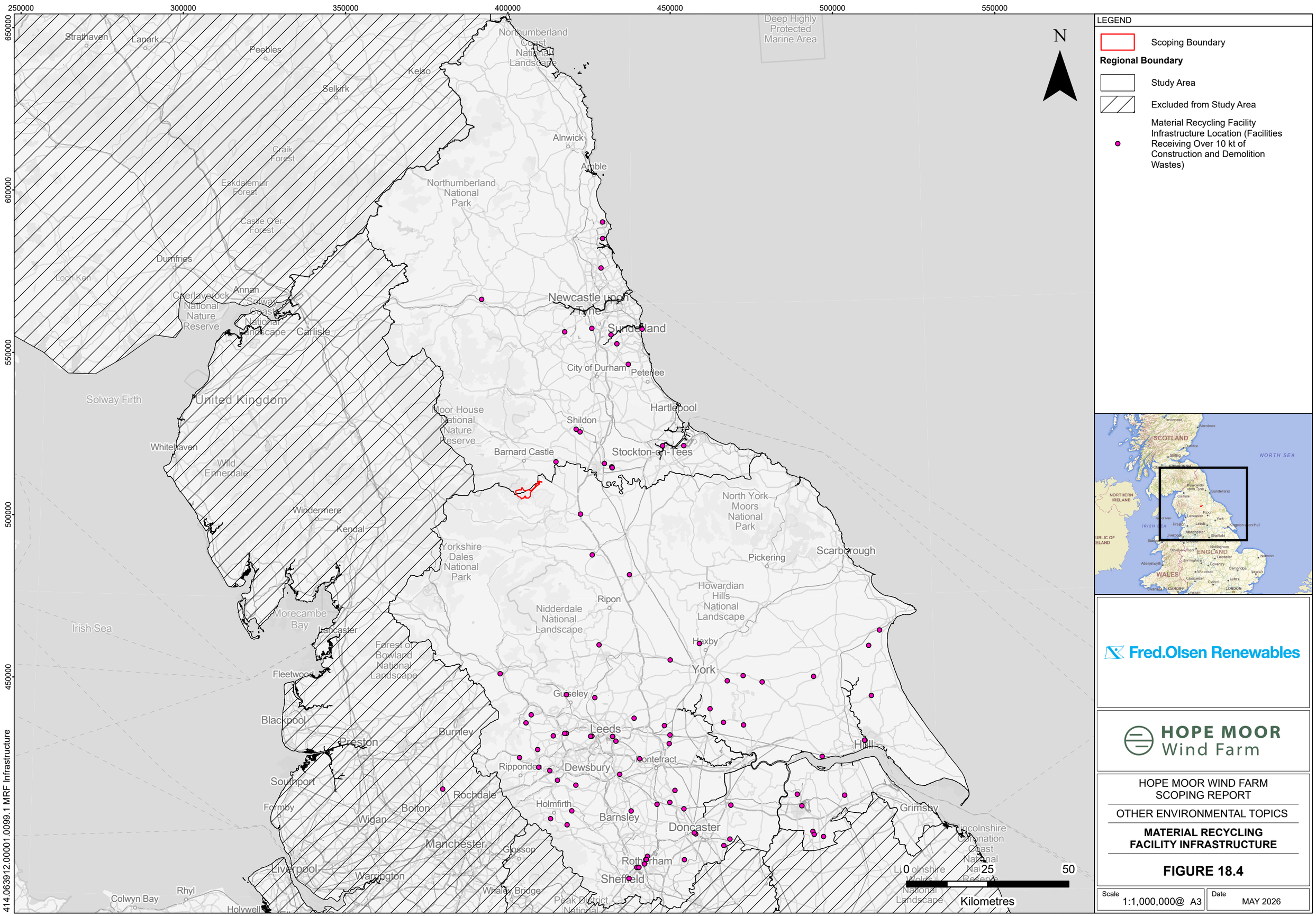
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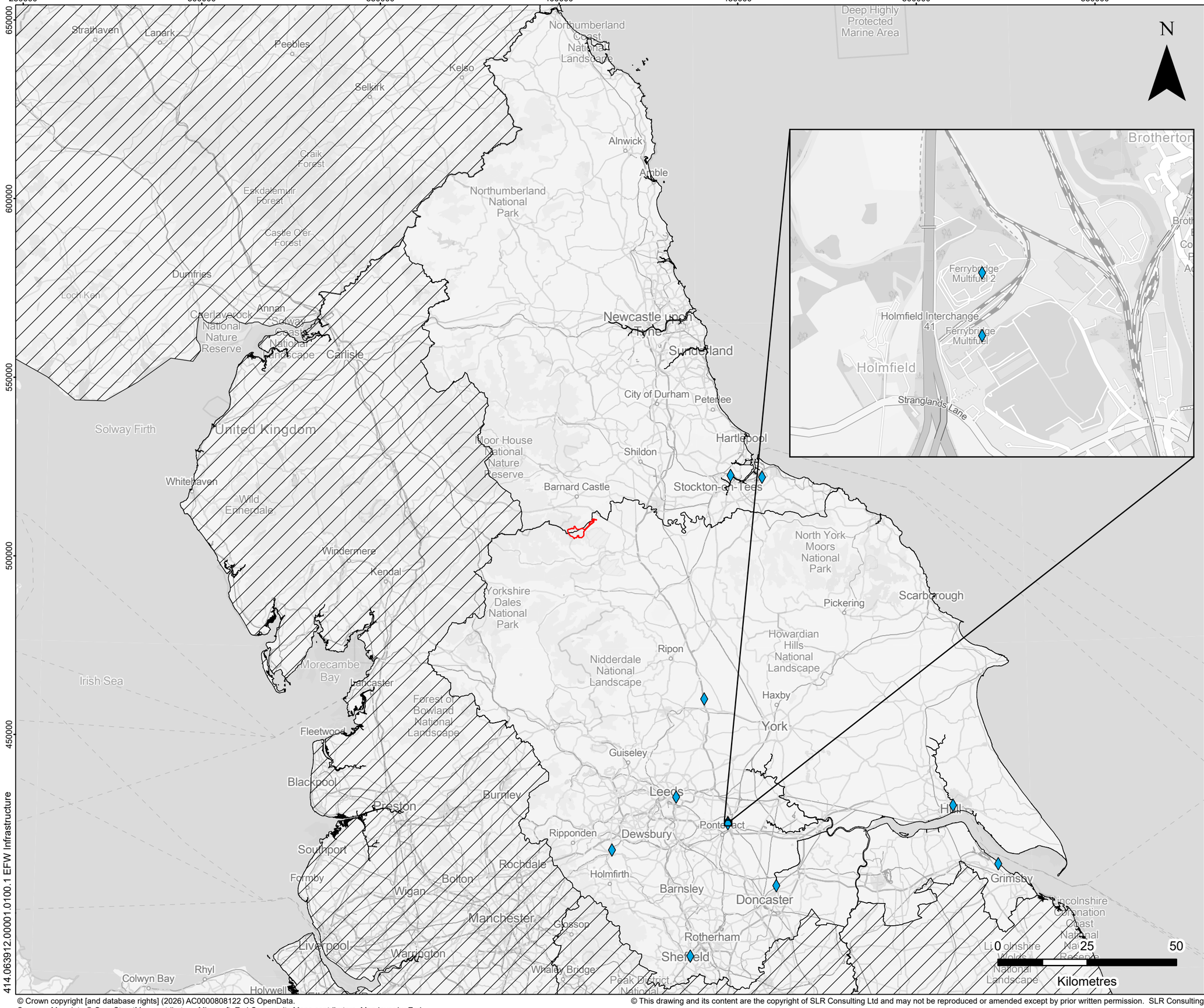
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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- **Regional Boundary**
- Study Area
- Excluded from Study Area
- Energy from Waste Facility Infrastructure Location



