

Site Number	86	Site Name	Limerigg Ponds
Location	Limerigg		



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Hierarchy	4 - Settlement	Typology	Open semi-natural
Area (Ha)	1.1	Ownership	

Surrounding Environment	Completely surrounded by woodland		
Access Points	Multiple (Map Correct)	Access Type	Public

ELEMENTS		FACILITIES	
0 = Absent	1 = Minimal	2 = Evident	3 = Abundant
Bog / Marshland	2	Benches	0
Amenity / Ornamental Planting	0	Bins	0
Formal Paths	1	Dog Litter Bins	0
Informal Tracks	0	Lighting	0
Mown Grass	0	Fencing	0
Long Grass	2	Walling	0
General Hard Space	0	Signage	0
General Soft Space	0	Play Facilities	0
Soft Tiling / Play Surface	0	Storage Huts	0
Scrub / Regenerating Woodland	3	Kick-about Areas	0
Shelterbelt	0	Sports Pitch	0
Avenue Trees	0	Public Toilets	0
Formal Water Feature	0	Disabled Access	0
Informal / Natural Water Feature	1	Car Park	0
Deciduous Woodland	0	Cafe / Restaurant	0
Mixed Woodland	2	Other Building	0
Coniferous Woodland	0	Other:	0
Canal Basin	0		
Roadside Planting	0		
Parkland Trees	0		
Other:	0		

Public Park and Garden	Amenity Open Space	Playspaces
No	No	No
Sports Area	Natural / Semi-Natural Greenspace	Green Corridor
No	Yes	No

QUALITY SCORES - SITE	Included	Score
Accessibility	YES	2
Health and Wellbeing	YES	2
Cleanliness and Maintenance	NO	2
Biodiversity and Nature Conservation	YES	4
Cultural Heritage and Local History	NO	1
Community Involvement	NO	3
Design and Aesthetic Qualities	NO	2
Marketing	NO	0
Management	NO	0
Average Quality and Fitness For Purpose Score		2.7

Main benefits of the open space
Biodiversity/wildlife value and visual attraction in a secluded, quiet setting. Strong landscape character & local distinctiveness.
Main detractors of the open space
Very poor & unclear access to site. Situated well off the road and behind adjacent open space.
Main design opportunities
Possible improvement of habitat management at site for further biodiversity and wildlife benefits. Improve access from road through to site & introduce signage.
Main design constraints
No capacity for improvement through structures.
Recommendations / Observations / Strategy
Conservation and enhancement as a wildlife site/nature reserve. Improve track for walking/biking access. Improve gateway to site access/signage/awareness of site.

Finalised Draft Local Plan Comments
Proposals for other sites in the village may affect the site. EN.LIM1 Lochside Road. Opportunity: Environmental Improvements. Comments: Opportunity exists to improve this area, possibly through development for housing or another appropriate use. EN.LIM2 Slamannan Road Opportunity: Environmental Improvements. Comments: Brownfield former housing site which could be landscaped and planted, redeveloped for housing, or put to some other appropriate use.
Additional Comments