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Etive Park (Bishopbriggs)

A photograph of a forest scene. In the foreground, a dirt path leads through tall green grass. Several large, mature trees with thick trunks and dense green foliage are scattered throughout the scene. The background shows more trees and a glimpse of a blue sky. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and natural.

1. Introduction

1.1 Background

Under the Planning (Scotland) Act 2019, East Dunbartonshire Council (EDC) must prepare and publish an Open Space Strategy and set out a strategic framework for the authority's policies and proposals as to the development, maintenance and use of green infrastructure, including open spaces and green networks.

As part of the Open Space Strategy an audit of existing open space provision must be undertaken.

The last audit of EDC's open spaces was in 2020. The audit identified and mapped 312 open spaces covering a mixture of private and public ownership which were assessed against the East Dunbartonshire Open Space Standards for quantity, quality and accessibility, as set out in the East Dunbartonshire Open Space Audit in 2020.

This report documents the 2025 Open Space Audit (OSA) which reviews the open space provision for East Dunbartonshire Council.

This audit has been conducted by consultants AtkinsRéalis in line with national policy and emerging guidance to inform the development of a new Greenspace Strategy (GSS). The GSS will replace the Open Space Strategy and Green Network Strategy, and incorporate the recommendations from the Open Space Audit and Play Sufficiency Assessment to produce a cohesive, inclusive and accessible vision for EEDC's open space, play provision and nature network.

Aim

The aim of this OSA is to provide an up-to-date assessment of the following aspects of open space in EDC:

- quality
- quantity
- accessibility



Figure 1. East Dunbartonshire Council's Open Space Strategy and Green Network Strategy

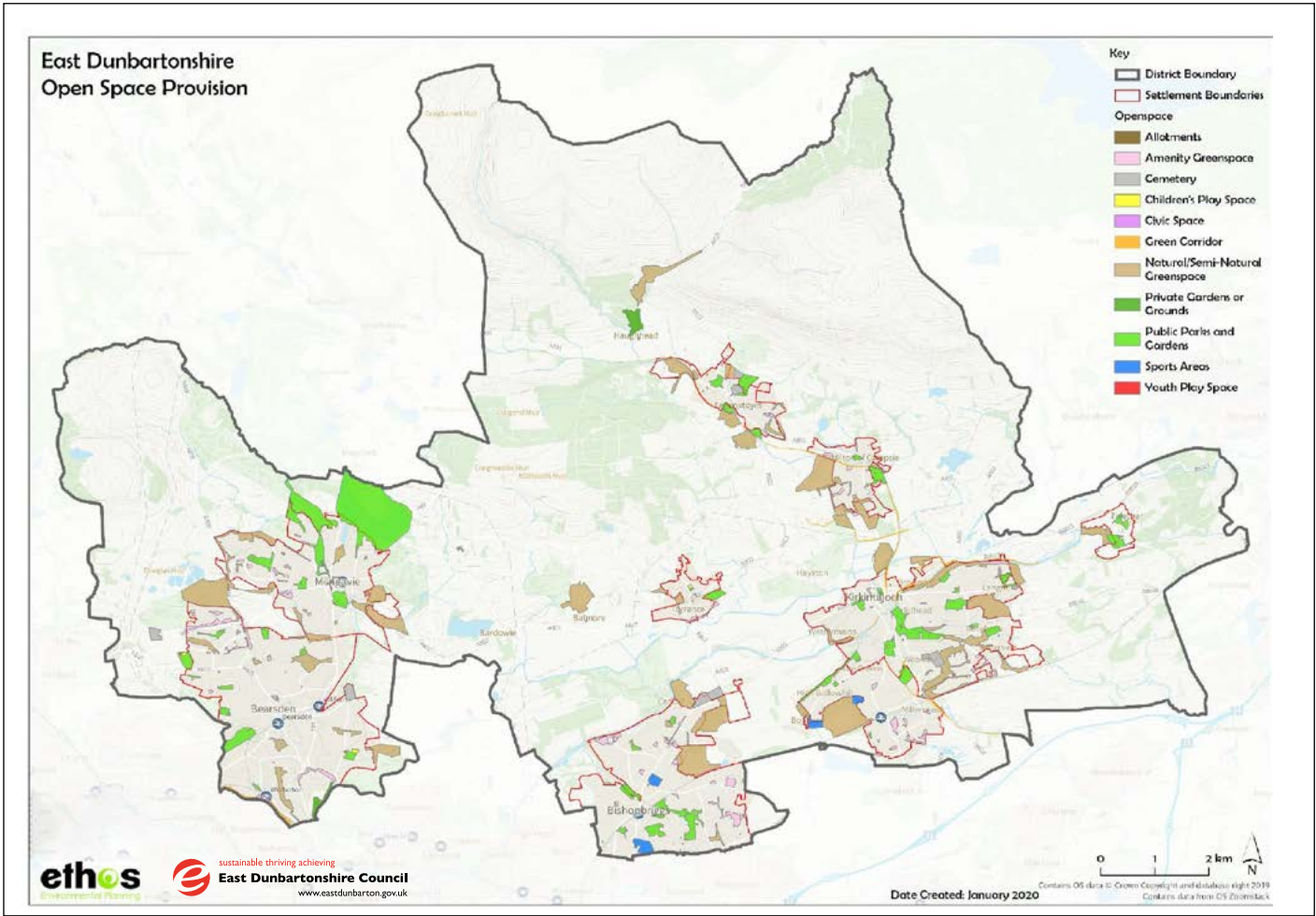


Figure 2. East Dunbartonshire Council's OSA 2020 conducted by Ethos



1.2 Study Area

The OSA 2025 focuses on open spaces in localities within the EDC boundary as seen in Figure 3. The localities are sourced from the National Records Scotland and are a type of geographical boundary of large settlements.

The previous OSA by Ethos focused on settlement boundaries created by EDC, however given the similarity of these to NRS localities and level of statistics available for population standards, localities were agreed for the 2025 audit for accuracy of the quantity measurement.

Some of the open spaces fall slightly outside of the locality boundaries, as the NRS base these on population centres. Therefore any outlying open spaces have been added to make the total area as seen in Table 1.

The total population within the localities is 106,780 (2022)¹.

Table 1. East Dunbartonshire Council's Localities Area and Population

Locality (NRS)	Area size (Ha)	Population
Bearsden	1020.93	28,470
Bishopbriggs	790.47	23,680
Kirkintilloch	763.02	21,870
Lennoxtown	195.33	4,260
Lenzie	317.77	8,090
Milngavie	652.50	12,840
Milton Campsie	186.68	3,910
Torrance	104.68	2,320
Twechar	68.90	1,340
Total	4100.29	106,780

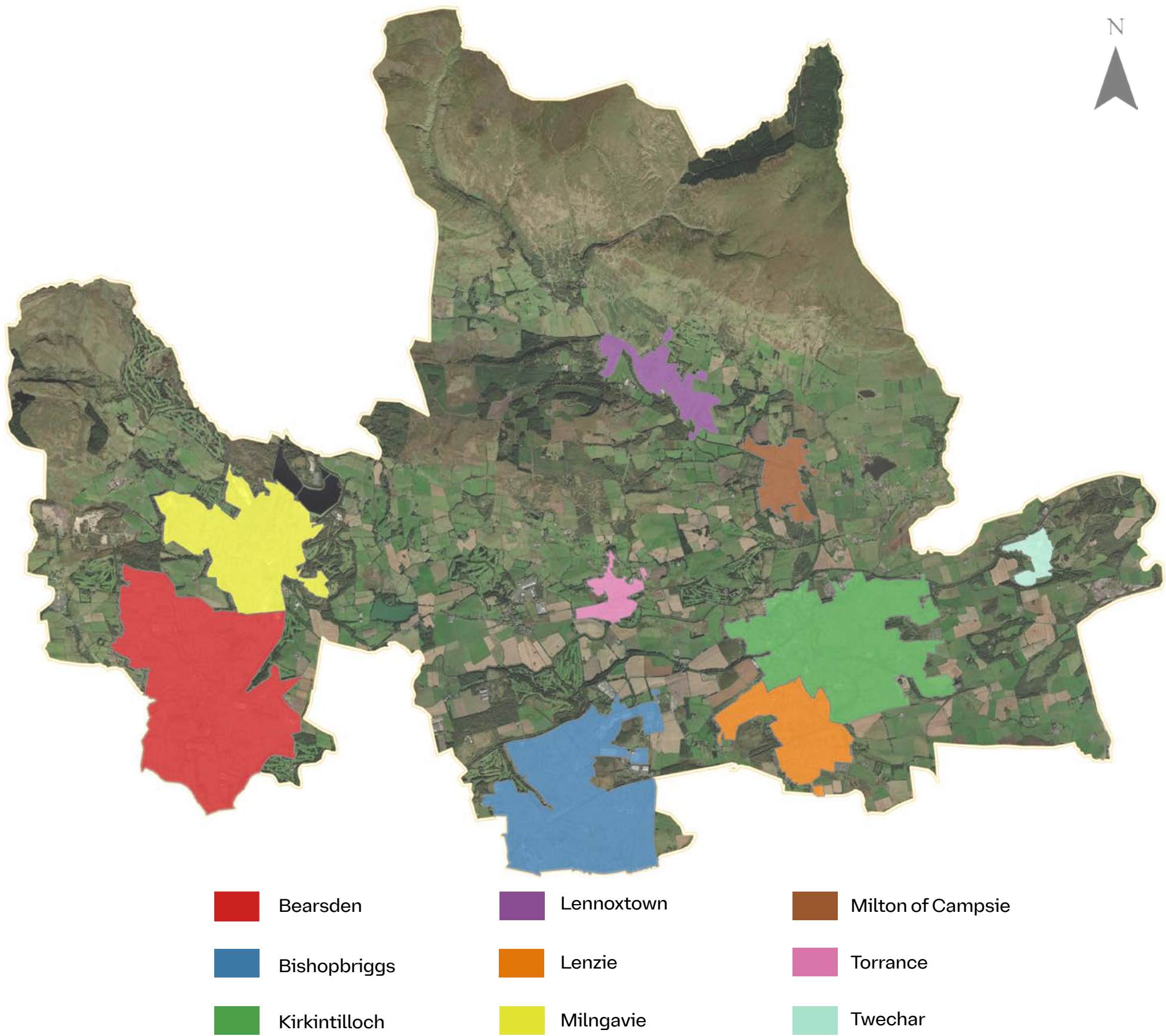


Figure 3. East Dunbartonshire Council's Localities

¹ Based on NRS Population Estimates from Census 2022



2. Methodology

2.1 Overview

The OSA for 2025 has been undertaken using the following methodology, in accordance with PAN 65 to undertake an:

- Audit of open space provision and community consultation¹
- Development of local quality, quantity and accessibility standards
- Application of local standards and analysis by settlement area
- A summary of key issues and priorities

The audit for 2025 takes into account the above planning policies and standards with the main aim of reviewing, analysing and updating the work undertaken in the 2020 Audit.

The methodology closely follows that of the 2020 audit. A key aspect of this approach was the categorisation in to typologies of open space adopted for this audit. Typologies were updated where open spaces visited during this audit required reclassification or where new open spaces were identified.

Children’s Play Space and Youth Play are not included as part of this assessment and have been assessed separately in the Play Sufficiency Assessment.

The list of typologies included in this audit are:

- Parks and Gardens
- Sports Areas
- Amenity Greenspace
- Green Corridors
- Natural/Semi Natural Greenspace
- Civic Space
- Cemeteries

Step 1: Baseline analysis of existing data

In March 2025 a baseline mapping exercise was conducted using Esri ArcGIS Pro to gain a comprehensive understanding of open space in East Dunbartonshire. Various data sources were analysed, including:

- Existing OSA data from 2020
- Ordnance Survey MasterMap Land Use
- Glasgow City Region Green Network (GCRGN)

- Ash Dieback
- Designation datasets such as Conservation Areas, Tree Protection Order (TPO), Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI), Local Landscape Areas, Listed Buildings, Scheduled Monuments, Green Belt and more
- Comparative analysis of satellite imagery from 2020 and 2025 using Google Earth Pro
- Information from East Dunbartonshire Council Officers

Step 2: Data refinement

Following the desktop data collection and analysis exercise data was refined to only include publicly usable accessible open spaces of at least 0.2 hectares in size and with an access point within 400metres of a settlement. Five sites outside localities have been agreed for inclusion:

- Campsie Glen
- Glenorchard Wood
- Schoenstadt
- Baldernock Cemetery
- Castlevieview

Buildings and car parks have been included as part of open spaces where they are an integral part of the space or are associated with the space. Areas of water e.g. lakes, ponds have also been included where they fall within an open space.

Step 3: Assessment

The main aim of this audit is to provide an up-to-date assessment of the following aspects of open space in EDC:

- quality
- quantity
- accessibility

Quality

In collaboration with EDC and AtkinsRéalis, an updated assessment criterion that sets out the quality standards for open spaces was drawn up, based on the 2020 quality audit by Ethos (using the 2019 scoring bands), with the addition of biodiversity and amendments for clarity as discussed with EDC.

To carry out the quality assessment, site visits to each open space were conducted during June and July 2025. To streamline the auditing process, Esri’s ArcGIS Field Maps was used to electronically record assessments, enabling efficient data collection and subsequent analysis by the GIS team. This approach improved both the accuracy and efficiency of the audit. The quality criteria used to assess each site are detailed in Appendix 1.

Quantity

During the baseline mapping exercise, existing provision of open spaces over 0.2Ha across EDC was calculated in hectares (Ha).

Quantity of provision was then measured against the population totals for each locality, measuring open space per 1000 population.

Accessibility

Accessibility was measured in terms of walking, wheeling and cycling.

Walking and wheeling analysis was conducted as part of the 2020 audit therefore only newly added open spaces were assessed. For this, ArcGIS Network Analyst toolbox was used to produce estimated walking time isochrones to each new open space.

Cycling analysis was calculated for all the identified open spaces over 0.2Ha. In order to complete this, AtkinsRéalis used TRACC, this was deemed more suitable than using Network Analyst toolbox in ArcGIS as there is no predisposed option for cycling within the toolbox.

TRACC is a bespoke licensed system that uses Open Street Map’s network of roads, footpaths and rights of way to determine cycle access times across district to destination point. For this exercise, open spaces were used as the destination point. A suburban origin grid was used across East Dunbartonshire to measure access times from points and standard defined speeds within TRACC for cycling.

The output formed isochrone contours which demonstrated banded times from each origin point to reach the nearest



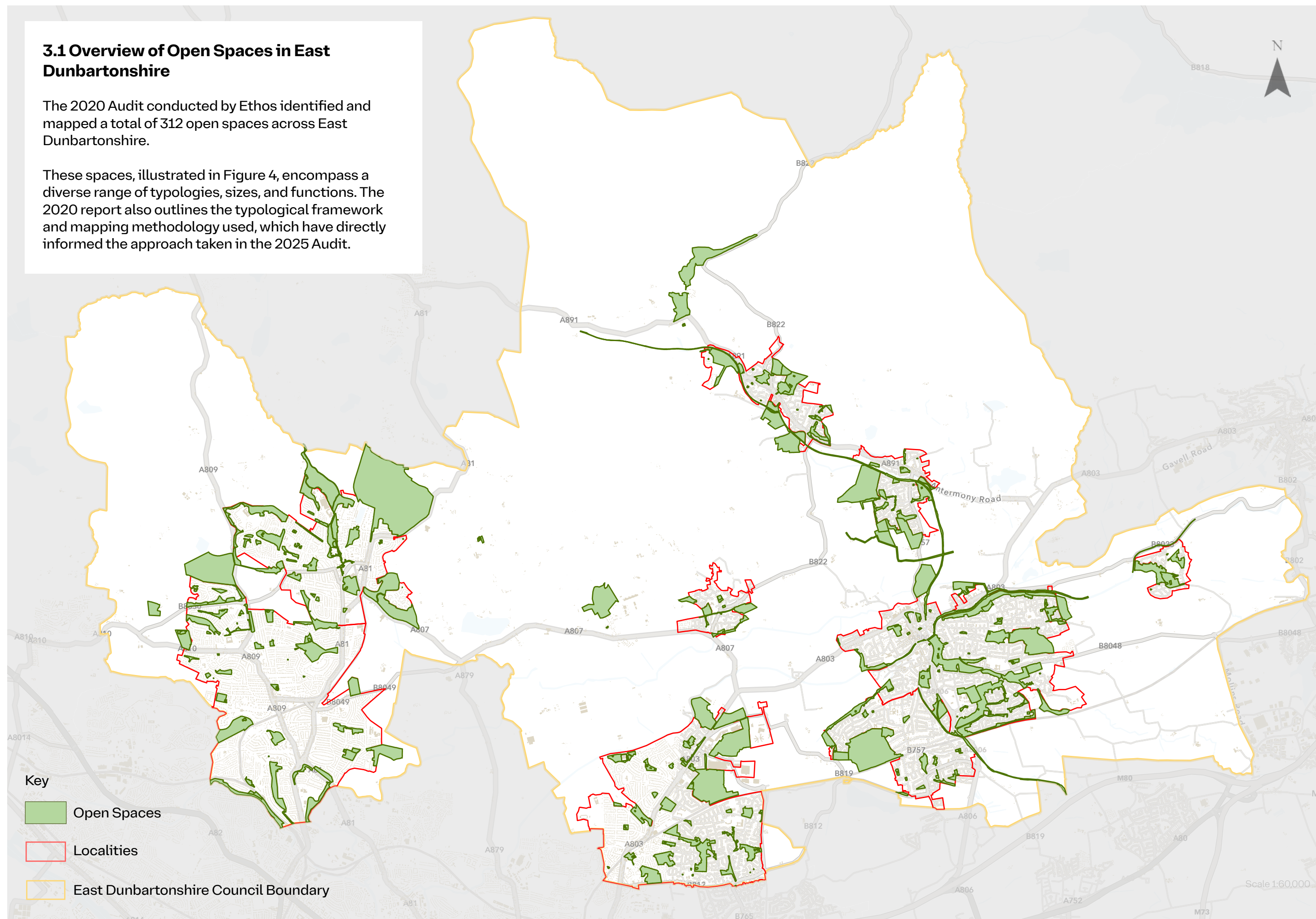
3. Open Space Audit 2025

New Kilpatrick O.S. (Bearsden)

3.1 Overview of Open Spaces in East Dunbartonshire

The 2020 Audit conducted by Ethos identified and mapped a total of 312 open spaces across East Dunbartonshire.

These spaces, illustrated in Figure 4, encompass a diverse range of typologies, sizes, and functions. The 2020 report also outlines the typological framework and mapping methodology used, which have directly informed the approach taken in the 2025 Audit.



3.2 Defining Spaces for inclusion in 2025 Audit

The 2025 OSA takes the identified 312 open spaces and uses the following criteria to define what spaces will be Audited:

- publicly usable accessible open spaces of at least 0.2 hectares in size
- spaces with an access point within 400metres of a settlement
- addition of 13 newly identified sites associated with recent developments
- five additional sites agreed for inclusion that do not meet the criteria of location or size

Using the criteria above, 221 sites across East Dunbartonshire were visited during May and June 2025. Each site was photographed to support accurate data collection and spatial analysis.

Newly Identified Open Spaces

East Dunbartonshire Council proposed 13 new sites as part of new developments for consideration. These were assessed on-site to determine their suitability for inclusion in the 2025 Audit. Of these, three sites met the criteria:

- Kilmardinny (North) – Amenity Greenspace (Figure 5)
- Broomhill Hospital Site 1 – Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace (Figure 6)
- Broomhill Hospital Site 2 - Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace (Figure 6)

Inaccessible or Unusable Spaces

During site visits, 15 locations were found to be either inaccessible or unsuitable for public use and therefore have been excluded (Figure 7). These include:

- Birdston Common Woodland
- Redhills View Grassland
- Low Moss
- Fairy Glen

A full list of omitted sites is provided in Appendix 3.

Taking into account newly added sites and those excluded, the final number of open spaces included in the 2025 Audit is **206**. These are further refined in the Quantity and Walking Access assessments with additional criteria as highlighted in Section 4.

