

# Melvin & Arney Local Management Area



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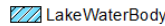
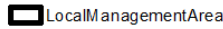
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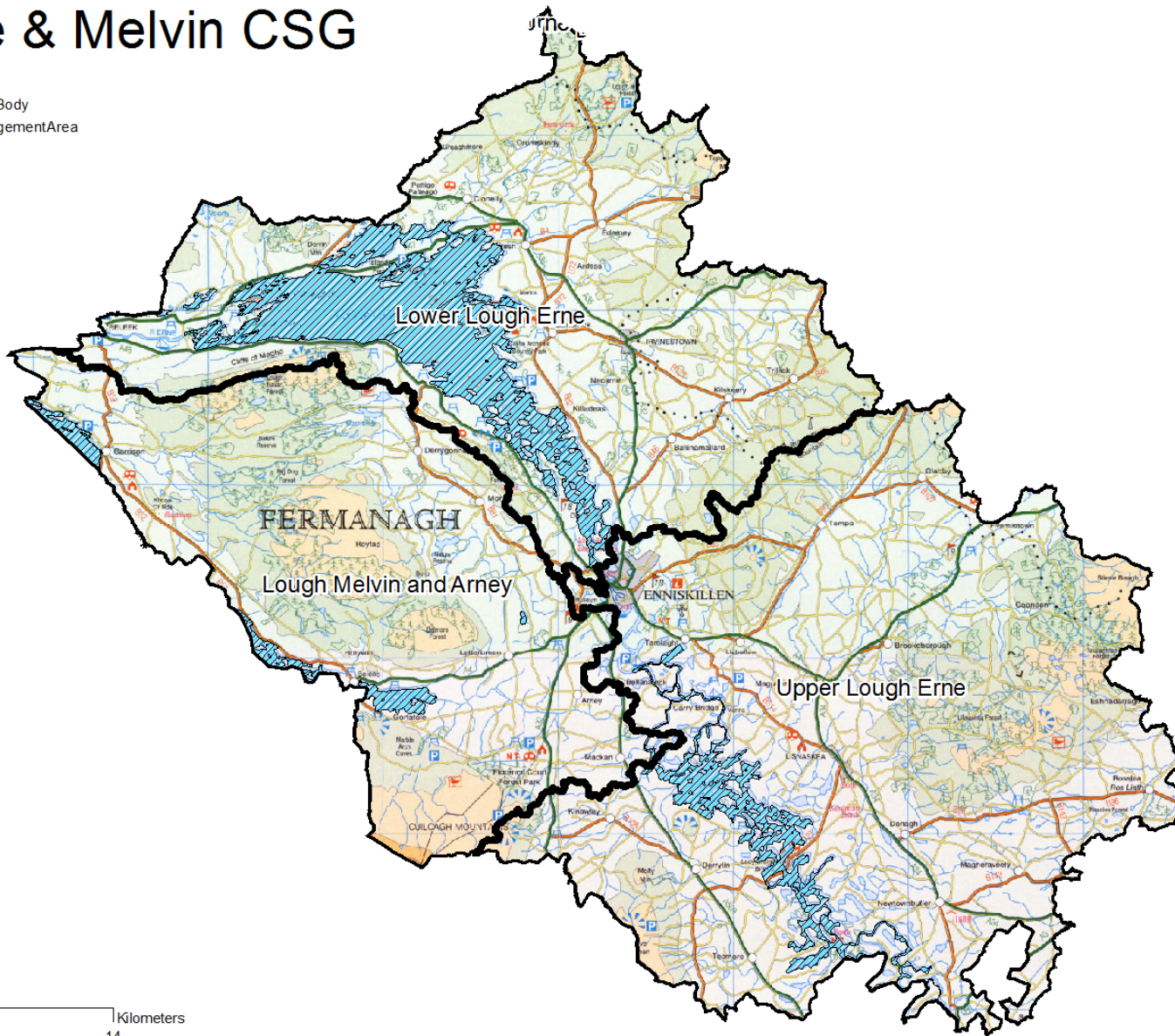
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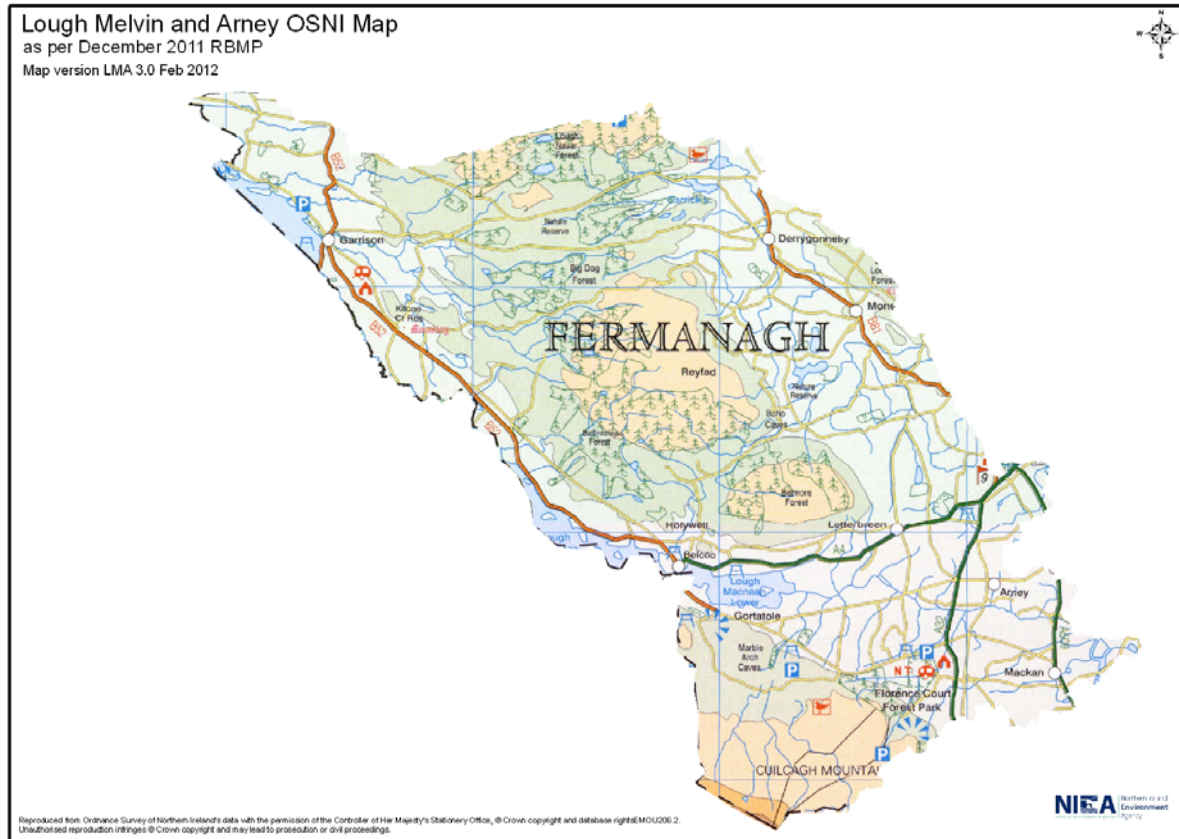
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# Erne & Melvin CSG