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ENERGY FROM WASTE FACILITY INFRASTRUCTURE

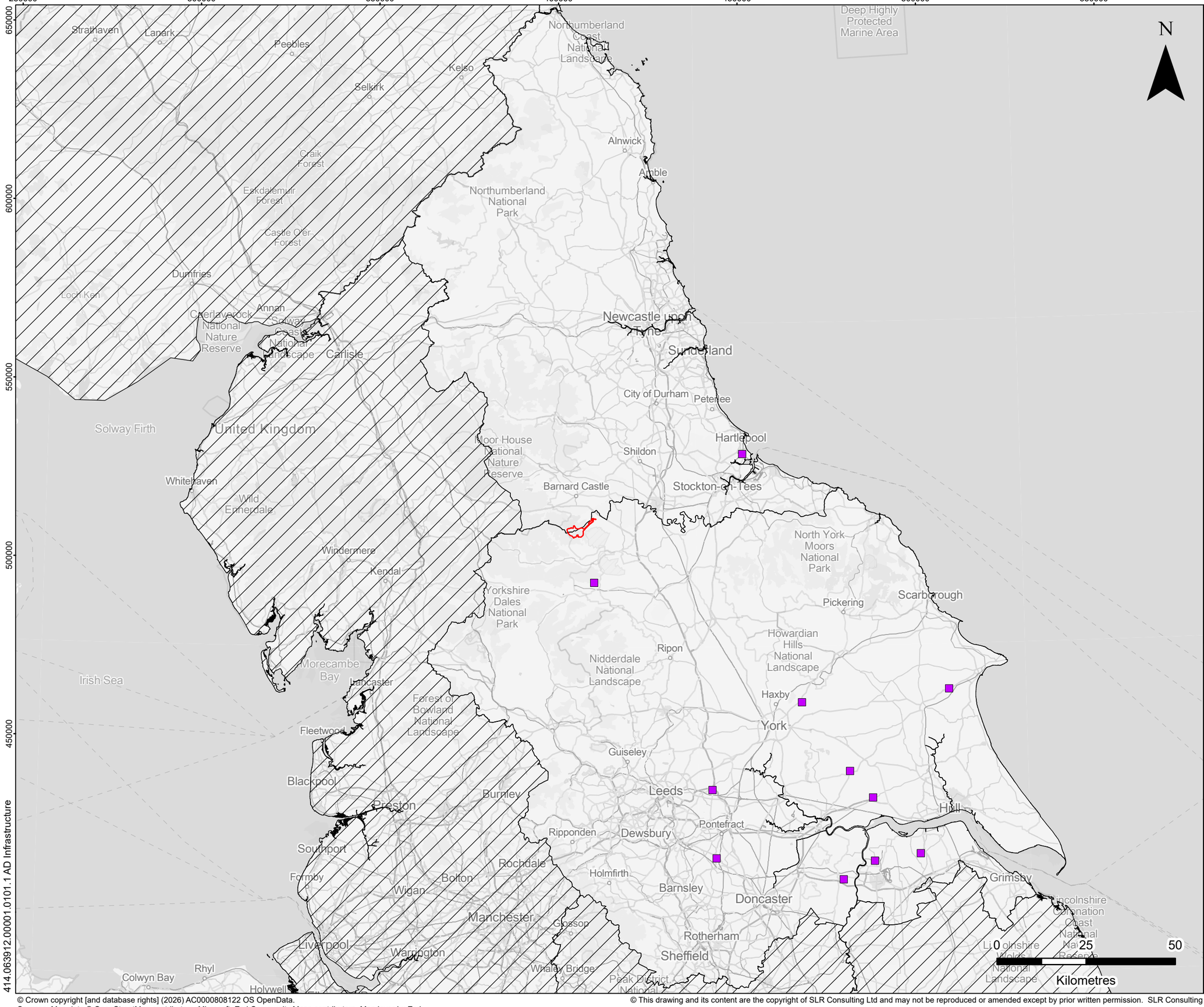
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ANAEROBIC DIGESTION FACILITY INFRASTRUCTURE

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 500 m Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location
- Lower Level Super Ouput Area (LSOA)

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County Durham 067G

Richmondshire 001F

Richmondshire 001C

Richmondshire 005D

Richmondshire 004E

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HUMAN HEALTH STUDY AREA

FIGURE 18.7

Scale 1:40,000 @ A3

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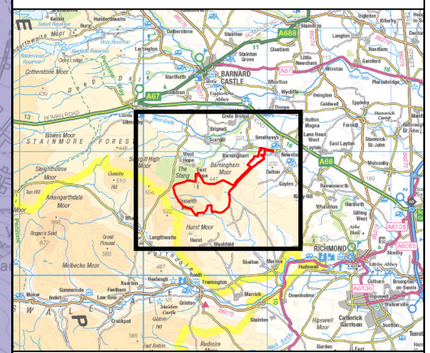
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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 500 m Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location

Indices of Multiple Deprivation Decile (2025)

- 1 (Most Deprived)
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9
- 10 (Least Deprived)



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INDICES OF MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION (IMD) - OVERALL DEPRIVATION

FIGURE 18.8

Scale	Date
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Kilometres

414.063912.00001.0088.1 IMD Overall

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414.063912.00001.0089.1 IMD Health

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LEGEND

- Scoping Boundary
- Scoping Boundary 500 m Buffer
- Proposed Turbine Location

Health Deprivation and Disability Decile

- (Most Deprived)
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9
- 10 (Least Deprived)

County Durham 067G Decile: 6

Richmondshire 005D Decile: 9

Richmondshire 001F Decile: 9

Richmondshire 001C Decile: 8

T1 T2 T3 T4 T5 T6 T7 T8 T9 T10 T11 T12 T13 T14 T15 T16 T17 T18 T19 T20 T21 T22 T23

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Kilometres

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INDICES OF MULTIPLE DEPRIVATION (IMD) - HEALTH DEPRIVATION

FIGURE 18.9

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