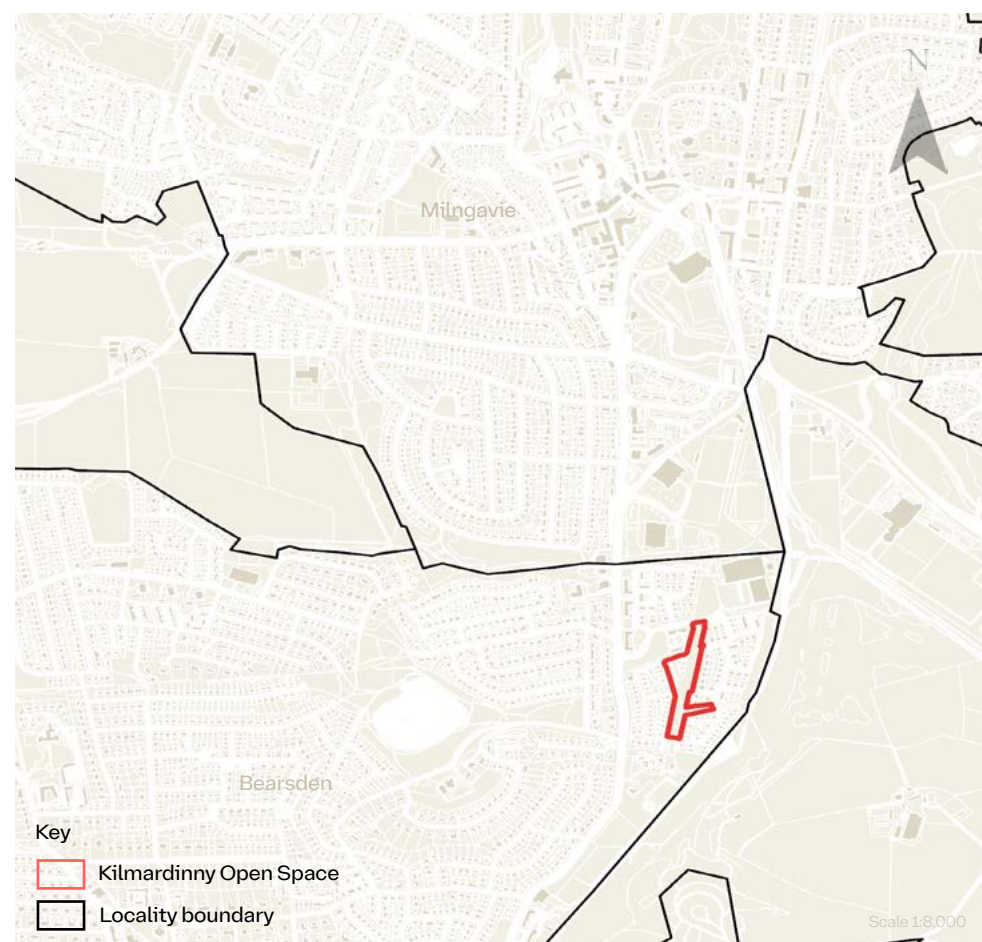


Figure 5. Boundary of Kilmardinny (North) Open Space

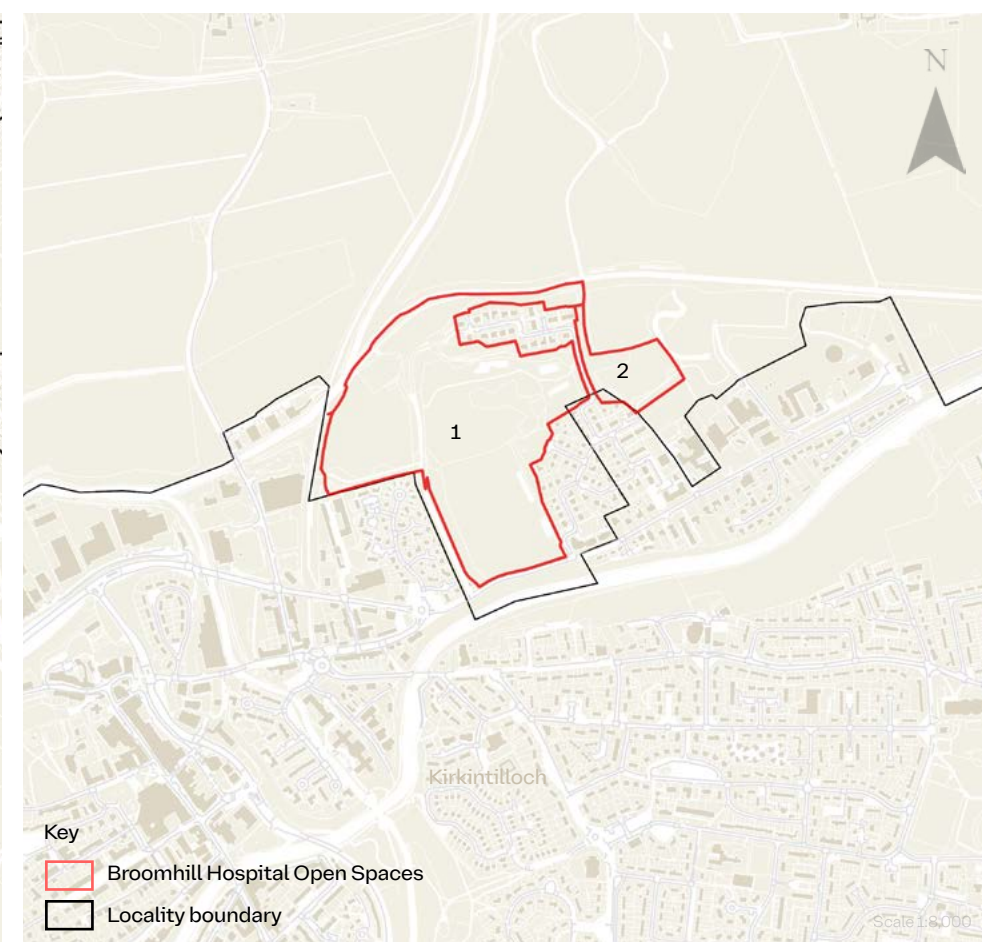


Figure 6. Boundaries of Broomhill Hospital Open Spaces 1 & 2



Figure 7. Site Photos of inaccessible sites

3.3 Typologies

The 2025 Audit adopts the 2020 Audit typologies. However, this Audit aims to define what qualities should be considered to establish fitness for purpose in each context.

Within the 312 open spaces identified in the last audit there were nine typologies informed by the PAN 65 and in agreement with EDC, these included:

- Public Parks and Gardens
- Amenity Greenspace
- Play Space (Children)
- Play Space (Youth)
- Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace
- Sports Areas
- Private Gardens or Grounds
- Green Corridors
- Civic Space
- Cemeteries

This Audit for 2025 does not include Play Spaces for youth or children as these have been assessed in a separate Play Sufficiency Assessment by EDC.

Typologies included in this Audit are:

- Amenity Greenspace
- Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace
- Sports Areas
- Private Gardens or Grounds
- Green Corridors
- Civic Space
- Cemeteries

All listed typologies were assessed for quality, the assessment of quantity is based on the supply of Public Parks and Gardens, Natural /Semi-Natural Greenspace and Amenity Greenspace.

The Typologies can be seen in Table 2, along with a map in Figure 8, identifying the typologies by colour.

The 2025 Audit looks at 206 sites totalling 984.67(Ha) of open space. Amenity Greenspace accounts for the highest number of individual sites (72), with Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace accounting for the largest proportion of hectarage of open space (473.55 (Ha)).

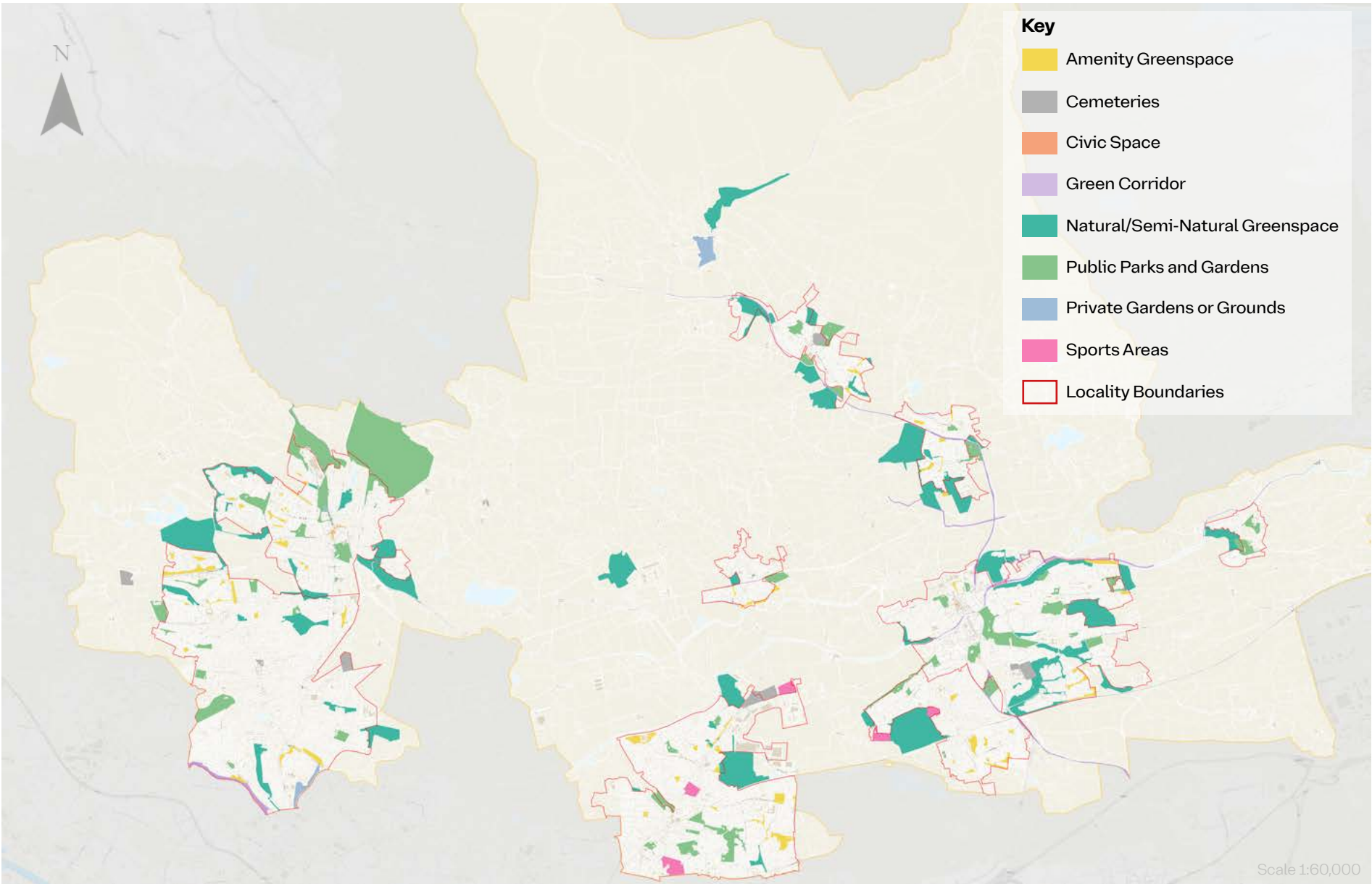


Figure 8. 206 Open Spaces by Typology in East Dunbartonshire

Typology	Number of Sites	Area (Ha)
Amenity Greenspace	72	65.32
Cemeteries	7	28.89
Civic Space	2	0.91
Green Corridor	9	46.01
Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	59	473.55
Private Gardens or Grounds	3	16.41
Public Parks and Gardens	49	83.52
Sports Areas	5	21.63
Total	206	984.67

Table 2. Typology of Open Spaces included in the 2025 Audit with number of sites and area

3.4 Open Space Audit 2025

206 of the 312 open spaces are included in this Open Space Assessment. Figure 9 shows the 206 open spaces within the localities.

The following Section 4 highlights the findings of the analysis on:

- quantity
- quality
- access

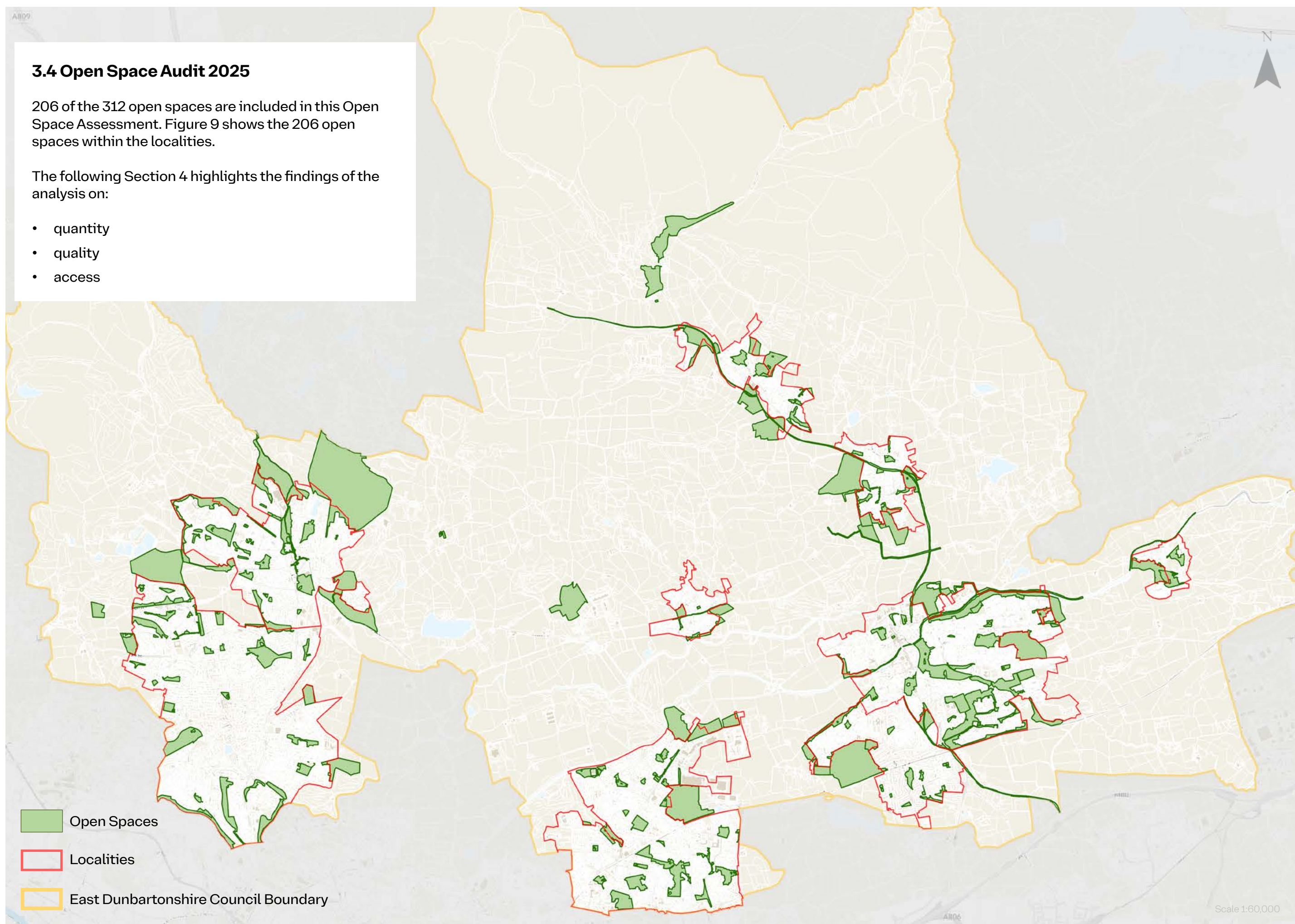


Figure 9. Sites included in 2025 Audit



4. Access, Quality & Quantity Assessments

4.1 Overview

The character of East Dunbartonshire's settlement areas is such that there is a high level of provision of open space across the local authority area. In keeping this in mind, standards for open space have been developed to understand the current provision of open space and to identify the need for improvements to existing, or the need for new, open spaces to meet local requirements.

The standards for open space have been developed in line with the Fields in Trust (FIT) guidance and Planning Advice Note (PAN) 65. They take into account the minimum recommended standards for open space typologies promoted by FIT and go beyond these where appropriate, considering that in most areas in East Dunbartonshire open space provision exceeds these standards. In areas where there is a deficit of open space then the standards will bring this in line with existing open spaces.

Development of Open Space Standards

The standards for open space have been developed in-line with PAN 65 requirements and comprise the following components:

- **Accessibility:** Spaces likely to be used on a frequent and regular basis need to be within easy walking, wheeling and cycling distance and have safe access. Other facilities where visits are longer but perhaps less frequent, for example country parks, can be further away.
- **Quality:** Quality is a key component of open space. Open spaces need to be "fit for purpose" and serve local communities by providing a level of service and functional provision to meet informal leisure and recreational needs, as well as providing a space for nature to thrive.
- **Quantity:** These are determined by the consideration of existing local and national standards and benchmarks, such as the FIT guidance and benchmarking undertaken in the 2020 audit.

Accessibility Standards

The East Dunbartonshire access standards have been determined by the consideration of existing national and local standards and benchmarks.

The East Dunbartonshire Council Open Space Strategy 2015 – 2020 sets the following access standard:

- **Regional Space:** 2km (25 minutes walk time)



New Kilpatrick, Bearsden

- Neighbourhood Park: 840m (10 – 11 minutes walk time)
- Local Park: 400m (5 minutes walk time)

The Fields in Trust Guidance for Outdoor Sport and Play report “Beyond the Six Acre Standard” published in 2015 proposed the following benchmark accessibility standards:

- Amenity Greenspace: 480m
- Parks and Gardens: 710m
- Accessible Natural Greenspace: 720m

The 2015 report was superseded by the Fields in Trust Standards: Creating Great Spaces for All report, published in 2024. Individual standards for the above typologies were not carried forward, instead the report recommends that:

- All homes should be within 200 – 300m walking distance of open space with everyone having access to the full range of open space types within 1000m.
- 10 minutes for every 800m walked is recommended as a guide for actual distance travelled. With consideration to be given to walking speeds of different ages and abilities.

Though the 2024 guidance doesn’t set out a specific standard for each open space typology as in 2015, it is considered that there is a need for a clear access standard to be applied to specific open space typologies in East Dunbartonshire.

In addition to the FIT guidance, access standards in similar local authorities in the Central Belt of Scotland have been considered in Table 3.

The existing standards and benchmarking above, have been considered as part of the development of access standards for open space in East Dunbartonshire. However, these standards are based exclusively on walking distance to open space. Considering the access criteria guide in the Scottish Government Planning Guidance for Play Sufficiency Assessments, used here in lieu of Planning Guidance on Open Space Strategies, which is currently delayed, the indicator of accessibility to open space by ‘good physical accessibility by walking, wheeling and cycling’ has been considered as part of this assessment to support the creation of a standard for accessibility to open space by different modes of travel.

Table 3. Access Standards from similar local authorities

Stirling Council Green Network 2014	Falkirk Council Open Space Strategy 2010-2015
Sets the following standards: • Amenity greenspace: 5 minutes’ walk (300m straight-line distance) • Play space: 5-10 minutes’ walk (500 metres straight line distance) • Natural/semi natural greenspace and woodland: 10 minutes’ walk (500m straight line distance). • Public Parks and Gardens: 5 minutes’ walk (400 m straight-line distance). • Sports Areas: 10 minutes’ walk (400 m straight-line distance).	Sets the following standards: • People should live no more than 400m (5 minutes’ walk) from a surveyed open space which scores 3.0 or better in the fitness for purpose assessment. • People should live no more than 400m (5 minutes’ walk) from a public park, garden or amenity space of greater than 2000m². • People should live no more than 800m (10 minutes’ walk) from an open space containing a playspace. • People should live no more than 1200m (15 minutes’ walk) from an open space containing sports area. • People should live no more than 1200m (15 minutes’ walk) from a natural/semi natural open space. The walking distance times noted in the accessibility standards are based on travelling at a rate of 3mph.



High Moss, Bishopbriggs

Before developing a standard, however, it is important to understand the different definitions of walking, wheeling and cycling. Wheels for Wellbeing, a charity that supports disabled people of all ages and abilities to enjoy the benefits of cycling, provides useful definitions of walking, wheeling and cycling:

- **Walking:** Foot/pedestrian-based mobility that may incorporate the support of aids to mobility such as stick/s, cane/s, crutch/es, the arm of another person and/or assistance animal/s.
- **Wheeling:** An equivalent alternative to foot/pedestrian-based mobility. Includes wheeled mobilities such as manual self- or assistant-propelled wheelchairs, including wheelchairs with power attachments or all-terrain attachments, powered wheelchairs, mobility scooters (three and four-wheeled) and rollators.
- **Cycling:** Incorporates the action of moving (at speed) on a wide range of pedal-powered wheeled transport that may be powered with hands and/or feet, may transport one or more persons, may or may not include e-assist, and may have from 2 to 4 wheels.

Wheels for Wellbeing and Transport Scotland agree that the terms walking and wheeling should be used together and that individuals are allowed to self-identify with terms that fit their needs.

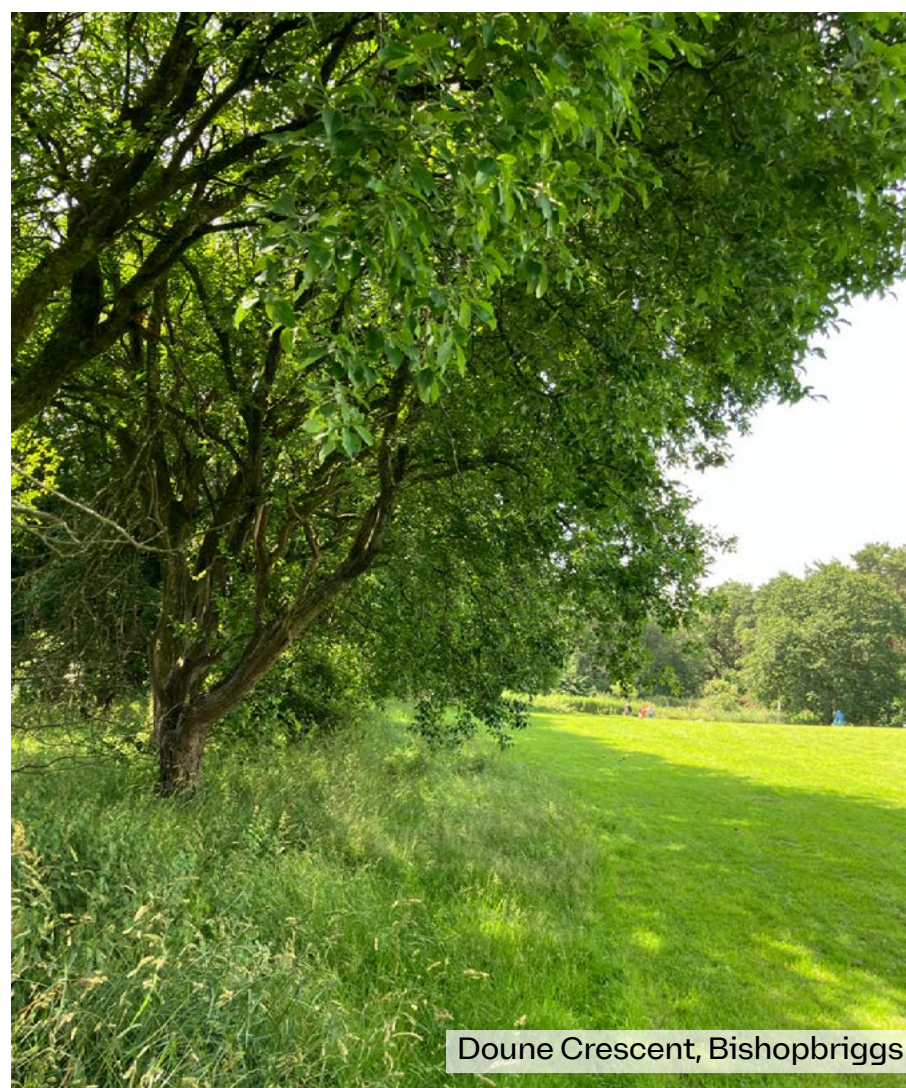
Taking into account existing standards and benchmarking as set out above, the 2020 Open Space Audit established a standard for walking. As part of this audit, the standard for walking has been reviewed and assessed as being reasonable for both walking and wheeling, as wheeling is considered to be an alternative to foot/pedestrian-based mobility using a range of mobility aids.