-  LakeWaterBody
-  LocalManagementArea



# Melvin & Arney LMA action plan - being developed



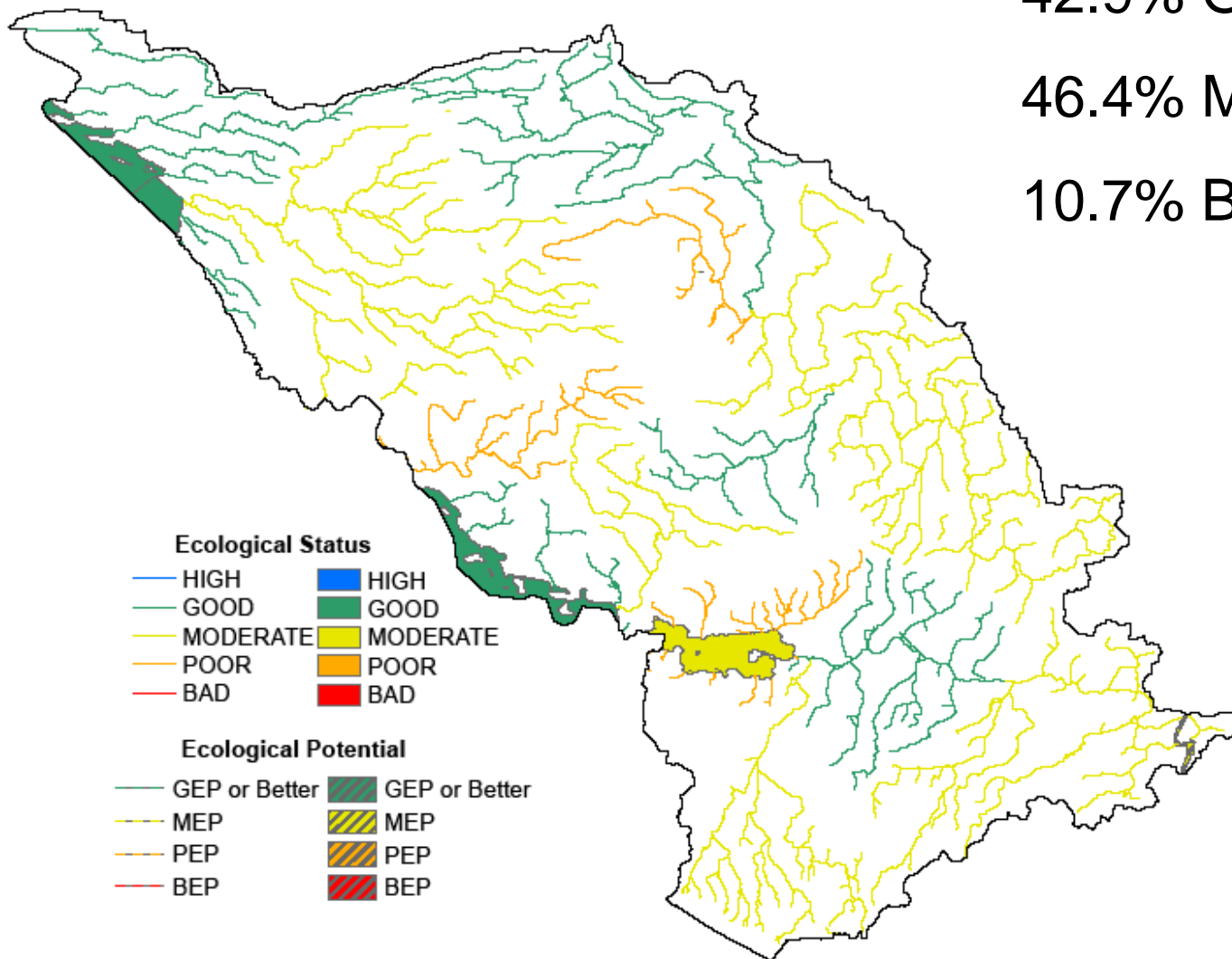
- Water quality planning analysis
- Engagement with stakeholders
- Water Quality Improvement Grants

# Status of surface water bodies (2009)

42.9% Good

46.4% Moderate

10.7% Bad



All groundwater water bodies are in Good status

# Your input is valued

- Highlight on the maps any:
  - Water quality issues
  - Actions/improvements that are improving the water environment
  - Groups or organisations that can help or are interested in water
- Information will be used to produce the LMA action plan.

# River Trusts - Key features

## River Trusts –

Charities established to look after **a whole river** catchment or area with a number of waterbodies

A grassroots – “bottom up” movement

Involves people who are ‘doers’ with ‘wet feet’

Charitable status opening doors for funding

Working in Partnership with NIEA, LA etc

Contributing to local and EU Objectives



# Interested?

RT Development Officer - Mark Horton

Mark can help with:

- Start-up advice and support
- Start-up funding
- Documentation, templates etc
- Technical support
- Routes into national networks
- Help with employment, governance etc
- Regular news, meetings and seminars

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***“I am happy to come and meet with your club or group to talk about forming a trust in your river catchment”***

Our aim is to protect, conserve and promote the natural environment and built heritage for the benefit of present and future generations.

**Thanks for listening**



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