The analysis for access to open space by walking has been applied to wheeling and incorporated into this audit. The 2020 Audit walking analysis can be seen in Appendix D with the Local, Neighbourhood and Regional maps.

The maps show the walking time buffers for each open space typology with all open spaces grouped by hierarchy. They are created using GIS tools which rely on the Open Street Map paths and street network to accurately map realistic potential walking routes. The buffers are based on a walk, or alternative wheeling, time of 5 kilometres/3.1 miles an hour and use the reviewed access point data.



Western Shelterbelt, Milton of Campsie



Doune Crescent, Bishopbriggs



Hilhead Scrub and Grassland, Kirkintilloch



McCabe Gardens, Lennoxtown

The access maps utilise Census 2011 Output Area (OA) centroids to pinpoint areas of need. Each centroid represents approximately 129 households. By mapping these points against open space buffers we can identify which households lack inadequate access to open space. These ‘access gaps’ highlight where new provision is most needed, or where access to existing provision needs to be improved. For detailed walking maps categorised by typology, please refer to the OSA 2020 report.

As cycling includes the use of a wide range of pedal powered wheeled transport, including e-assist, it is difficult to establish a single standard for cycling. Instead, a dedicated analysis of cycling to open spaces using the TRAAC accessibility tool has been employed as part of the methodology. The tool assumes a standard cycling speed of 16km/h on all network lines.

Considering the above, the following access standard for walking and wheeling is recommended in Table 4.

Quality Standards

The first step in developing quality standards was to review the Criteria for Quality and Quality Audit Bands developed in the 2020 audit and establish if the standards proposed are appropriate.

The Criteria for Quality was reviewed and refined to reflect additions made to the biodiversity criteria in response to national policy changes, such as nature networks, and local woodland vulnerability to ash die-back. There are five headline criteria: Access, Attractiveness/Place Appeal, Biodiversity,

Functionality and Community Benefits. Each contains a series of questions with a score of 1 (Low), 3 (Average) or 5 (High), or 0 if not applicable. Following on-site assessment, the mean average of all the scores given for each site was calculated, providing an overall percentage score.

The Quality Audit Bands provide a scoring framework to categorise sites into the appropriate band and establish whether they are Fit for Purpose (Bands A-C) or Not Fit for Purpose (Bands D-E). The Quality Audit Bands were reviewed and updated in the last audit. It is considered that the bands are appropriate and robust and have therefore been included in this audit. The scoring guide can be found in Table 9.

Table 4. Access Standards recommended for walking and wheeling

Typology	Hierarchy	Access Standard (walk/wheel time and straight-line distance)
Public Parks and Gardens	Open Spaces of Regional Importance	25 minutes or 1200 metres
	Neighbourhood Park	10 minutes or 480 metres
	Local Park	5 minutes or 240 metres
Amenity Green Space	Local	5 minutes or 240 metres
	Neighbourhood	10 minutes or 480 metres
Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	Local	5 minutes or 240 metres
	Neighbourhood	10 minutes or 480 metres
	Regional	25 minutes or 1200 metres



Kirkintilloch Road, Bishopbriggs

The quality standard is based on the Greenspace Scotland and Glasgow City Region Green Network guidance, 'Greenspace Quality: A Guide to Assessment, Planning and Strategic Development', which was used in the East Dunbartonshire Open Space Strategy 2015. It is considered that these standards are robust and therefore have been carried forward within this audit. Table 5 shows the Quality Standards for East Dunbartonshire. It is recommended that the Parks and Gardens typology achieve at least Band B and all remaining typologies achieve at least Band C.

Quantity Standards

The East Dunbartonshire quantity standards have been determined by the consideration of existing national and local standards and benchmarks.

The East Dunbartonshire Council Open Space Strategy 2015 – 2020 sets the following quantity standard for the localities in the local authority area:

- 1.5 – 1.8Ha per 1000 population of multi-functional open space

The Fields in Trust Standards: Creating Great Spaces for All report proposes the following benchmark quantity guidelines for the open space typologies below:

- Parks and Gardens: 0.8Ha/1000 people
- Amenity Greenspace: 0.6Ha/1000 people
- Natural and Semi-Natural Greenspace: 1.8Ha/1000 people

Quantity standards in other similar local authorities in the Central Belt of Scotland have been considered in Table 6.

Considering the provision of open space by typology in East Dunbartonshire, existing standards and benchmarking, the following quantity standards are recommended in Table 7.

The current standard of 1.5Ha per 1000 population of multi-functional open space is considered to be robust and has therefore been adopted as part of the 2025 audit.

Table 7 shows the quantity standards per 1000 people used in this Audit for the following open space typologies.

Table 5. Quality Standards recommendations

Typology	Quality Standard
Parks and Gardens	Band A or B
Amenity Greenspace	At least Band C
Natural and Semi-Natural Greenspace	At least Band C

Table 6. Quality Standards from similiar Local Authorities

West Dunbartonshire Open Space Strategy	East Renfrewshire Supplementary Planning Document: Green Network and Environmental Management (June 2015)
The Open Space Strategy did not set specific quantity or access standards, although one of the Objectives identified was to 'establish the proportion of households with an accessible green-space of at least 2Ha in size within 300m and work to achieve target of 100%'. The West Dunbartonshire Local Plan (2010) (Policy R2) sets the following quantity standards for provision of open space in new development: • 2.4 Ha/1000, of which 1.6 for outdoor sport and 0.8Ha for children's play space/amenity space.	Sets the following standard for amenity green space (inclusive of active open space): • 25m2-30m2 per dwelling It did not set specific access standards.
Stirling Council Green Network (2014)	Falkirk Council Open Space Strategy (2010-2015)
Sets the following standards: • Amenity greenspace: 8 sqm per person (N.B. this equates to 0.8Ha/1000) (minimum size 500 sqm). • Natural/semi natural greenspace and woodland: 20 sqm per person (N.B. this equates to 2.0Ha/1000) (minimum size 20,000 sqm (2Ha) for natural/semi natural greenspace and 2500 sqm (0.25Ha) for woodland. • Public Parks and Gardens: 5 sqm per person (N.B. this equates to 0.5Ha/1000), minimum size 0.5 Ha (5000 sqm). • Sports Areas: 10 sqm per person (N.B. this equates to 1.0Ha/1000). The access standards are set out in Table 8.	Sets the following open space quantity standard: • Each community should Have access to open space at a rate equivalent to 5 hectares per 1000 people The access standards are set out in Table 8.

The proposed standards exceed the minimum standard recommendation in the FIT guidance for the Parks and Gardens typology by 1.2Ha/1000 people and 0.2Ha/1000 people for the Natural and Semi-Natural typology.

The standard for Parks and Gardens is in line with existing levels of provision across East Dunbartonshire. The Natural and Semi-Natural standard is set at 2Ha/1000 people. While existing provision in East Dunbartonshire is higher (4.42 Ha/1,000), this level is not realistic or achievable through new provision.

A standard aligned with recognised benchmarks—such as FIT (1.8 Ha/1,000) and Stirling Council (2.0 Ha/1,000)—is therefore considered appropriate. This provides a deliverable target for future planning and helps identify areas where provision is comparatively lacking.

Summary of Open Space Standards

Table 8 provides a summary of the quantity, quality and accessibility standards.

The established standards represent minimum guidance levels rather than targets. Consequently, exceeding these levels in a specific area does not indicate a surplus, particularly given that the existing provision may be heavily used.

It is important to evaluate quantity, quality and accessibility standards collectively rather than in isolation. For example, an area may meet the quantity standard for a specific open space typology but still suffer from poor accessibility or low-quality facilities.

Therefore, meeting the quantity threshold for a specific typology does not necessarily justify classifying any given site as surplus to requirements.

Table 7. Quantity Standards per 1000 people

Typology	Quantity Standard (Ha/1000)	Justification
Parks and Gardens	2.0	In line with existing levels of provision.
Amenity Greenspace	0.6	In line with existing levels of provision and the FIT standard.
Natural and Semi-Natural Greenspace	2.0	A standard based on existing provision levels (4.42Ha/1000) is not considered to be realistic or achievable in terms of new provision. A standard in line with the FIT standard (1.8Ha/1000) and the Stirling natural/semi natural greenspace and woodland standard 2.0Ha/1000) is considered to be achievable in terms of new provision, and will highlight any areas that are particularly lacking in provision.
Sports Areas	No standard	It is not part of the remit of this study to develop quantity standards for dedicated sports areas.
Private Gardens and Grounds	No standard	It is not part of the remit of this study to develop quantity standards for private gardens and grounds
Green Corridors	No standard	It is not part of the remit of this study to develop quantity standards for green corridors.
Civic Space	No standard	It is not part of the remit of this study to develop quantity standards for civic space.
Cemeteries	No standard	It is not part of the remit of this study to develop quantity standards for cemeteries.
Total requirement	4.6Ha/1000	

Table 8. Summary of quantity, quality and accessibility standards

Typology	Quantity Standard (Ha/1000)	Access Standard	Quality Standard
Parks and Gardens	2.0	Regional Parks: 25 minutes Neighbourhood Parks: 15 minutes Local Parks: 5 minutes	Band A or B
Amenity Greenspace	0.6	Local: 5 minutes Neighbourhood: 10 minutes	Band A, B or C
Natural and Semi-Natural Greenspace	2.0	Regional: 25 minutes Neighbourhood: 10 minutes Local: 5 minutes	Band A, B or C
Sports Areas	N/A	N/A	Band A, B or C
Private Gardens and Grounds	N/A	N/A	Band A, B or C
Green Corridors	N/A	N/A	Band A, B or C
Civic Space	N/A	N/A	Band A, B or C
Cemeteries	N/A	N/A	Band A, B or C
Total requirement	4.6		

4.2 Accessibility

4.2.1 Walking and Wheeling

Walking and wheeling are used as one phrase to represent the action of moving at a pedestrians pace whether or not someone is standing or sitting, walking or wheeling unaided or using any kind of aid to mobility. Therefore wheeling is an equivalent alternative to foot/pedestrian-based mobility. This includes wheeled mobilities such as manual self- or assistant-propelled wheelchairs, including wheelchairs with power attachments or all-terrain attachments (such as the "Freewheel"), powered wheelchairs, mobility scooters (three and four-wheeled) and rollators.²

The 2020 Audit analysis will be carried over into the 2025 Audit with the exception that the criteria of the 2020 Walking Accessibility assessment will be applied to additional new sites in new developments of 0.2 Ha+ within the following typologies

- Parks and Gardens,
- Amenity Greenspace
- Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace

The 2020 Audit walking and wheeling analysis (produced by Ethos) can be seen in Appendix D with the Local, Neighbourhood and Regional maps.

The maps show the walking and wheeling time buffers for each open space typology and also all open spaces grouped by hierarchy. They are created using QGIS and the OSM Tools plug-in which relies on the Open Street Map paths and street network to accurately map realistic potential walking and wheeling routes. The buffers are based on a walk time of 5 kilometres/3.1 miles an hour and use the reviewed access point data.

The access maps also show Census 2011 Output Areas (OAs). Each OA centroid is the lowest level of geography from the census which contains roughly 129 households. By using this point dataset, it is possible to clearly indicate those households that fall outside open space access buffers i.e. where the key gaps in access are.

The walking and wheeling analysis maps from the 2020 Audit can be found in Appendix D.

²<https://wheelsforwellbeing.org.uk/walking-wheeling-and-cycling-definitions/#:-:text=Active%20travel%20involves%20a%20wide%20range%20of%20mobilities>



Westerton Canal Locks, Beasrden



Christine's Way, Lenzie

4.2.2 Walking and Wheeling analysis for new open spaces

As highlighted in Section 3.3, four new open spaces have been added to the OSA for 2025. Walking accessibility has been calculated for each using ArcGIS Pro Network Analyst Tools. These are:

- Kilmardinny North (Amenity Greenspace)
- Broomhill Hospital 1 (Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace) and
- Broomhill Hospital 2 (Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace)
- Kilmardinny Loch Local Nature Reserve

Proximity analysis tools have been used in ArcGIS Pro to calculate the area that can be reached within a specified travel time or travel distance along a street network. The tool has been used for measuring walking and wheeling distances for the four spaces.

The outputs of the proximity analysis are shown in Figures 10, 12, 14 and 16. These figures illustrate 5, 10, 15 and 20-minute travel areas, displayed in shades of purple, with darker tones representing shorter travel times and lighter tones representing longer travel times.

Kilmardinny (North) - Bearsden

The walking and wheeling accessibility analysis for Kilmardinny (North), as shown in Figure 13, demonstrates strong connectivity with the surrounding new housing built from 2018 onwards. The open space (in red) has five access points (yellow) from the housing and roads surrounding.

These areas are well-served by the existing road and footpath networks. There is no connectivity to the east of the dark purple 5 min walking zone as this is Douglas Park Golf Club.

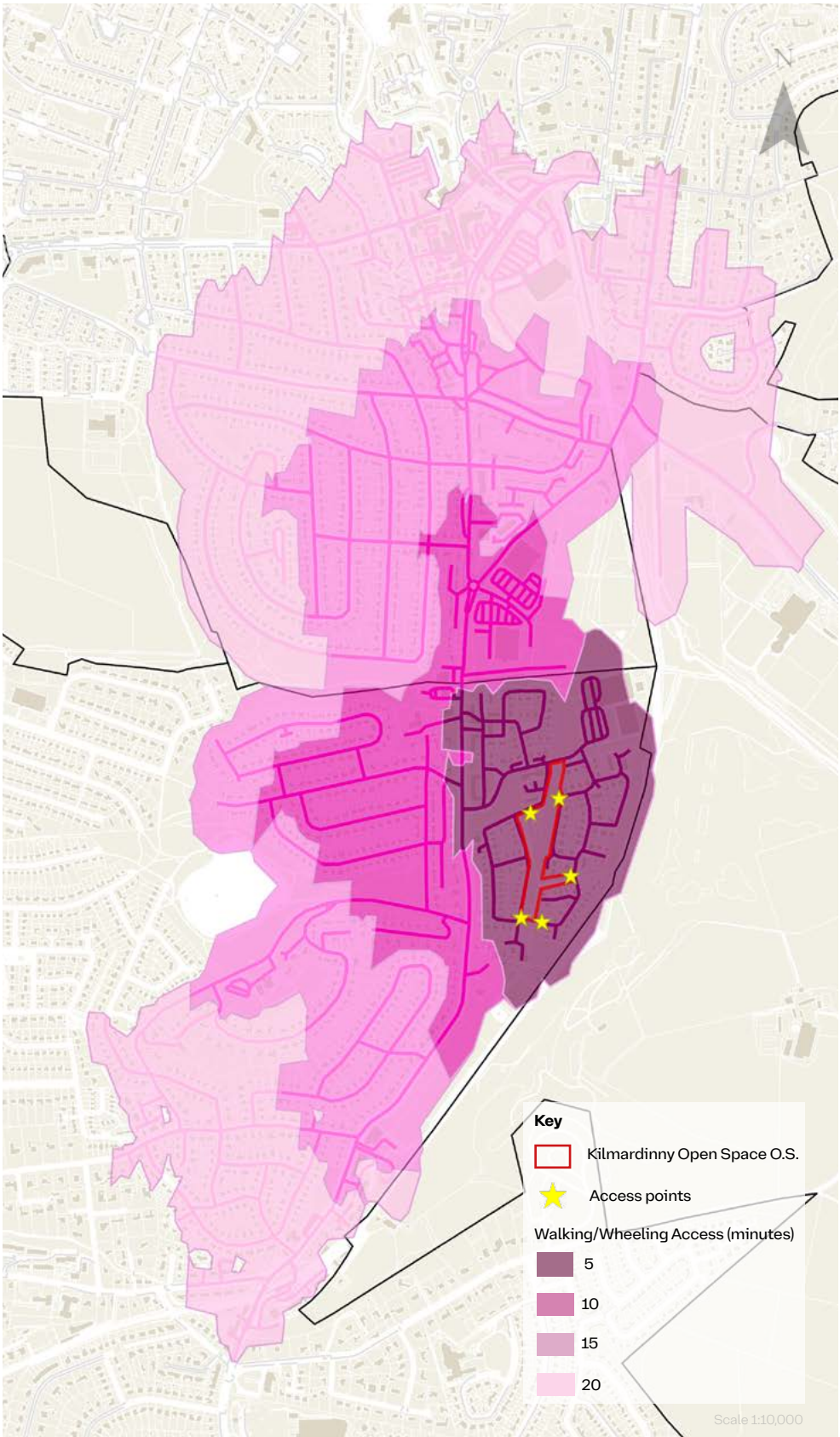


Figure 10. Kilmardinny Open Space Walking and Wheeling Access



Figure 11. Kilmardinny (North) site photos

Broomhill Hospital 1 - Kirkintilloch

The walking and wheeling accessibility analysis for Broomhill Hospital 1 Open Space, shown in Figure 12, demonstrates strong connectivity to the surrounding new-build housing. Residential development on the former hospital site began in 2021, with associated open space (highlighted in red) provided to the west and southwest from lands off the former hospital.

The site benefits from four main access points: two from the housing areas to the east, one from the south via the former Broomhill Hospital Lane, and one to the west that connects directly to the Strathkelvin Railway Path.

These access points ensure that the open space is well-integrated into the surrounding network, supporting walkable/wheelable connections for both new and existing residents. The connection to the west and south west is somewhat good, with the Strathkelvin Railway Path offering a great link to the businesses to the west such as Lidl and Pro Bowl. This route enhances the site's integration with surrounding commercial areas and supports walkable/wheelable access for residents.

It is unclear whether residents in the south west at Kelvinvale Housing area have private access to the space through their back gardens. Walking and wheeling access along the northern edge is limited by the River Kelvin.

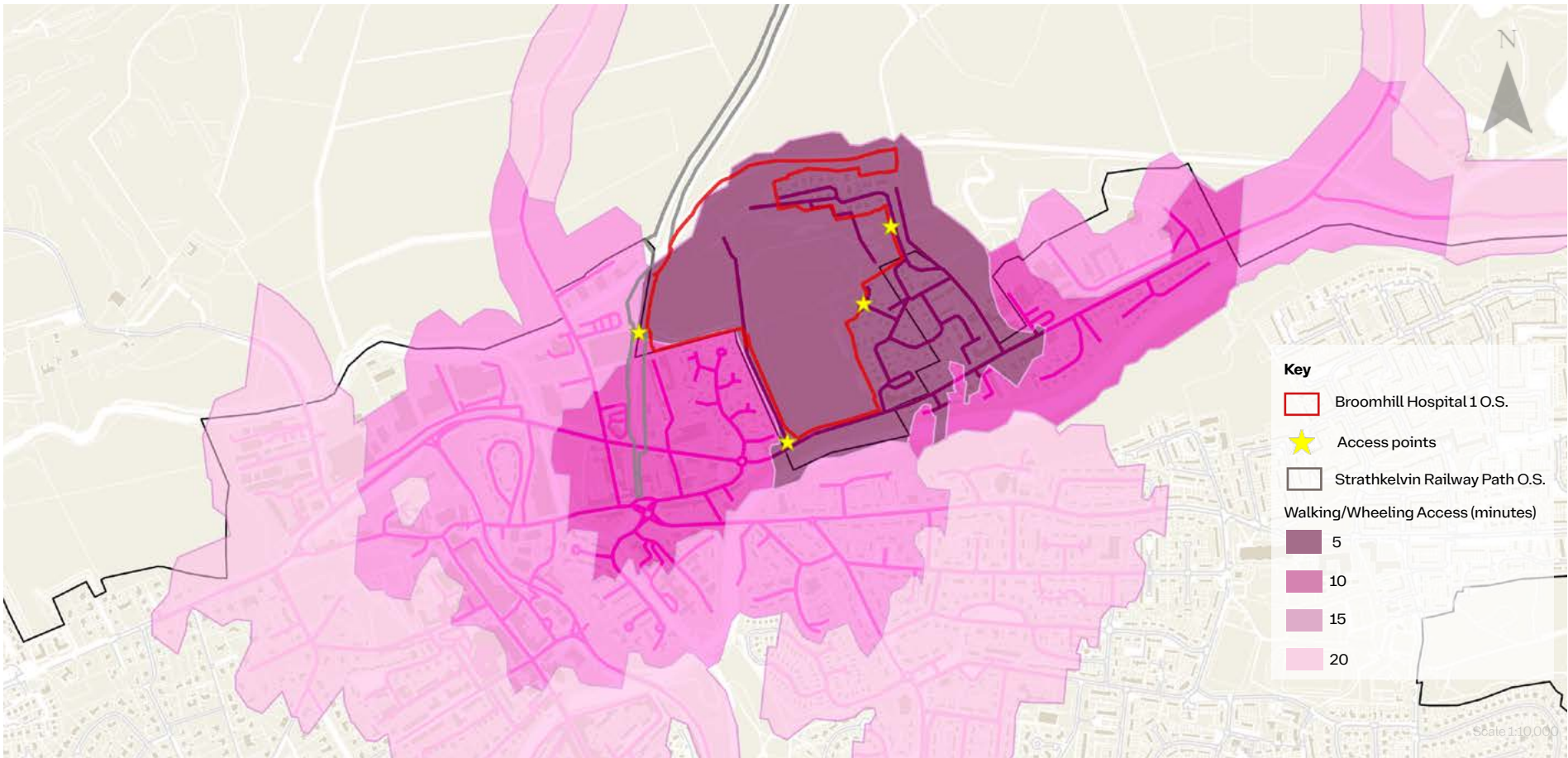


Figure 12. Broomhill Hospital 1 Open Space Walking and Wheeling Analysis



Figure 13. Broomhill Hospital 1 site photos

Broomhill Hospital 2 - Kirkintilloch

The walking and wheeling accessibility for Broomhill Hospital 2 Open Space can be seen in Figure 14, it is similar in its benefits its neighbour, (Broomhill Hospital 1) in that it serves the new local housing developments well, with access directly from the housing to the open space as highlighted by the access points in Figure 14.

The open space also connects to the Broomhill Depot Walkway Open Space (highlighted in brown), furthering access to this space and the connection of all four open spaces in this area (Strathkelvin Railway Path, Broomhill 1 & 2 and Broomhill Depot Walkway).

The paths (seen in the site photos in Figure 15) has informal paths with biodiversity relatively undisturbed.

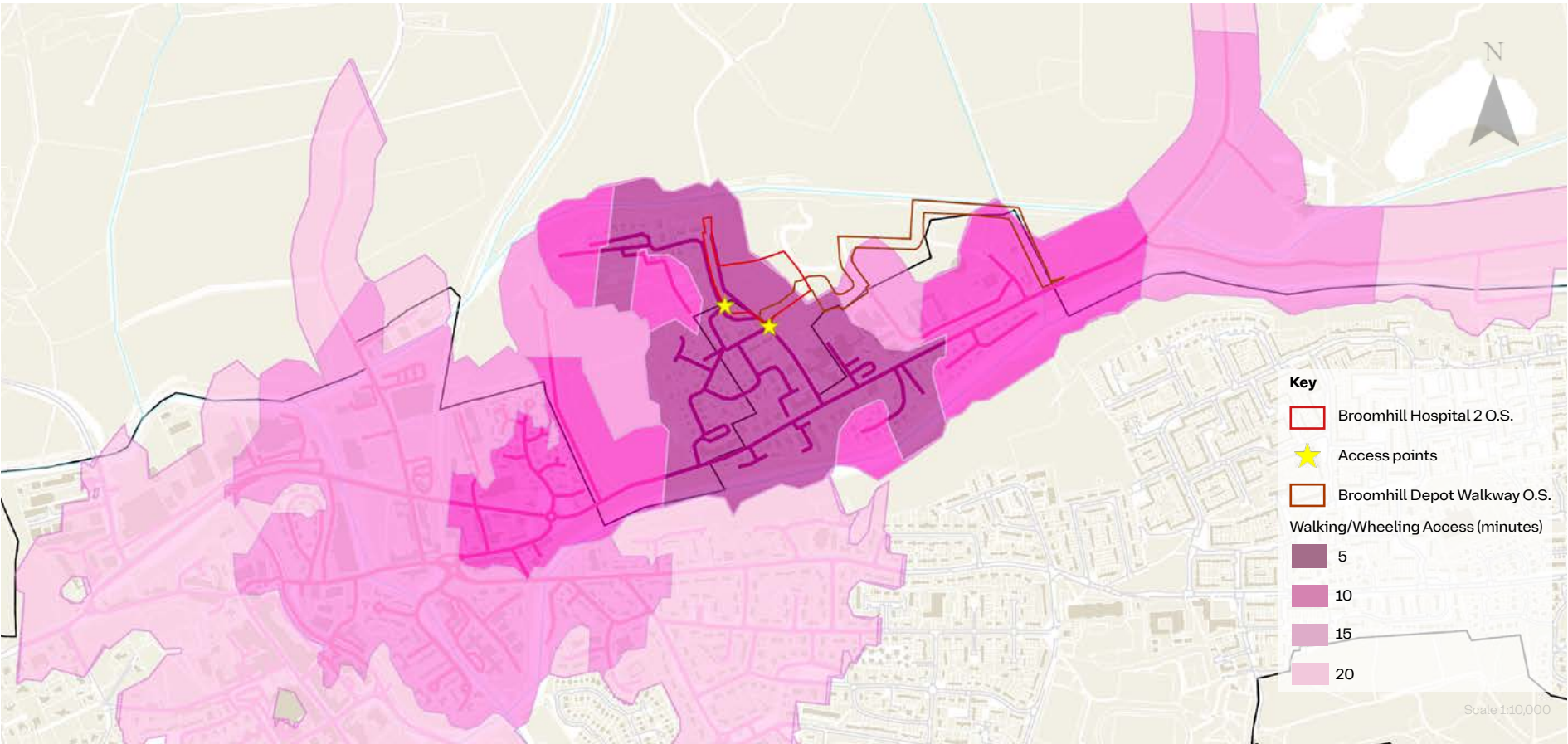


Figure 14. Broomhill Hospital 2 Open Space Walking and Wheeling Access



Figure 15. Broomhill Hospital 2 site photos

Kilmardinny Loch Local Nature Reserve - Bearsden

The walking and wheeling accessibility for Kilmardinny Loch Open Space can be seen in Figure 16. Located close to Kimardinny North (Figure 10), this is a well established open space in Bearsden and is close to Milngavie.

Kilmardinny Loch demonstrates strong connectivity to the surrounding housing estates in Bearsden. It acts as a central semi-natural open space for local residents and visitors to the area. It is accessible by seven access points with good connectivity to the Kilmardinny and Mosshead Play Area to the north of the site. Paths are in good condition and support walking, wheeling and cycling access, while limiting disturbance on woodland and wetland habitat.

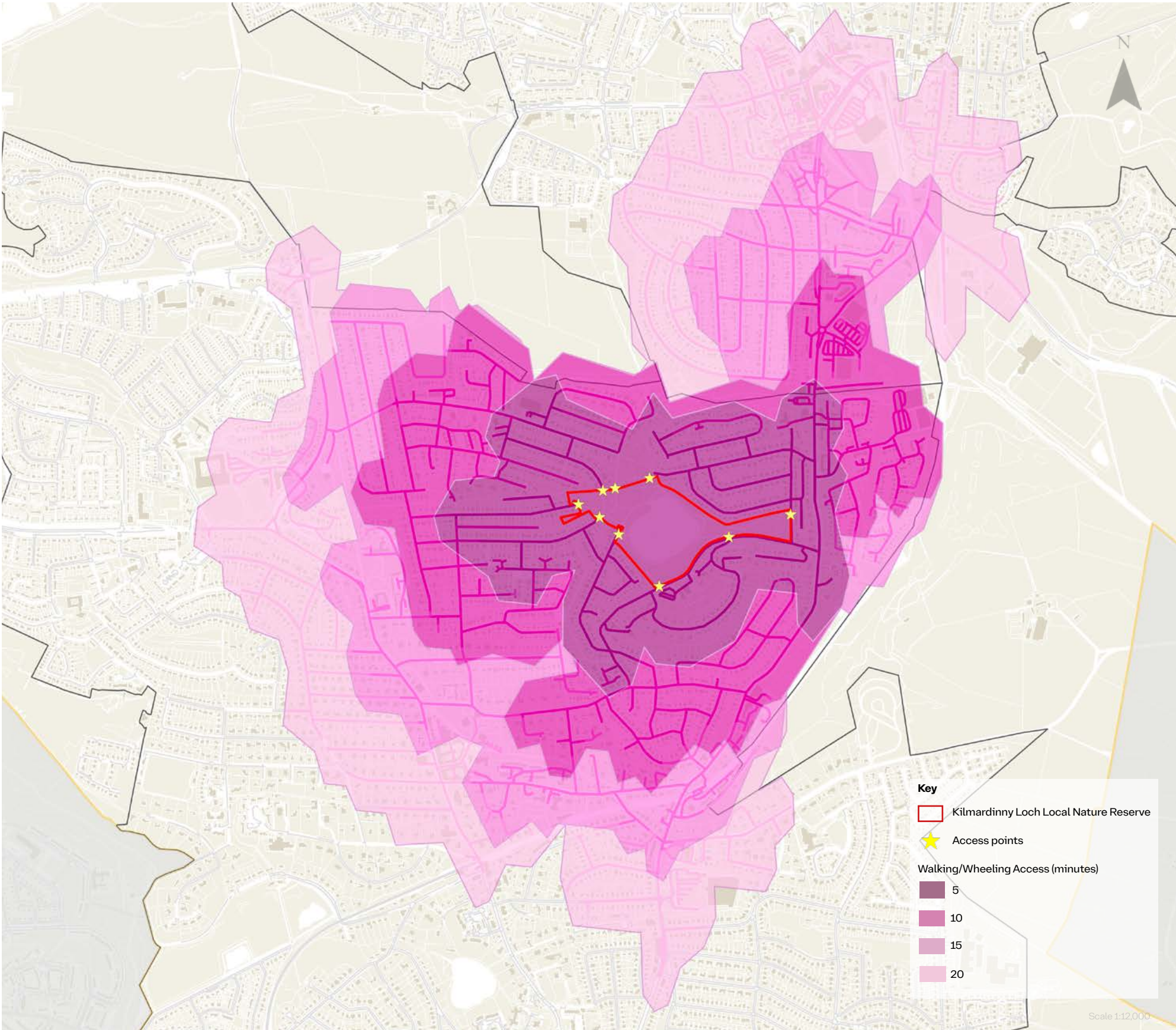


Figure 16. Kilmardinny Loch Local Nature Reserve Open Space Walking and Wheeling Access

4.2.3 Cycling

The definition of cycling “Incorporates the action of moving (at speed) on a wide range of pedal-powered wheeled transport that may be powered with hands and/or feet, may transport one or more persons, may or may not include e-assist, and may have from 2 to 4 wheels.”²

A key enhancement in the 2025 OSA is the introduction of a dedicated assessment for cycling to each open space. As detailed in Section 2, this evaluation was carried out using the bespoke TRACC accessibility tool, which provides a spatial analysis of travel times by active modes.

The TRACC tool employs isochrone mapping to visualise how far individuals can travel by cycling to reach open spaces across East Dunbartonshire. Figure 17 presents the outputs of this analysis, using a gradient of pink and purple tones to represent varying levels of accessibility—darker shades indicate stronger connectivity and shorter travel times.

The results show that 204 out of 206 open spaces are accessible within a five-minute cycle using the existing road and footpath networks. This reflects a high level of active travel connectivity across the district and aligns well with national policy objectives, such as those outlined in PAN 65, which advocate for open spaces to be easily reachable by walking, wheeling and cycling.

From the TRACC analysis, seven open spaces have portions of their boundaries that fall outside the five-minute cycling threshold. In particular, Baldernock Cemetery stands out as the only open space where the majority of access falls within the five to ten-minute cycling range, suggesting a slightly lower level of connectivity compared to the rest of the district.

The TRACC system applies a standard cycling speed of 16 km/h across all network links, with footpaths assuming a walking speed of 4.8 km/h, reflecting the assumption that cyclists would dismount in these areas. This standardisation allows for consistent comparison across the district.

In addition to accessibility scoring, the isochrone map provides a clear visual representation of the time required to reach open spaces within East Dunbartonshire. This analysis confirms a high level of connectivity across East Dunbartonshire, illustrating that most open spaces are easily accessible by cycling.

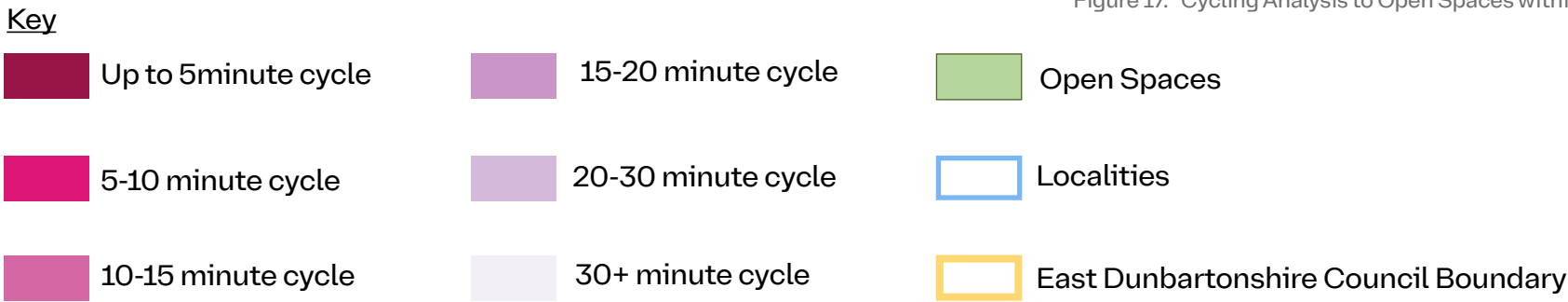
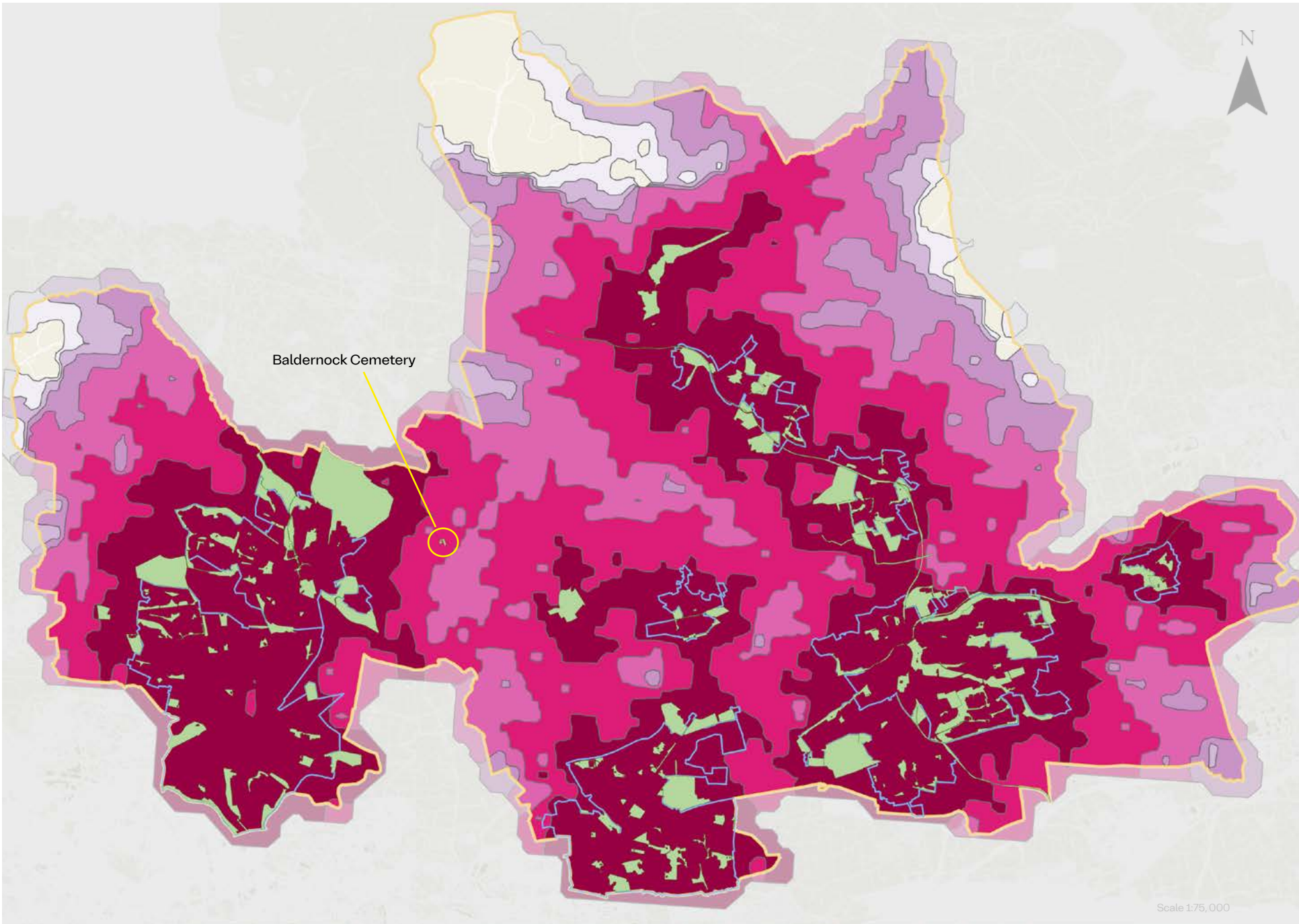


Figure 17. Cycling Analysis to Open Spaces within East Dunbartonshire

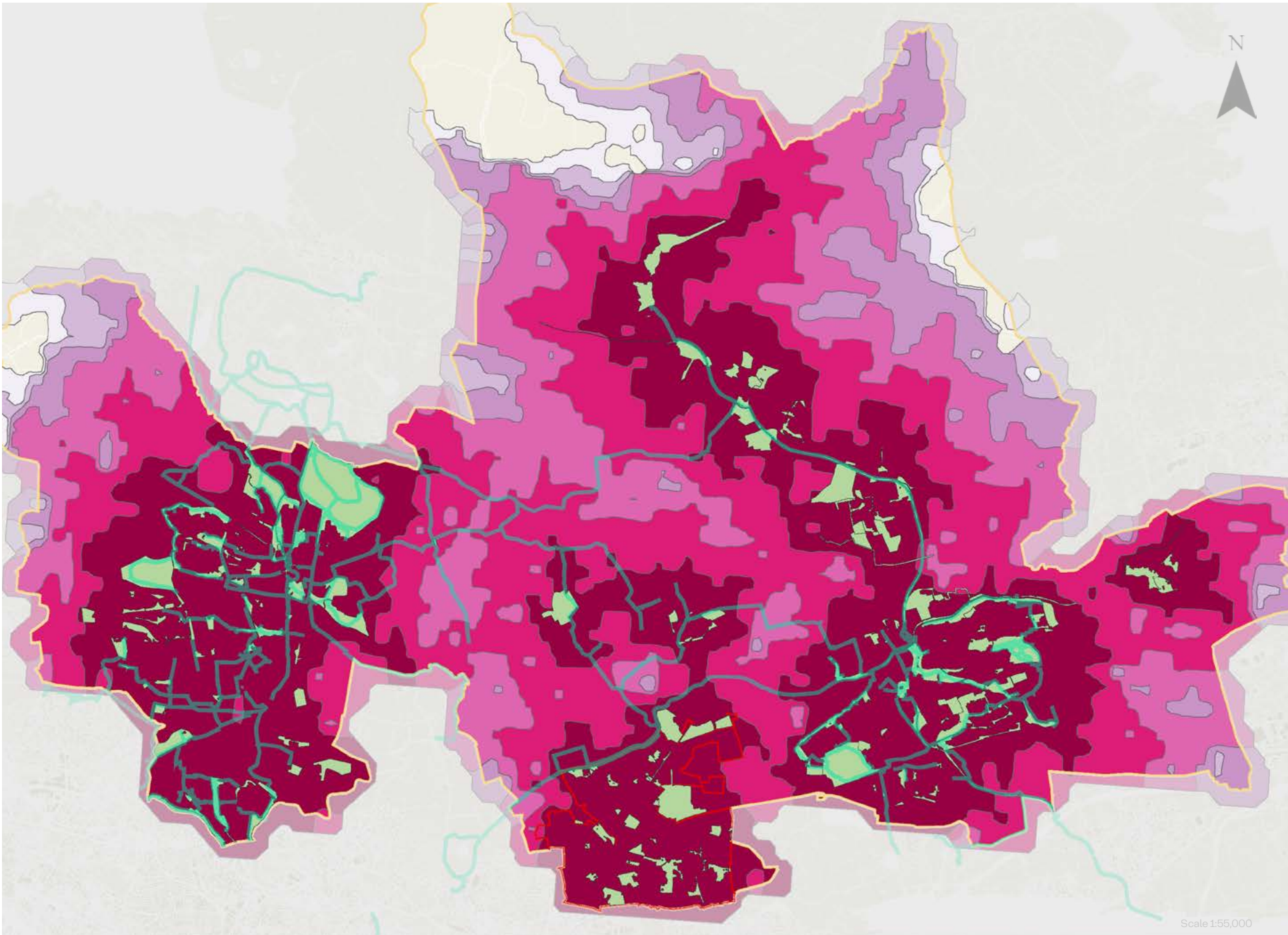
4.2.4 Cycling Analysis and EDC Cycling Network

To complement the isochrone analysis, the East Dunbartonshire cycling network has been overlaid with the TRACC-generated cycling accessibility isochrones in Figure 18. Green lines denote the formal cycling network, while green represent open spaces.

Figure 18 highlights the great interconnection of open spaces by the dedicated cycle network especially in Bearsden, Milngavie, Kirkintilloch, and Lenzie. These areas show consistently strong accessibility of cycling to open spaces.

The figure also highlights that Baldernock Cemetery, highlighted in the previous Figure 17, is along the recognised ‘quiet on-road route advisory cycle lane’ as highlighted in [EDC’S Walking and Cycling document](#).

Bishopbriggs, the second-largest settlement in East Dunbartonshire by population, shows good access to open spaces by the cycle network, particularly in the north, open spaces to the south are better served by the existing road and path network, indicating weaker connectivity using the cycle network.



Key

- EDC Cycle Network
- Up to 5minute cycle
- 5-10 minute cycle

- 10-15 minute cycle
- 15-20 minute cycle
- 20-30 minute cycle

- 30+ minute cycle
- Open Spaces
- Localities

- East Dunbartonshire Council Boundary

Figure 18. Cycling Analysis with Cycle Network East Dunbartonshire

4.2.5 Cycling with Population Centroids

Cycling accessibility to open spaces plays a key role in promoting active travel and equitable access to green infrastructure. To ensure the analysis reflects actual settlement patterns rather than just geographic spread, NRS Census 2022 population centroids are have been overlaid on top of the cycling isochrones as seen in Figure 19.

The analysis ensures that accessibility is assessed in relation to where people actually live, offering a more accurate representation of potential demand and service gaps.

Figure 19 shows the cycling access 'up to 5 minutes' along with the cycle network and NRS Census 2022 population centroids. This helps to highlight where population centres fall outside the threshold of a 5 minutes cycle to open spaces.

Most population centres fall within a 5–15 minute cycling range to open spaces, indicating relatively good accessibility for the majority of residents.

A few settlements lie outside the 5-minute contour, but still fall within the 5–10 or 10–15 minute bands, suggesting that while not immediately adjacent, they are still reasonably accessible by cycling. These are around the areas of:

- Balmore - Village
- Bardowie - Hamlet
- Baldernock - Parish
- Auchenreoch - Hamlet

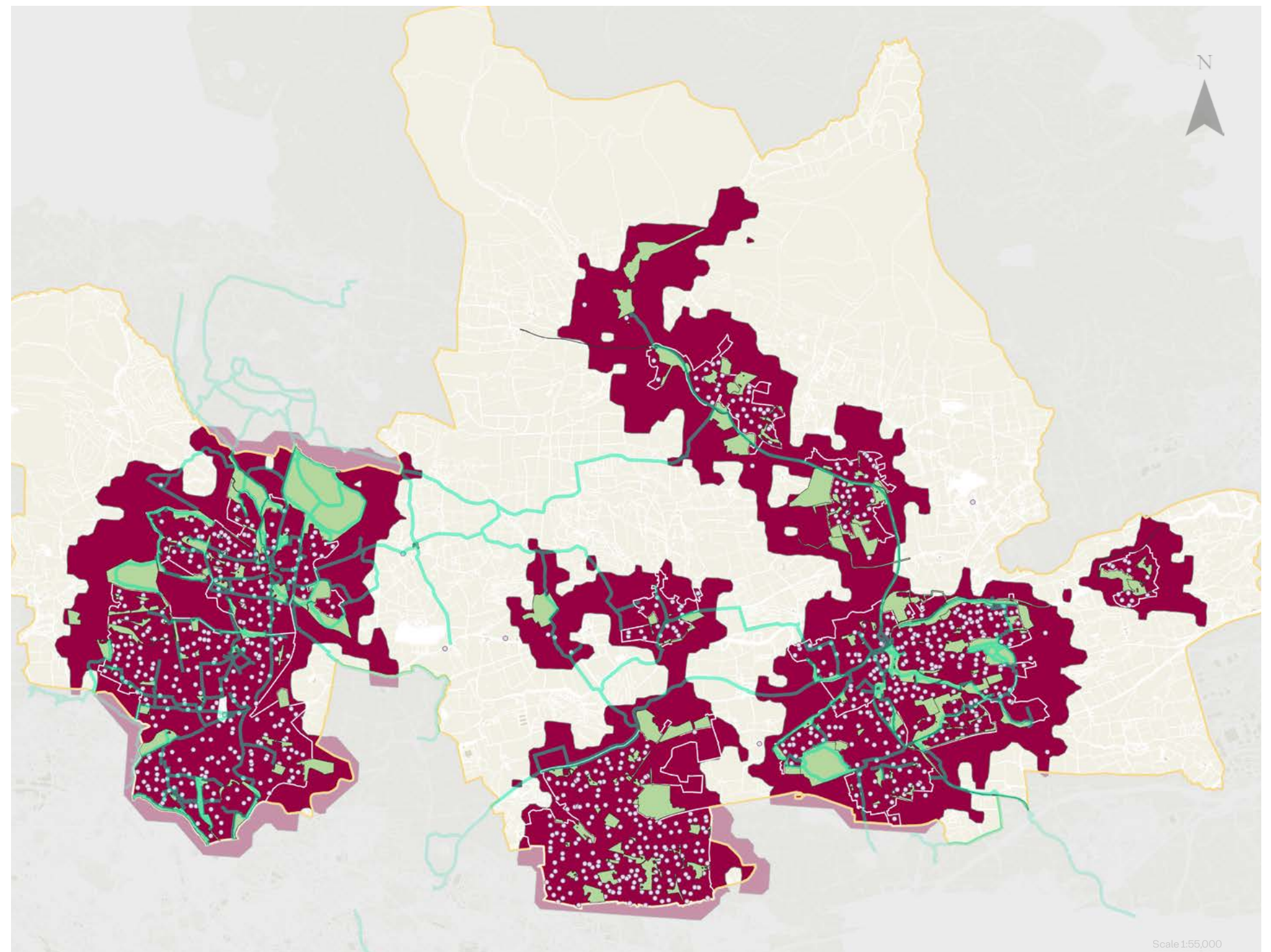


Figure 19. Cycling Analysis with Cycle Network and Population Centroids East Dunbartonshire

Key

NRS Population Centroids	10-15 minute cycle	30+ minute cycle	East Dunbartonshire Council Boundary
EDC Cycle Network	15-20 minute cycle	Open Spaces	Localities
Up to 5minute cycle	20-30 minute cycle		

4.3 Quality

The Quality audit was undertaken on site at each open space using ArcGIS Fieldmaps with a ranking style matrix established in the Criteria for Quality (see Appendix 1). Each criterion includes a set of questions, with each question scored from 1 to 5 (or 0 if not applicable). The average score for each site was calculated and then converted into an overall percentage score.

206 open space sites were audited in the quality assessment, based on agreed criteria:

- Only publicly usable/accessible open spaces of at least 0.2Ha in size and with an access point within 400m of a settlement have been included as part of the audit (except in the circumstances below)
- Six amenity Greenspaces falling below 0.2Ha were agreed for inclusion due to local importance and function:
 - Demonstration Garden in Torrance
 - Maple Walk O.S.2 in Milton of Campsie
 - Castlevieview and Crosshill Street Amenity Greenspace in Lennoxtown
 - Coronation Gardens in Lenzie
 - Lyle Square O.S. in Milngavie
- Six open spaces outside of 400m of a major settlement boundary were agreed for inclusion due to local importance and function:
 - Castlevieview
 - Campsie Glen
 - Glenorchard Wood
 - Baldernock Cemetery
 - Schoenstadt
- Sports grounds with artificial turf which are enclosed and not publicly accessible will be excluded.

In order to understand how the agreed scoring criteria are applied to those sites which are not parks (such as cemeteries for example) to determine fitness for purpose, AtkinsRéalis updated the definition of the typologies which can be found in Appendix B.

Table 10 below highlights the grading of open space sites by typology within each locality. A full list of the open space sites and their scorings can be seen in Appendix E.

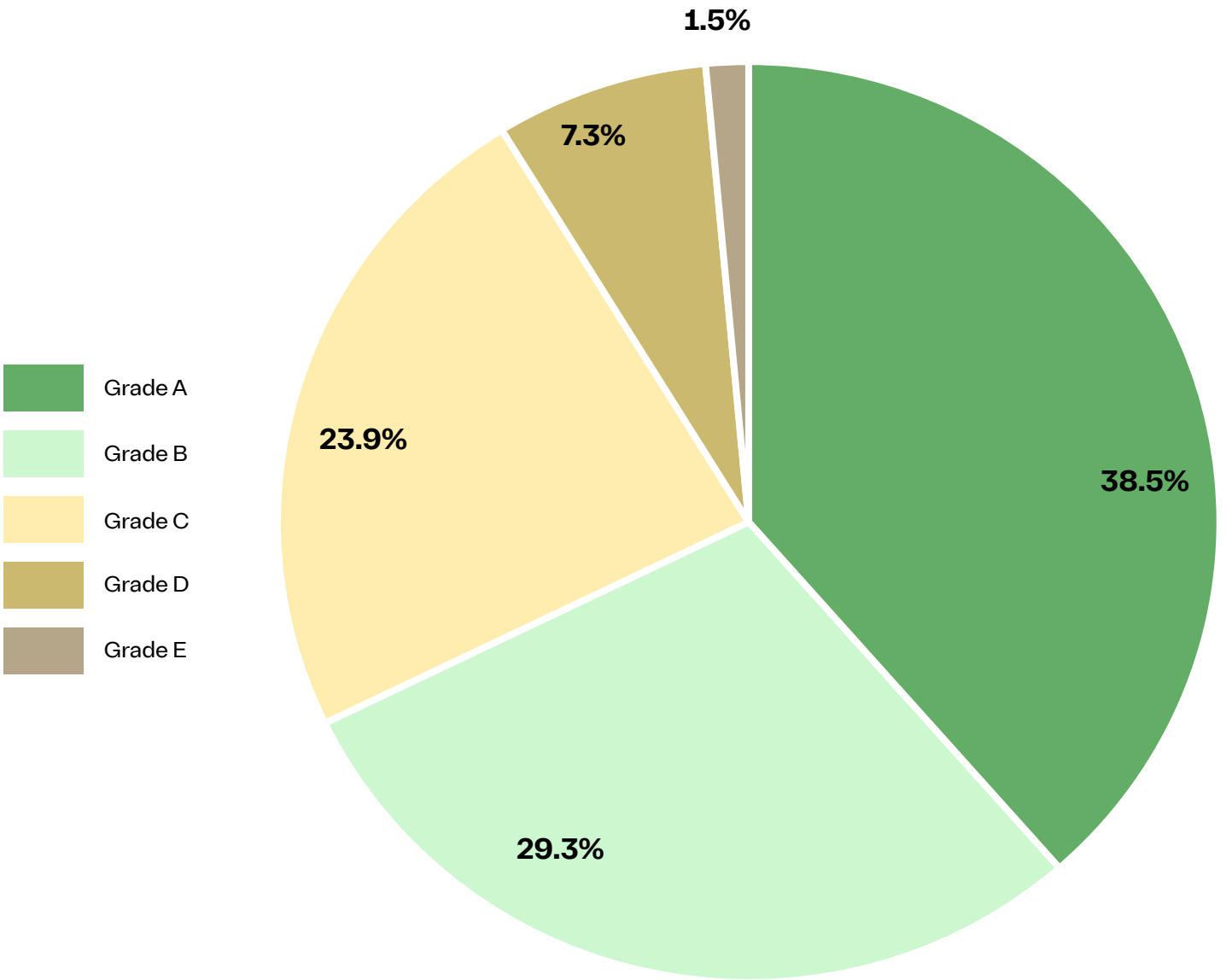


Figure 20. Quality Analysis proportions by Grading

Table 9. Quality Audit Bands (2019) , taken from 2020 report

Fit for purpose		
Band A	Excellent	80% or more
Band B	Very Good	70-79%
Band C	Good	55-69%
Not fit for purpose		
Band D	Fair	45-54%
Band E	Poor	Less than 45%

Table 10. Quality Analysis by Typology, Grade and Number of sites

Locality	Typology	Grade	Number of Sites
Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	A	7
		B	3
		C	6
	Cemetery	A	3
	Green Corridor	B	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	7
		B	1
		C	1
	Private Grounds or Grounds	A	1
	Public Parks and Gardens	A	8
		B	2
Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	A	6
		B	5
		C	3
		D	1
	Cemetery	A	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	4
		B	1
		C	1
	Public Parks and Gardens	A	4
		B	3
		C	1
	Sports Areas	A	1
		B	1
		C	1
Kirkintilloch	Amenity Greenspace	B	1
		C	3
		D	1
	Cemetery	A	1
	Civic Space	A	1
	Green Corridor	B	1
		D	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	2
		B	4
		C	2
		D	2
		E	1
	Public Parks and Gardens	B	5
		C	1
		D	2
		E	2



Glasgow University Woods, Bearsden



Bishopbriggs Public Park, Bishopbriggs



Peel Park, Kirkintilloch

Locality	Typology	Grade	Number of Sites
Lennoxtown	Amenity Greenspace	A	1
		B	2
		C	2
	Cemetery	C	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	2
		B	1
		C	2
		D	1
	Green Corridor	B	1
	Public Parks and Gardens	A	2
		C	2
Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	A	4
		C	4
		D	1
	Green Corridor	A	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	2
	Public Parks and Gardens	A	1
		B	2
		D	1
	Sports Areas	B	1
		C	1
Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	A	4
		B	3
		C	3
		D	2
	Green Corridor	B	1
	Civic Space	A	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	4
		B	3
		C	1
		D	2
	Private Grounds or Grounds	C	1
	Public Parks and Gardens	A	3
		B	4



Locality	Typology	Grade	Number of Sites
Milton of Campsie	Amenity Greenspace	B	4
		C	3
	Green Corridor	C	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	1
		B	5
		C	4
		D	1
	Public Parks and Gardens	B	2
Twechar	Green Corridor	C	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	C	1
	Public Parks and Gardens	C	2
Torrance	Amenity Greenspace	A	1
		B	1
	Green Corridor	B	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	1
	Public Parks and Gardens	A	2
No Locality	Amenity Greenspace	A	1
	Cemetery	A	1
	Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	A	1
		B	1
	Private Gardens or Grounds	A	1



Cannerton Crescent, Milton of Campsie



Woodmill Park, Torrance

4.4 Quantity Assessment by Settlement

The current EDC quantity standards are defined by typology based on the typologies identified by Fields in Trust and PAN 65, with consideration given to the following factors:

- Play and youth spaces are omitted from this assessment as they have been assessed separately in the Council's Play Sufficiency Assessment
- Sites outside of 400m of a major settlement boundary are excluded as previously agreed in 2020 assessment
- The three newly identified open spaces have been included in this assessment.

Based on the established criteria above 177 sites were identified for the quantity assessment.

Table 11 shows the existing supply of open space against the existing (2015) quantity standard by Locality. The supply is calculated using the population figures (Census 2022) and the quantity of open space compared to what the requirements for open space are against the existing quantity standard.

The current standard is 1.5Ha per 1000 population of multi-functional open space

Table 12 below highlights the quantity standards per 1000 people used in this Audit.

Table 12.Quantity Standards 2025

2025	
Typology	Standard (Ha/1000)
Parks and Gardens	2
Amenity Greenspace	0.6
Natural and Semi Natural	2
Total requirement	4.6

The following pages show a map of the localities with a break down of their quantity assessment.

Table 11.Quantity Totals by Settlement

Locality	Population	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Bearsden	28470	36	126.82	4.08	42.71	84.12	2.95
Bishopbriggs	23680	29	96.59	4.08	35.52	61.07	2.58
Kirkintilloch	21870	26	163.55	7.48	32.81	130.75	5.98
Lennoxtown	4260	15	54.76	12.85	6.36	48.37	11.3
Lenzie	8090	15	65.38	8.08	12.14	53.25	3.48
Milngavie	12840	28	121.75	9.48	19.26	102.49	7.98
Milton of Campsie	3910	20	64.89	16.60	5.87	59.02	15.10
Torrance	2320	5	9.54	4.11	3.48	6.06	2.61
Twechar	1340	3	17.22	12.85	2.01	15.21	11.35
Total			720.50	6.75	160.33	560.33	5.25

Bearsden

Bearsden has 42 open space sites, of this 36³ are Amenity Greenspace, Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace, Public Parks and Gardens.

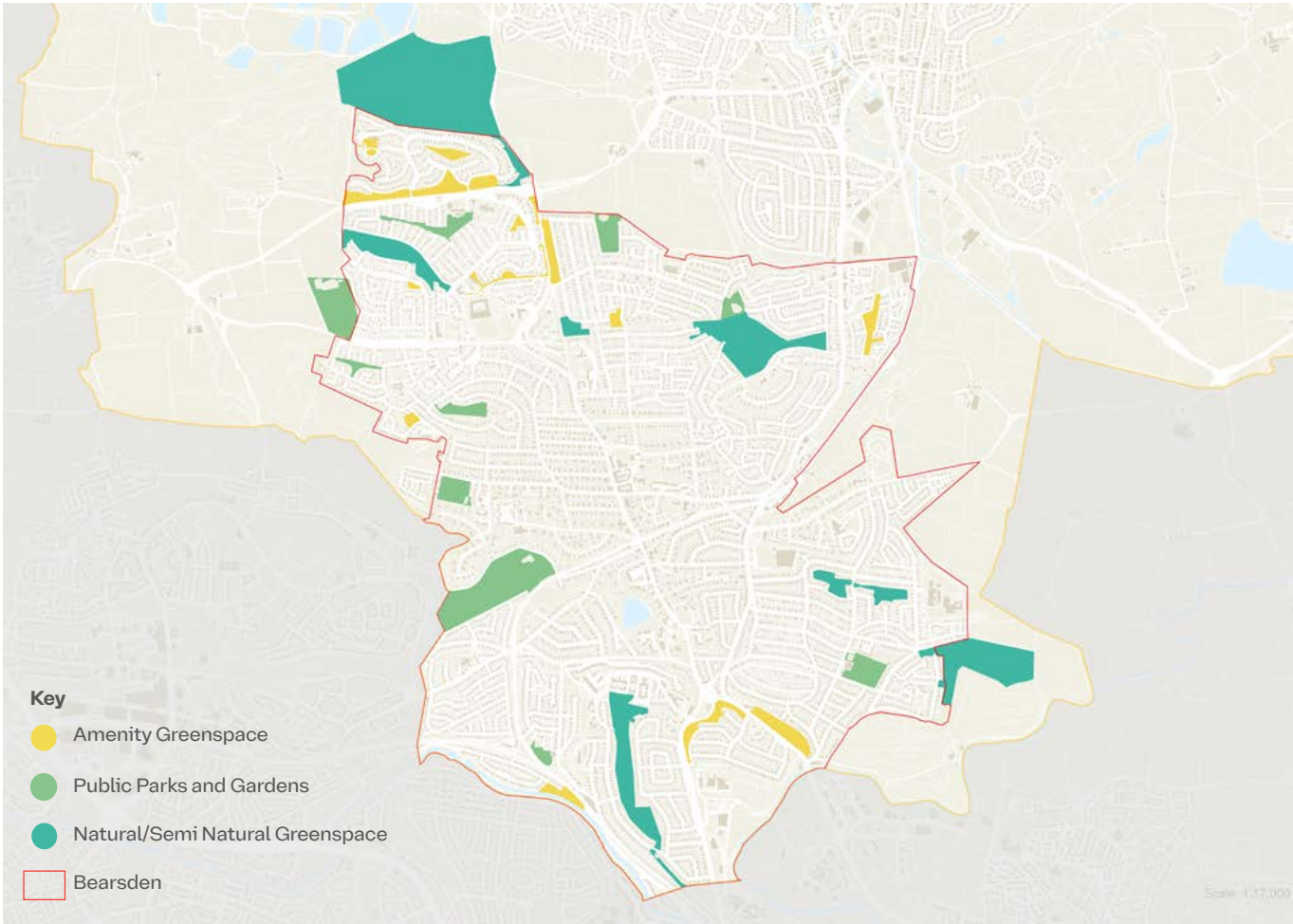


Figure 21. Quantity Analysis Bearsden

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Amenity Greenspace	17	17.83	0.63	17.082	0.6	0.75	0.03
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	9	77.75	2.73	56.94	2	20.18	0.73
Public Parks and Gardens	10	31.23	1.10	56.94	2	-25.71	-0.90
Total	36	126.82	4.45	130.96	4.6	-4.15	-0.15

³) based on 36 open spaces. Does not include Kilmardinny 1 & 2 (amenity greenspaces discounted due to lack of access on site).

Bishopbriggs

Bishopbriggs has 35 open space sites, of this 29⁴ are Amenity Greenspace, Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace, Public Parks and Gardens.

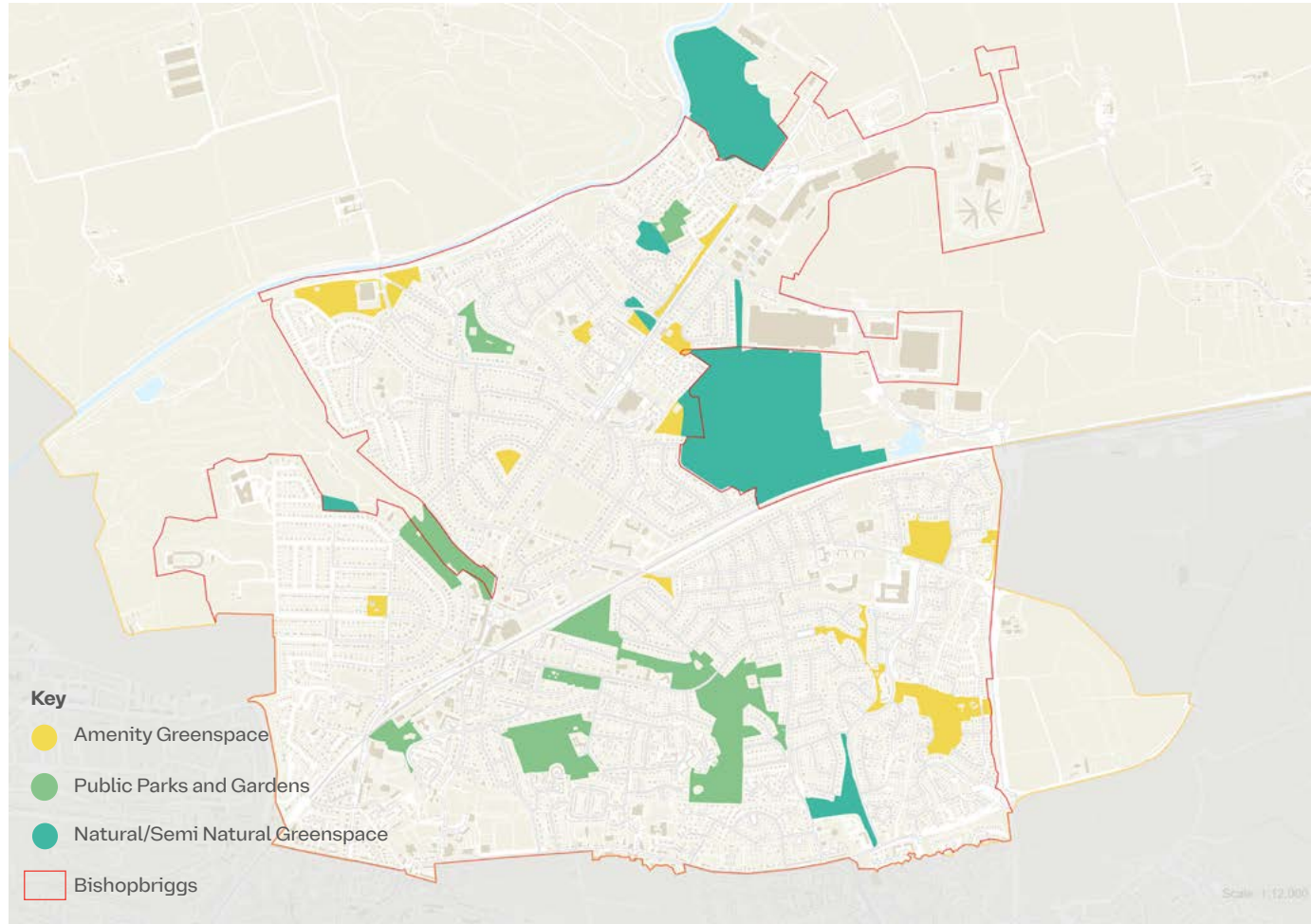


Figure 22. Quantity Analysis Bishopbriggs

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Amenity Greenspace	15	17.18	0.73	14.208	0.6	2.98	0.13
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	6	49.19	2.08	47.36	2	1.83	0.08
Public Parks and Gardens	8	30.21	1.28	47.36	2	-17.15	-0.72
Total	29	96.59	4.08	108.928	4.6	-12.34	-0.52

⁴) based on 29 open spaces. Does not include Cadder Works and Low Moss (discounted due to lack of access on site).

Kirkintilloch

Kirkintilloch has 33 open space sites, of this 26⁵ are Amenity Greenspace, Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace, Public Parks and Gardens.

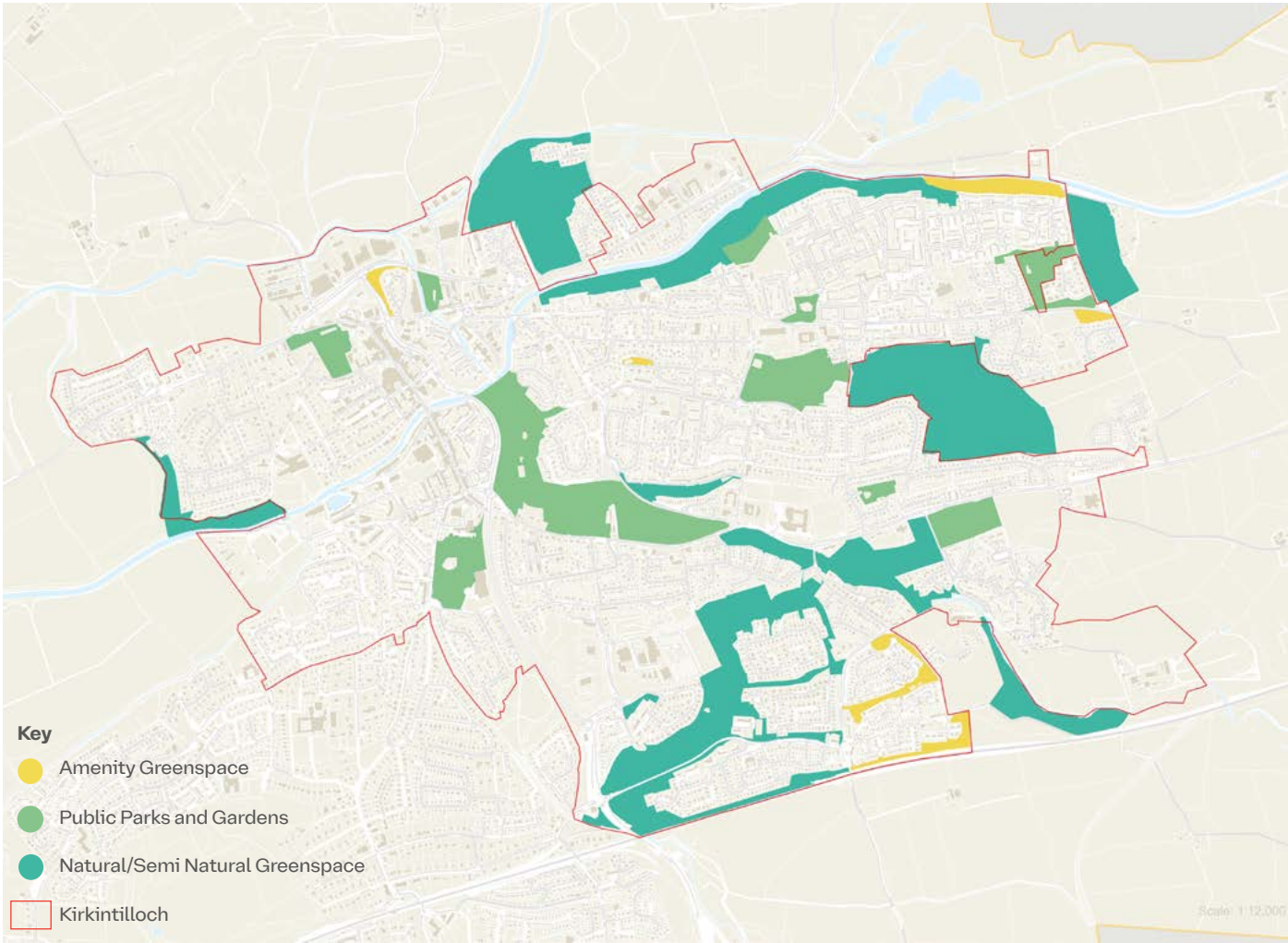


Figure 23. Quantity Analysis Kirkintilloch

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Amenity Greenspace	5	7.45	0.34	13.122	0.6	-5.67	-0.26
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	11	113.22	5.18	43.74	2	69.48	3.18
Public Parks and Gardens	10	42.88	1.96	43.74	2	-0.86	-0.04
Total	26	163.55	7.48	100.602	4.6	62.95	2.88

⁵⁾ based on 26 open spaces. Does not include Braes of Yetts or Broomhill Hospital Site 2 (discounted due to lack of access on site).

Lennoxtown

Lennoxtown has 18 open space sites, of this 15⁶ are Amenity Greenspace, Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace, Public Parks and Gardens.

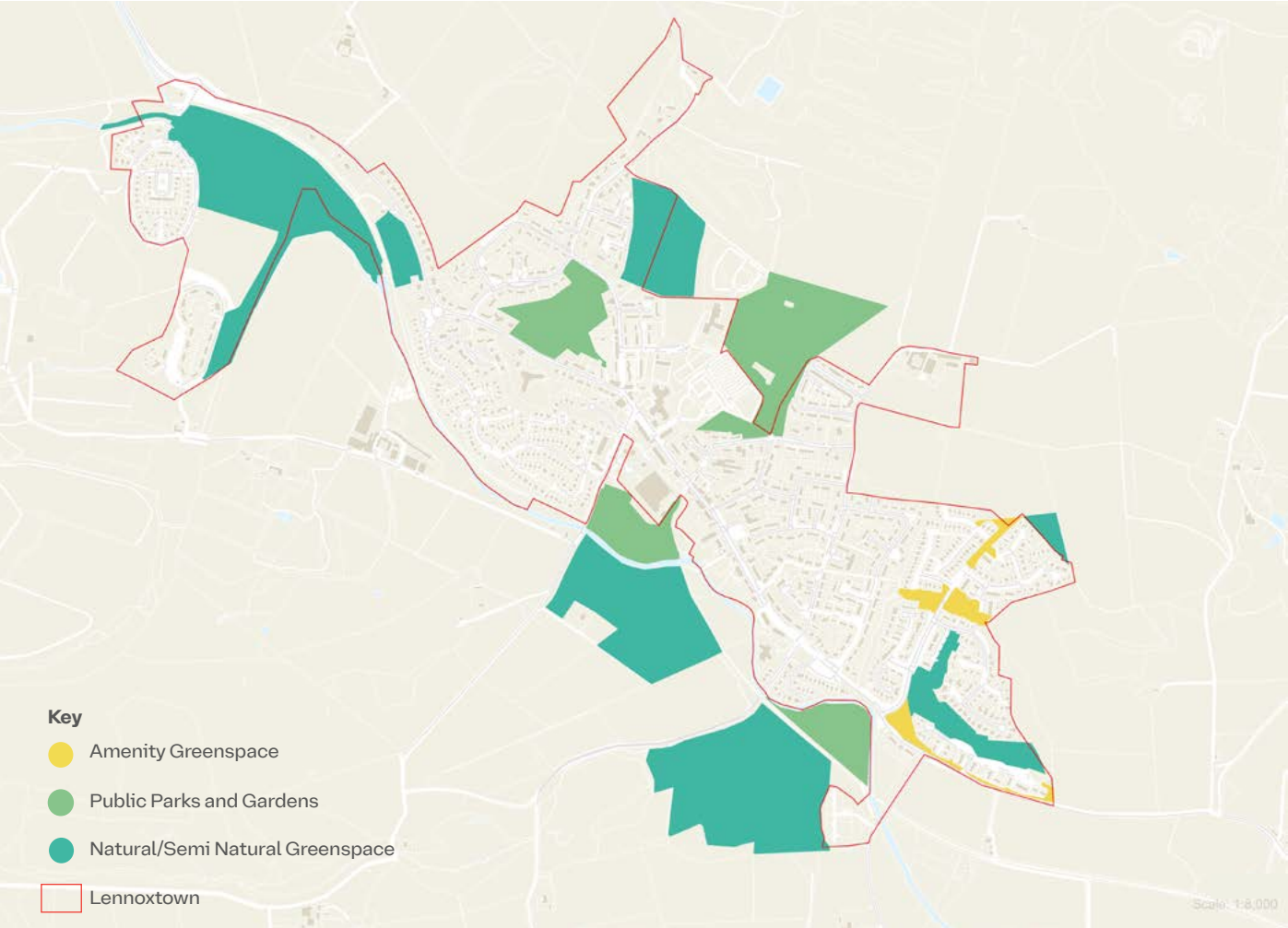


Figure 24. Quantity Analysis Lennoxtown

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Amenity Greenspace	5	2.02	0.47	2.56	0.6	-0.53	-0.13
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	6	37.36	8.77	8.52	2	28.84	6.77
Public Parks and Gardens	4	15.37	3.61	8.52	2	6.85	1.61
Total	15	54.76	12.85	19.596	4.6	35.16	8.25

⁶⁾ based on 15 open spaces. Does not include Redhills View Grassland (discounted due to lack of access on site).

Lenzie

Lenzie has 22 open space sites, of this 15⁷ are Amenity Greenspace, Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace, Public Parks and Gardens.

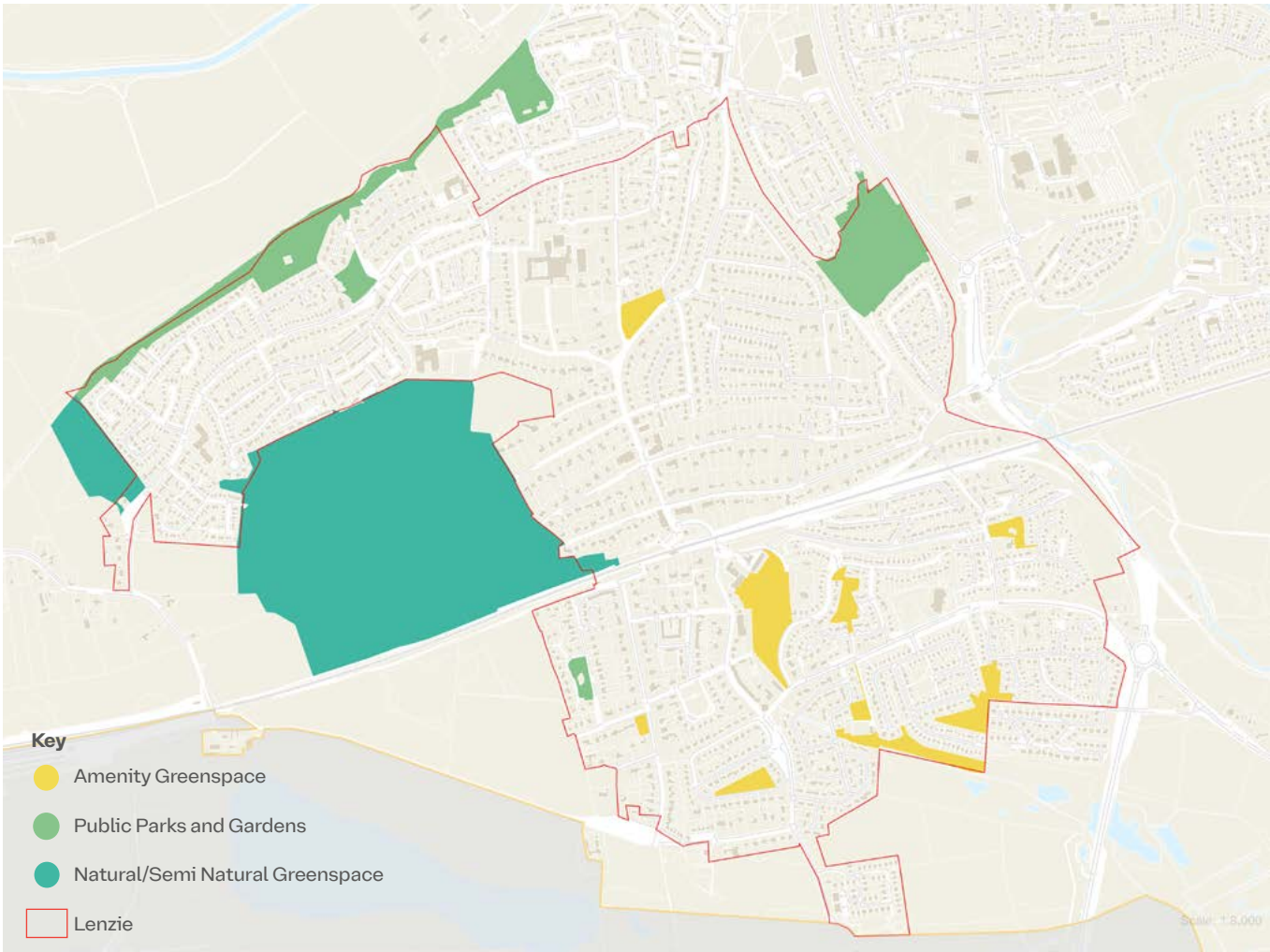


Figure 25. Quantity Analysis Lenzie

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Amenity Greenspace	9	7.34	0.91	4.854	0.6	2.49	0.31
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	2	44.26	5.47	16.18	2	28.08	3.47
Public Parks and Gardens	4	13.77	1.70	16.18	2	-2.41	-0.30
Total	15	65.38	8.08	37.214	4.6	28.17	3.48

⁷⁾ based on 15 open spaces. Does not include Crosshill Road, Lenzie Hospital or Claddens South (discounted due to lack of access on site). The removal of Whitegates Park would see a deficiency in the supply of open space of 7.9Ha or 0.98Ha/1000 people of parks and gardens within the settlement. This would be an increase in the deficit of 0.68Ha from 0.30Ha/1000 to 0.98Ha/1000.

Milngavie

Milngavie has 32 open space sites, of this 28⁸ are Amenity Greenspace, Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace, Public Parks and Gardens.

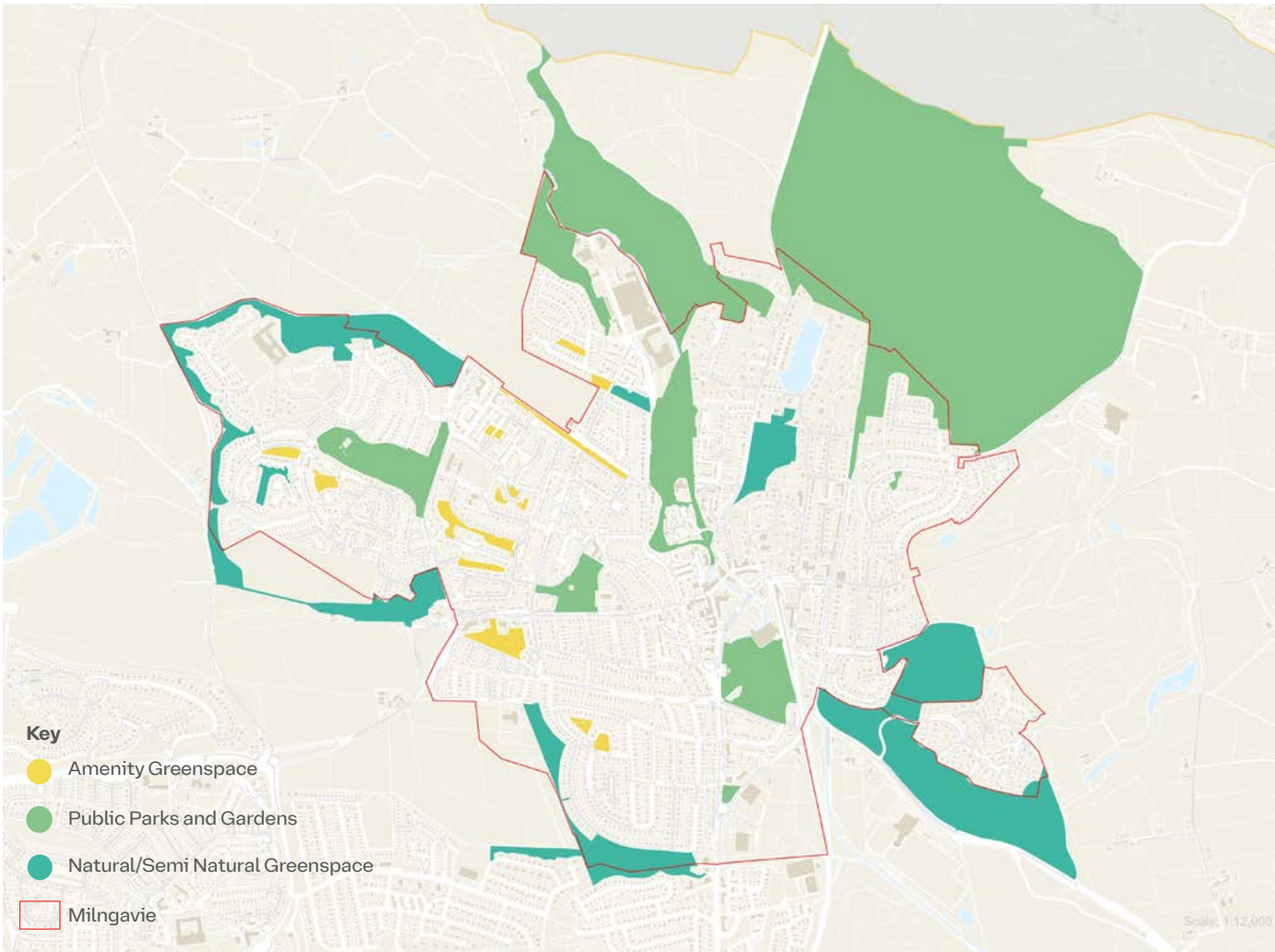


Figure 26. Quantity Analysis Milngavie

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Amenity Greenspace	12	6.73	0.52	7.704	0.6	-0.98	-0.08
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	10	60.05	4.68	25.68	2	34.37	2.68
Public Parks and Gardens	6	54.98	4.28	25.68	2	29.30	2.28
Total	28	121.75	9.48	59.064	4.6	62.69	4.88

⁸⁾ based on 28 open spaces. Does not include Mugdock Reservoir as in the 2020 Audit

Milton of Campsie

Milton of Campsie has 21 open space sites, of this 20 are Amenity Greenspace, Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace, Public Parks and Gardens.

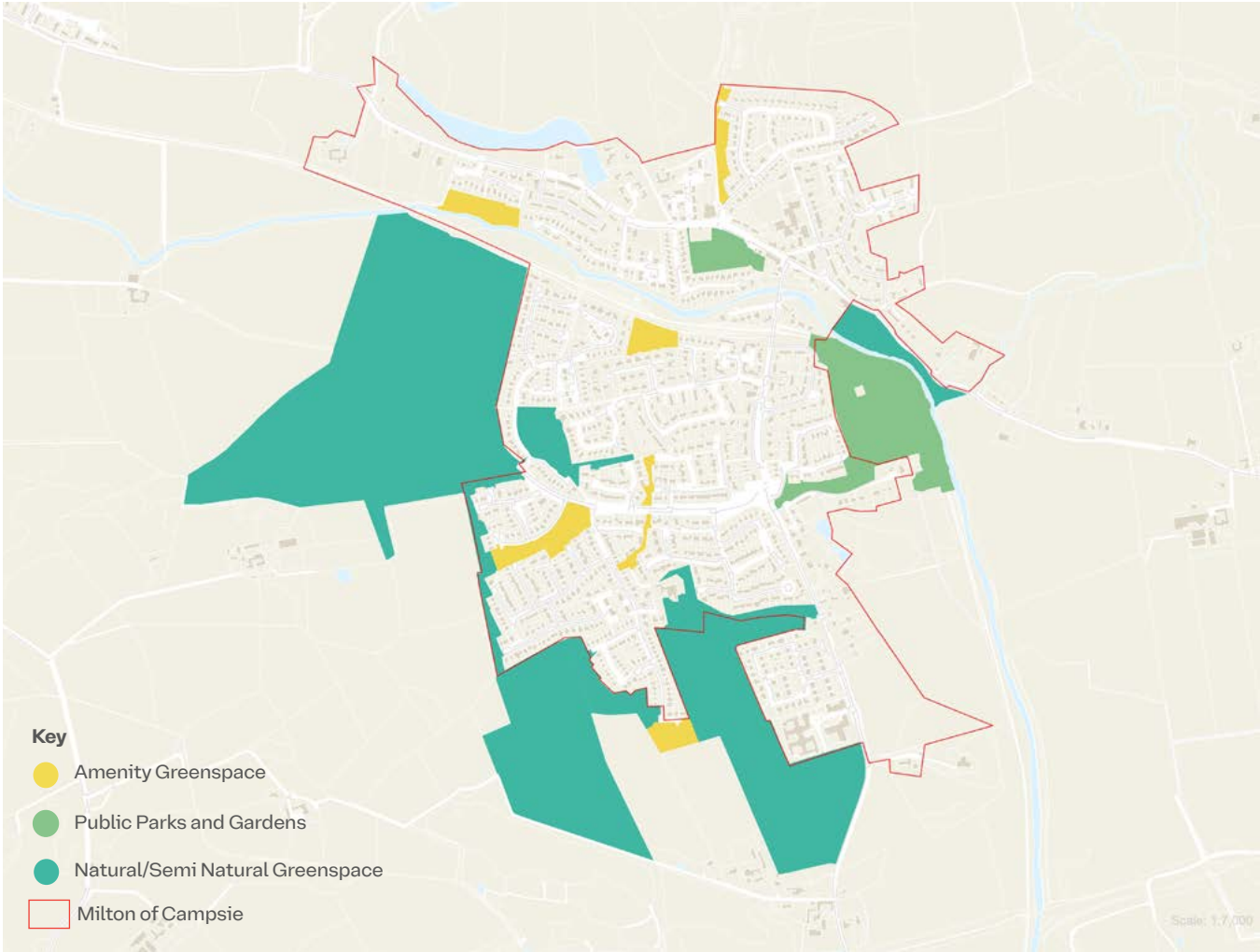


Figure 27. Quantity Analysis Milton of Campsie

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Amenity Greenspace	7	3.92	1.00	2.346	0.6	1.57	0.40
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	11	53.65	13.72	7.82	2	45.83	11.72
Public Parks and Gardens	2	7.32	1.87	7.82	2	-0.50	-0.13
Total	20	64.89	16.60	17.986	4.6	46.90	12.00

Torrance

Torrance has 7 open space sites, of this 5 are Amenity Greenspace, Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace, Public Parks and Gardens.

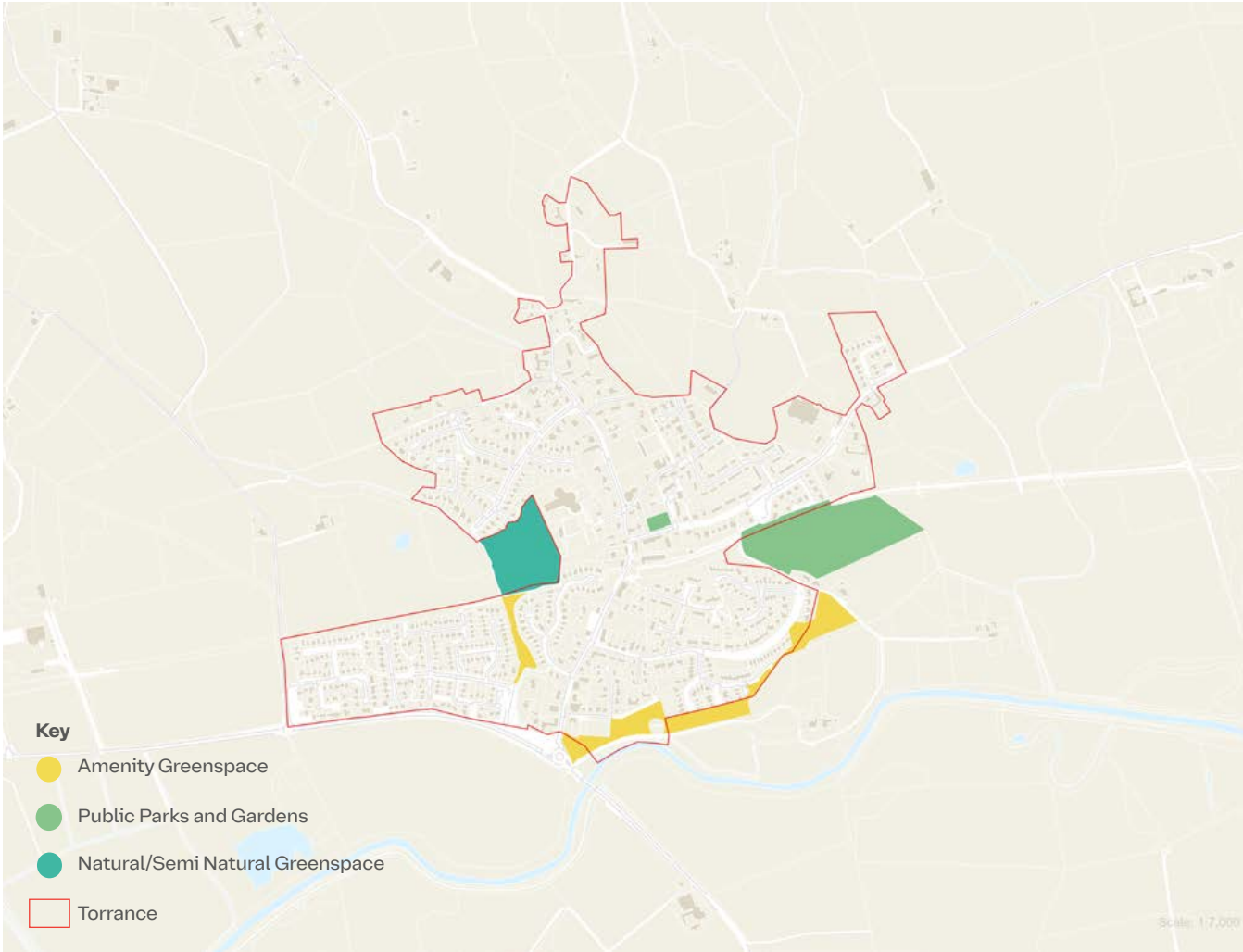


Figure 28. Quantity Analysis Torrance

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Amenity Greenspace	2	2.92	1.26	1.392	0.6	1.53	0.66
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	1	2.22	0.96	4.64	2	-2.42	-1.04
Public Parks and Gardens	2	4.40	1.90	4.64	2	-0.24	-0.10
Total	5	9.54	4.11	10.672	4.6	-1.13	-0.49

Twechar

Milton of Campsie has 4 open space sites, of this 3 are Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace or Public Parks and Gardens.

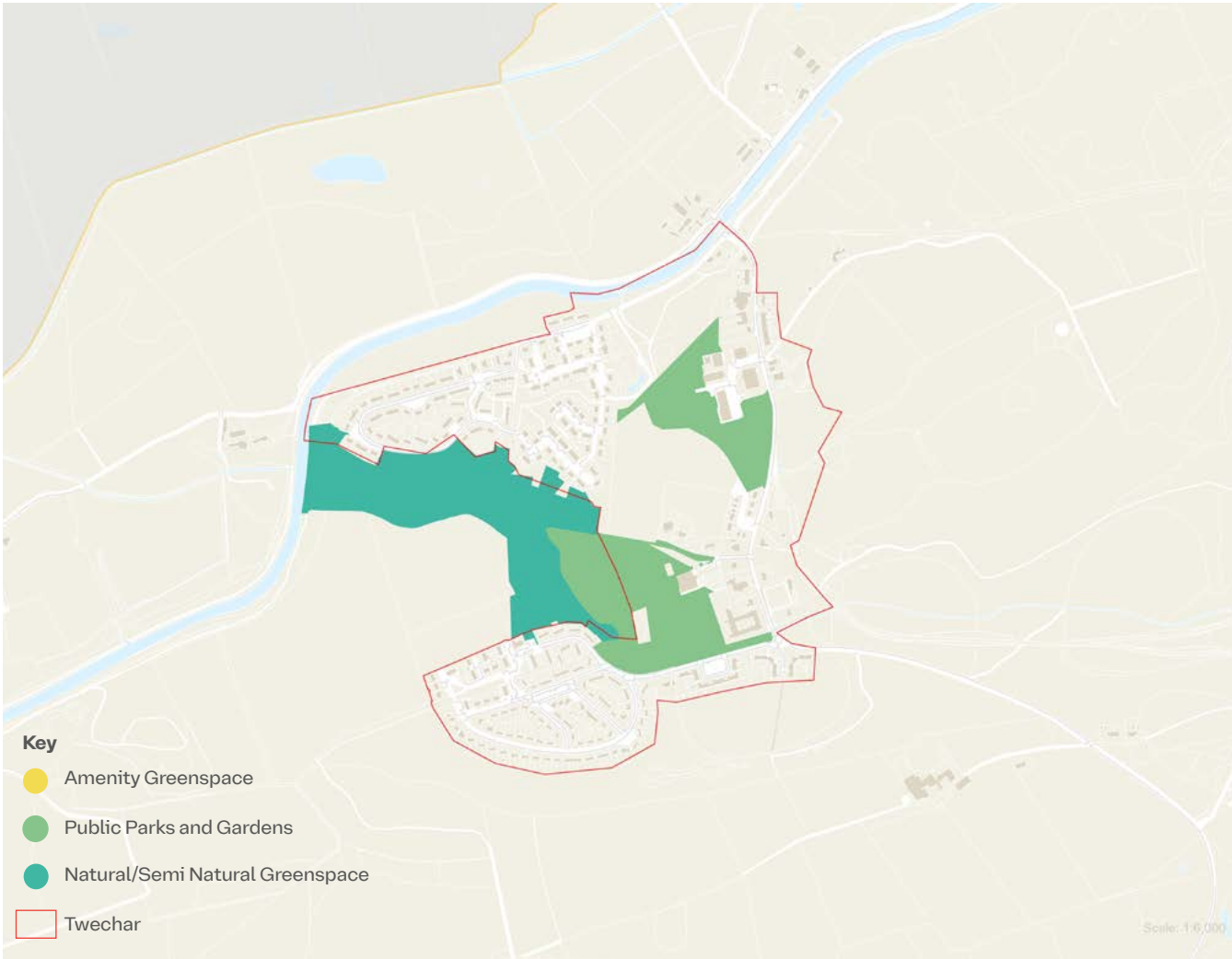


Figure 29. Quantity Analysis Twechar

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)	Existing Ha/1000	Required Ha	Standard Ha/1000	Supply Ha	Supply Ha/1000
Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace	1	8.66	6.46	2.68	2	5.98	4.46
Public Parks and Gardens	2	8.55	6.38	2.68	2	5.87	4.38
Total	3	17.22	12.85	5.36	4.6	11.86	8.85

Sites Outwith Settlements⁹

There are 5 open spaces that sit outside of the localities. Of these, 2 are Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace and 1 is an Amenity Greenspace.



Figure 30. No Locality Quantity- for informaiton only, not included as part of assessment

Typology	Number of Sites	Existing Area (Ha)
Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace	2	39.35
Amenity Greenspace	1	0.12
Total	3	17.22

⁹This is only for information and the figures are not included in final Quantity assessment as Quantity assessment is locality based



5. Key Issues and Opportunities

5.1 Overview

The average quality of Open Space in East Dunbartonshire is high with the majority of sites achieving an A or B score and only 17 sites of 204 failing to meet the standard by scoring D or E. Specific issues and opportunities identified by the survey are broken down by locality in detail over the following pages.

Improvements to greenspace quality can also tie into opportunities considered at a strategic scale looking holistically at the green network across the local authority in the context of nature networks, flood risk and amenity. These could include:

- Identifying areas with potential for upstream flood management as part of multifunctional greenspaces (e.g. usable open space and habitat). Integrate urban greenspace improvements with climate adaptation along with local SuDS and NBS.
- Provide more landscaping interest and biodiversity in urban greenspaces by introducing planting that supports pollinators and wildlife along with better facilities for activities, education and potential for community involvement.
- Improving path networks and connecting habitats by improving the biodiversity value of off road green corridors, providing better waymarking and access for users along with facilities like viewpoints, interpretation and rest areas.

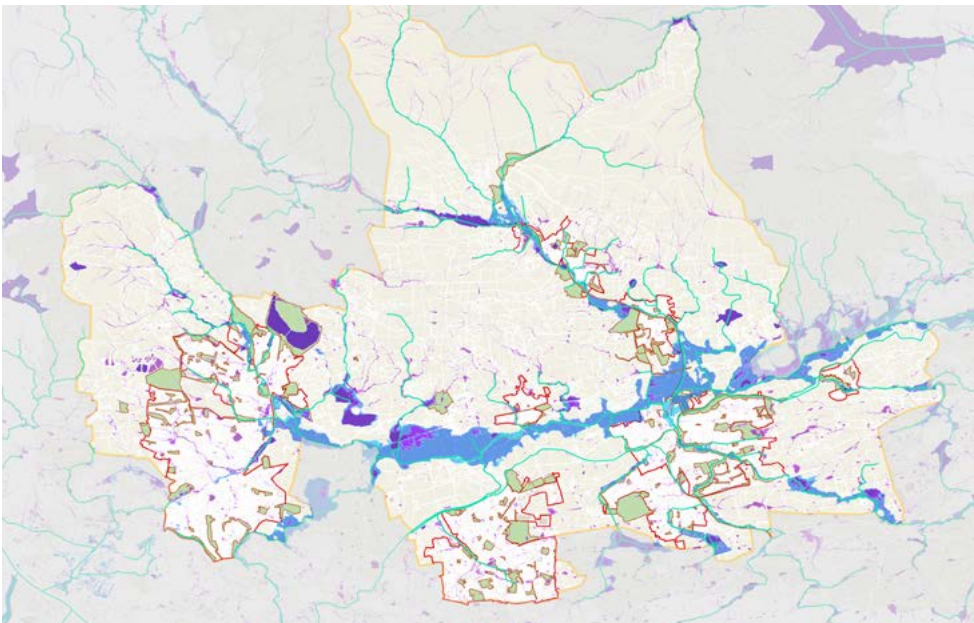


Figure 31. SEPA Flooding Map EDC

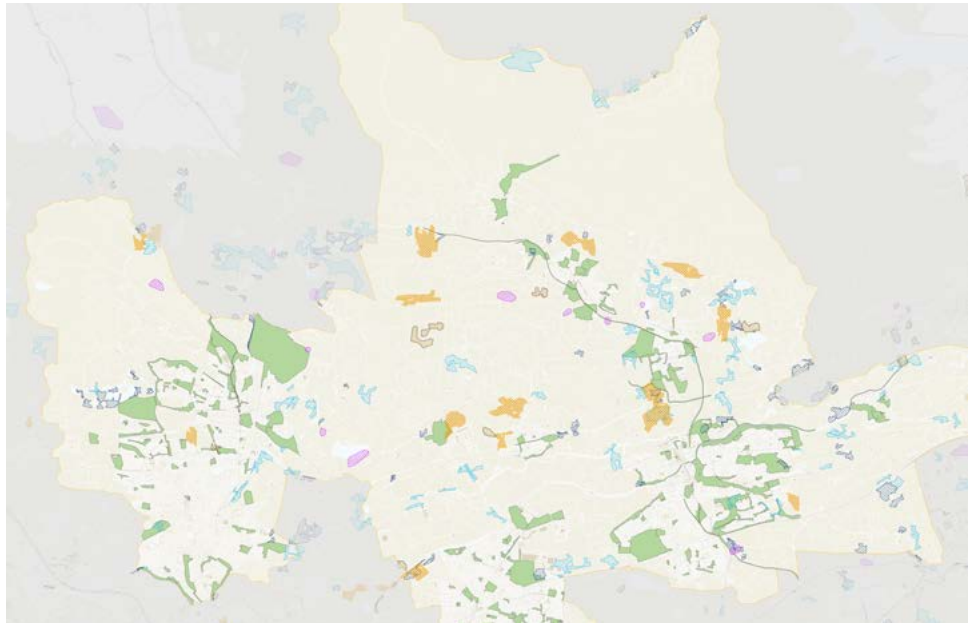


Figure 32. GCVGN Nature Networks Opportunity Areas

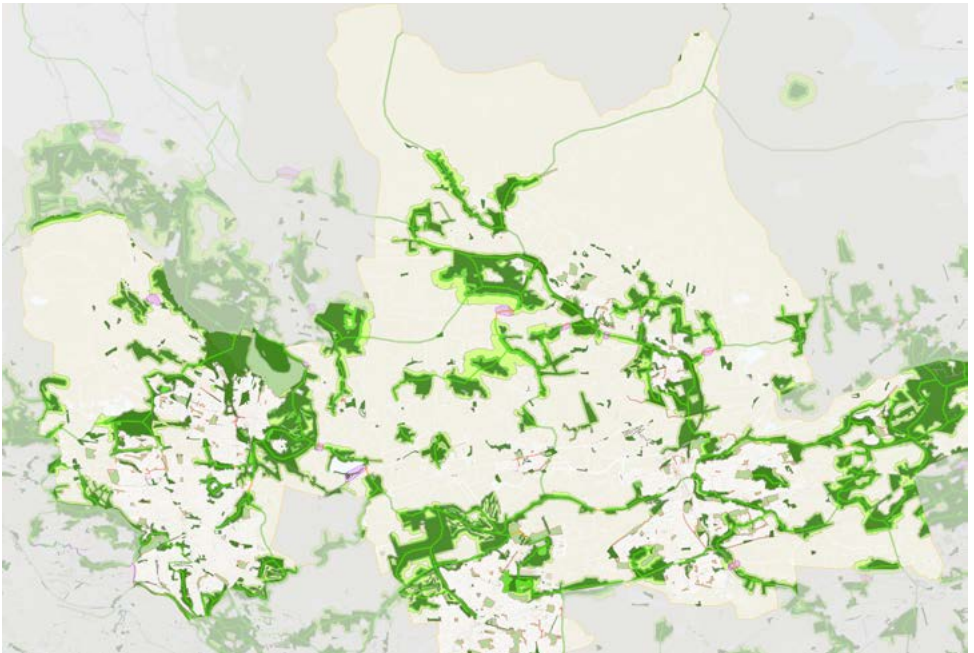


Figure 33. GCVGN Woodland Nature Network

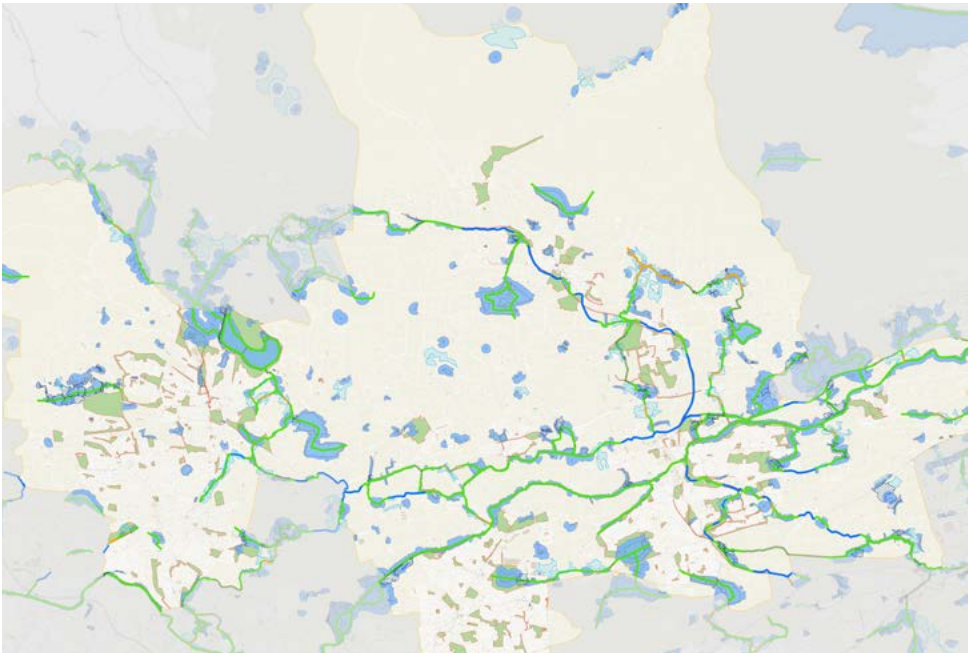


Figure 34. GCRGN Wetland Nature Network

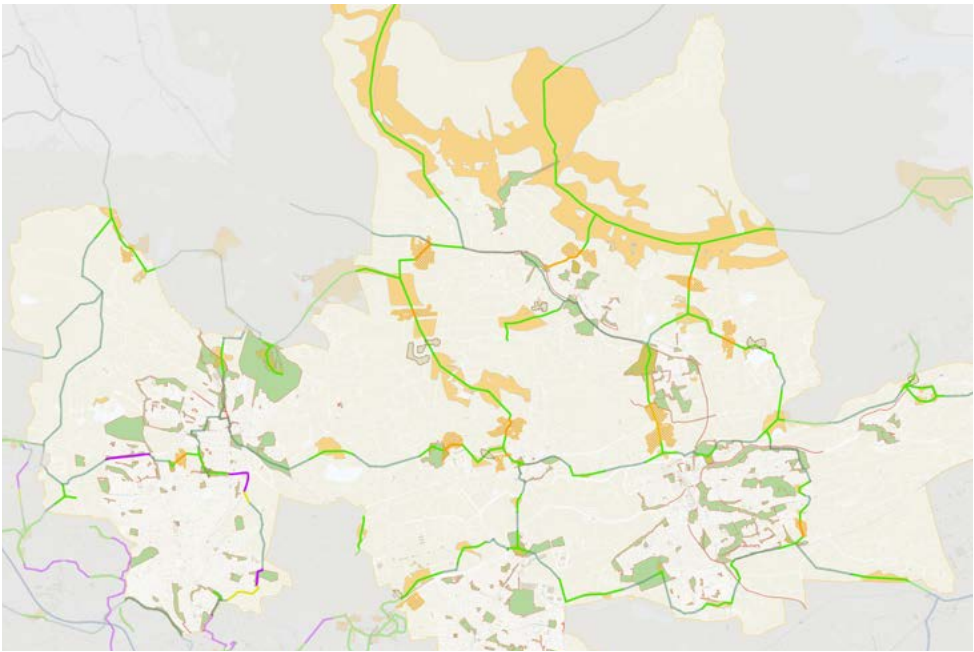


Figure 35. GCVGN Grassland Nature Network

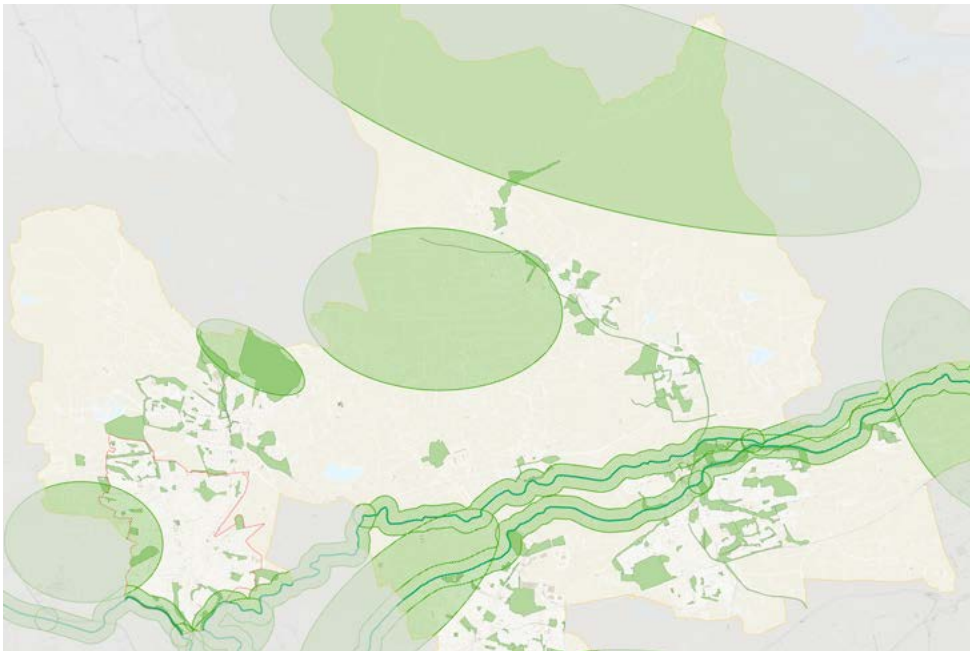


Figure 36. GCVGN Regional Nature Network

Keys

Figure 31

- Surface Water and Small Watercourses Flooding High Likelihood
Each year this area has a 10% chance of flooding
- Surface Water and Small Watercourses Flooding Medium Likelihood
Each year this area has a 5% chance of flooding
- River Flooding High Likelihood
Each year this area has a 10% chance of flooding
- River Flooding Medium Likelihood
Each year this area has a 5% chance of flooding
- Open Spaces
- OS Open Rivers

Figure 32,33,34,35,36

Woodland Opportunities

- Secondary Opportunity Areas

Wetland Opportunities

- Primary Opportunity Areas
- Secondary Opportunity Areas

Grassland Opportunities

- Primary Opportunity Areas
- Secondary Opportunity Areas

- Wetland Habitat
- Woodland Habitat
- Grassland Habitat
- Continuous Network
- Minor Network Gaps
- Greenspace Opportunity
- Blue Opportunity

Figure 37

- Regional Core Areas
- Regional Core Corridors

⁴This data is in draft form and confidential at the discrepancy of Glasgow City Region Green Network. This data at present cannot be published publicly and is for EDC information only.

Table 13.Key Opportunities and Issues of Open Spaces by Locality

Bearsden	
Supply (Quantity) – There is an overall Open Space sufficiency of 4.45Ha /1000 (126.82Ha). There is a shortfall in supply of Open Space of 0.15 Ha/1000 (4.15Ha)	- There is a good supply of Natural / Semi-Natural spaces and amenity greenspaces but a shortfall in Public Parks and Gardens (0.9Ha/1000, 25.71Ha). - This could be compensated for by improving facilities/ interest in the open spaces available or providing additional Public Park facilities as part of new development.
Access – Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted on seven sites	- Potential to improve connectivity and signposting at Westerton Canal Locks and Mains Plantation. - Poor, uneven and narrow paths were observed at Westerton Park and Stockie Muir Road with steep narrow paths or steps noted at St Andrews Drive and Roman Park. - There is poor visibility along some sections of Moorfoot Way and Mains Plantation due to overgrown vegetation.
Quality - All the Open Spaces within Bearsden meet the quality standards A,B or C but there is potential for improvement	Some facilities could be improved: - Westerton Canal Locks and Moorfoot Way could benefit from provision of seating and there is need for litter bins at Westerton Canal Locks. - Care of vegetation could be improved to manage overgrown undergrowth at Moorfoot Way and Mains Plantation and <i>Styrax officinalis</i> (Friars Balsam) at Grampian Way and CruacHan. - There is an opportunity for SuDS within Thorn Park where flooding was noted. - There is significant potential to create more biodiversity through meadow or tree planting at Westerton Park, Paterson Place, Ala Gardens, Argyle Rd, Abercrombie Drive and Ledi Drive.



Bishopbriggs	
Supply (Quantity) – There is an overall Open Space sufficiency of 4.08 Ha /1000 (96.59Ha). There is a shortfall in supply of Open Space of 0.52Ha/1000 (12.34Ha)	While there is a shortfall in Public Parks and Gardens of 0.72Ha/1000 17.15Ha, this is compensated for by the supply of Amenity and Natural/Semi-Natural spaces. This shortfall can be balanced by provision of additional park facilities in the other available open spaces or providing additional Public Park facilities as part of new development.
Access - Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted at two sites	There is limited access to Meadowburn Wood from one side only and access to Dalhousie Gardens is via two narrow alleyways.
Quality - The majority of Open Spaces in Bishopbriggs meet the quality standards A,B or C with one site, the Leisuredrome scoring D	- Poor layout and lack of natural surveillance make the Leisuredrome feel unsafe with dense shrubbery close to play facilities, the soft landscape is maintained but would benefit from more biodiverse landscape that could provide habitat for wildlife, pollinators and invertebrates while creating attractive places for people. - Most sites would benefit from improved wayfinding to strengthen connections to the surrounding community. - Almost all open spaces showed evidence of some litter and dog fouling and would benefit from more bins, with particularly noticeable issues such as fly tipping at Cadder Bishopbriggs, Springfield Park and Woodhill Park. - There are maintenance considerations such as remnants of old benches, fires, old tarmac and broken glass observed at Brackenbrae House, Springfield Park, and Cadder Bishopbriggs. Graffiti or evidence of vandalism is present at Woodhill Park, Cloan Crescent, Callieburn Park, and Park Avenue. - Invasive <i>Rhododendron ponticum</i> is present at Meadowburn and Brackenbrae House. - There are opportunities to create planting interest and improve biodiversity and habitat connectivity on almost all the park and community sites.



Kirkintilloch		
Supply (Quantity) – There is an overall Open Space sufficiency of 7.48Ha /1000 (163.55Ha)	Although the supply of Amenity Greenspace and Public Parks and Gardens fall below the standard (by 0.26 and 0.04Ha /1000 respectively) this is balanced by the supply of Natural/Semi-Natural spaces. The shortfall Public Park or Amenity Space could be compensated for by providing additional greenspaces as part of new development.	
Access - Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted on 15 sites: Old Aisle Cemetery, Auchendavie Road, Forth and Clyde Canal, Woodilee Natural Green space, Eastside Park, Langmuir Rd, Tintock Wood, Broomhill Depot Walkway Hillhead Scrub and Grass, Rosebank Park, Between Chryston Rd and Luggie Water, Broomhill Hospital site 1, Broomhill Hospital site 2, Luggie Water	• Issues with the location, access and in few cases the safety of entries were noted at: Old Aisle Cemetery, Auchendrive Road, Forth and Clyde Canal, Woodilee Natural Greenspace, Eastside Park, Langmuir Rd, Tintock Wood, Broomhill Depot Walkway. • Potential to improve narrow or poor paths or to extend path networks were noted at: Hillhead Scrub and Grass, Rosebank Park, Between Chryston Rd and Luggie Water, Broomhill Hospital, Tintock Wood, Woodilee Natural Greenspace. • Consider if there would be any benefit in introducing lighting at key locations such as entrances on paths at Luggie Water.	
Quality - The majority of Open Spaces in Kirkintilloch meet the quality standards A,B or C with six sites, Broomhill Depot Walkway, Broomhill Hospital site 1, Broomhill Hospital Site 2, Eastside Park, Langmuir Road, Merklands Sports Pitches scoring D and three sites, Rosebank Park and Between Chryston Rd and Luggie Water, and Tintock Park scoring E	These issues were highlighted for the following sites that fall below the standard • Broomhill Depot Walkway, hidden access point with signage obscured by overgrown vegetation, narrow overgrown path. • Broomhill Hospital Site 1, natural greenspace, potentially unsafe for vulnerable users due to poor sightlines, poor quality path or no path, the site has potential biodiversity value. • Merklands Sports Pitches, although soft landscape is well cared for, there is a lack of interest and diversity of planting and uses, limited and poor facilities, poor quality hardscape materials which would benefit from upkeep, potential safety issues. • Langmuir Road, has two entries with two further informal entrances through gaps on the fence. One of these leads to a T junction and feels unsafe and would benefit from reinstating the fence. The informal access to the SE could be formalised with a path and proper layout. • Eastside Park, some facilities present but in need of renewal and improved care and management. Some issues of safety, vandalism and graffiti. • Rosebank Park, poor access and connectivity within the site, limited facilities, poor materials as it is amenity grass with some boundary trees there lack of planting interest or diversity. • Between Chryston Rd. and Luggie Water, narrow/uneven path, poor materials, no wayfinding, bins or rest areas. • Tintock Park, poor access and connectivity, no paths or facilities, limited planting with scope for greater diversity, activities appear limited to dog walking. Poor surveillance with potential issues of safety. Although other open spaces meet the standards there are opportunities for improvements at the following locations: • Potential to introduce or improve wayfinding at Merkland Local Nature Reserve, Waterside Park, Auchendavie Rd, Woodhead Park, Woodilee Amenity Greenspace. • Potential to improve or introduce facilities (including benches) at Luggie Water, Luggie Park, Woodilee Amenity Greenspace, Langmuir Rd and Afton View OS. • Provide bins to improve dog fouling/ littering issues at Westernmains Scrub and Grass, Luggie Park. • Provide more planting interest and habitat diversity at: Langmuir Rd, Afton View OS, Peel Park, Meiklehill Park. • Several sites are noted as locations of scheduled monuments/ sites of archaeological interest and dependant on the nature of the site could potentially benefit from interpretation. This includes Woodhead Park, Langmuir Park and Tintock Park.	

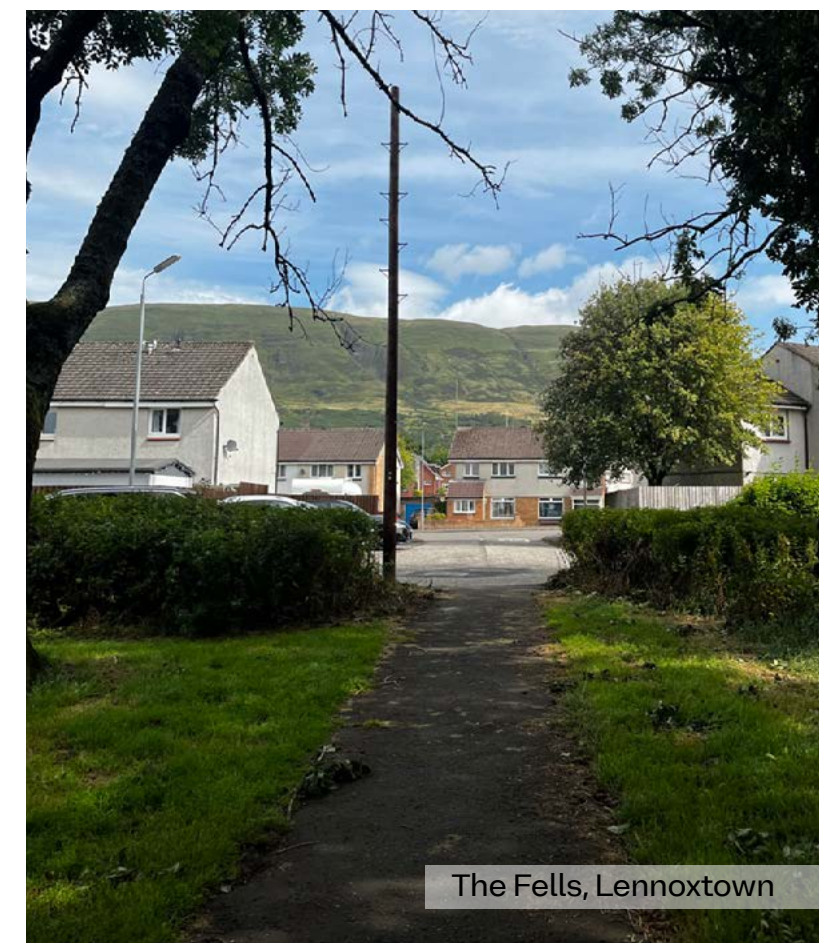


Woodilee Amenity Greenspace , Kirkintilloch



Afton View Open Space, Kirkintilloch

Lennoxtown	
Supply (Quantity) – There is an Open Space sufficiency of 12.85/1000 (54.76Ha)	There is a shortfall of 0.13 Ha/1000 (0.53Ha) of Amenity Greenspace compensated for by the supply of Natural/Semi-Natural Greenspace and Public Parks and Gardens. The Amenity Space could be compensated for by providing additional greenspaces as part of new development.
Access - Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted on 10 sites	- Potential to improve entrance accessibility at: Benvue to Ashcroft Avenue, Redhills Woodland, Benvue Rd, The Fells and Southfield Woodland. - Potential to improve path condition (by managing overgrown vegetation in order to provide clear passage for path users along with path repairs or improvements) at Whitefield Pond, Lennoxtown Castle Residential Site, Strathkelvin Railway and Campsie Cemetery. - Potential to introduce additional path lighting at signage points on Strathkelvin Railway. Cut back canopy obscuring lighting at The Fells.
Quality - Most Open Spaces in Kirkintilloch meet the quality standards A,B or C with potential for improvement, with one site Westerton Wood scoring D	- Significant Ash die back was highlighted at Westerton Wood. Opportunities for improvements - The need for improved wayfinding was highlighted at Lennoxtown Castle Residential Site and Redhills Woodland. - There have been signs of graffiti or vandalism at Lennox Castle Residential Site (west spur), Station Rd Playing Fields and Campsie Cemetery. - Improvements to care and maintenance would benefit Station Road Playing Fields which includes an overgrown all weather pitch and a dividing ball stop fence that needs repair; and Westerton Wood which would benefit from improvements to paths and provision of facilities like seating along with woodland management.



The Fells, Lennoxtown

Lenzie	
Supply (Quantity) – There is an Open Space sufficiency of 8.08/1000 (65.38Ha)	There is a shortfall of Public Parks and Gardens of 0.3Ha /1000 (2.41) but this is compensated for by the supply of Amenity Greenspace and Natural/Semi Natural Greenspace. The shortfall in Public Park or Gardens could be compensated for by providing additional greenspaces as part of new development.
Access - Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted on nine sites	- Sites that have entrances that are restricted or not easily visible include: Strathkelvin Railway, Boghead Pitches, Lenzie Rugby Club, with additional accessibility issues at Ingleside consisting of poor quality steps and uneven surfaces. - The following sites have paths that would benefit from maintenance or upgraded surfaces: Orchardfield, Christine's Way, East Garngaber, Boghead Wood, and Whitegates Park. - Whitegates Park is poorly connected to surrounding areas.
Quality - The majority of Open Spaces in Lenzie meet the quality standards A,B or C with two sites scored D, Alexandra Road Park and Netherhouse Avenue	These issues were highlighted for the following two sites that fall below the standard: - Alexandra Rd Park has awkward layout dividing the park into two halves, with old and poor quality path surfaces dense overgrown shrubbery has created blind spots next to the play area. The condition of benches, fences etc are old and poor. Entrance cattle grills on one half of park (by playground) create obstacles to accessibility. - Netherhouse Ave is an un-mown field with no facilities, low diversity and limited access, there could be potential to make better use of the space working with the local community to explore options for introducing play facilities, and community planting or growing. Other potential improvements: - The soft landscape is generally of a high standard but individual or small groups of dead or struggling trees of varied species were present in a number of sites. This might indicate a problem like Honey fungus. Locations include Watermill Avenue, Anne Crescent OS, Coronation Gardens, Millersneuk Avenue, Alexandra Rd Park and Orchardfield. - Existing Path/cycle signage and wayfinding is need of upgrading due to fading with poor legibility – this is particularly noticeable at Strathkelvin Railway, Christine's Way and Lenzie Moss. - Some features are in need of upgrading such as benches and goal posts at Boghead Pitches, Broom Gardens and Whitegates Park. Other sites like Christine's Way or many of the amenity spaces would benefit from introduction of seating.



Lenzie Moss LNR, Lenzie

Milngavie	
Supply (Quantity) – There is an Open Space sufficiency of 9.48/1000 (121.75Ha)	There is a shortfall in the supply of Amenity Space of 0.08/1000 (0.98Ha) however this is compensated by the supply of Public Parks and Gardens and Natural/Semi Natural Greenspace. The shortfall in Amenity space could be compensated for by providing additional greenspaces as part of new development.
Access - Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted on 10 sites: Douglas Muir Rd OS, Drumbeg Terrace Wood, Chestnut Lane, Dougalston Avenue OS, Keystone Quadrant, Allander Park, Oakburn Park, Craigielea Crescent OS, Craigton Wood, Craigdhu Road	• Potential to improve entrances at: Douglas Muir Rd OS, Drumbeg Terrace Wood, Chestnut Lane, Dougalston Avenue OS and Craigton Wood. • There is currently no access to Craigdhu Road, if this included as public greenspace an access should be provided. • Potential to improve paths at: Keystone Quadrant, Allander Park, Oakburn Park, Craigielea Crescent OS and Dougalston Avenue OS.
Quality - The majority of Open Spaces in Milngavie meet the quality standards A,B or C with four sites scoring D: Ashburn Gardens OS, Chestnut Lane, Craigdhu Road and Craigdhu West	The following issues were identified on the four sites that fall below the quality standard • The natural landscape of Chestnut Lane is pleasant and diverse but areas are disconnected with issues of access and poor care and management. As a result, spaces are being misused with some littering. • Craigdhu West includes one formal path with steps and lighting to connect housing areas, but also includes area of poorly managed mature woodland with littering and vandalism present. Poor connections/access points. • Craigdhu Road is an open field fenced off with no access points, features and appears unused. • Ashburn Gardens has unmanaged soft landscape with just one access point, and an informal desire line path, some fly tipping present. There is potential for improvement in the following areas: • Potential to add lighting at Craigdhu Wedge at key access points. • Additional wayfinding signage could be introduced at Craigton Rd Woodland and Dougalston Loch Estate. • Improvements to facilities including upgrading or introducing seating at: Lennox Park, Mugdock Reservoir, Douglas Muir OS, Craigbarnet Rd OS, Milngavie Precinct, Oakburn Park, Ashburn Gardens, Craigton Wood, Drumbeg Terrace Wood and Graham Drive. • The following sites would benefit from new or additional bins: Craigton Rd OS, Allander Park, and Dougalston Loch Estate (due to dog fouling). • Management of woodland and soft landscape including introduction of more varied habitat to support biodiversity (as appropriate to each site): Craigbarnet Rd OS, James Watt OS, Craigton Rd OS, Breadie Drive OS, North Dumgoyne Avenue OS, Campsie Drive, Ashburn Gardens OS and Balloch Moor (highlighted as of particular concern for woodland management). • The following sites were highlighted as suffering from some degree of graffiti, vandalism or fly tipping: Craigton Wood, Craigton Rd Woodland, Craigdhu Wedge, Allander Park, West Highland Milngavie, Craigdhu West, Ashburn Gardens OS.



Milngavie Precinct, Milngavie



Drumbeg Terr. Wood, Milngavie

Milton of Campsie	
Supply (Quantity) – There is an Open Space sufficiency of 16.60Ha/1000 (64.89Ha)	Although there is a shortfall of 0.13 Ha/1000 (0.5 Ha) in Public Parks and Gardens this is compensated for by the supply of Amenity Greenspace and Natural/Semi Natural Greenspace. The shortfall in Public Parks and Gardens could be compensated for by providing additional greenspaces as part of new development.
Access - Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted on 12 sites	Improvements at site entrances could create better accessibility at the following locations: Western Shelter Belt would benefit from another access point from the estate to the east, at Nappies Loan the kissing gate access to northwest corner limits prams and buggies or wheeled mobility aids; Valleyfield OS is a steep site with steps at all entry points, the stepped access from the railway path to the southwest requires repair, at James Boyle OS the stepped access to the railway path also requires repair, entry points to Birdston Woods are tracks worn to the side of old styles. Could benefit from signage at the entrance from the road.
Quality - The majority of Open Spaces in Milton of Campsie meet the quality standards A,B or C with one site scoring D, Birdston Wood.	The following issues were identified on the single site that falls below the desired quality standard. - Birdston Wood contains a large area of young woodland with low species diversity and no understorey providing limited habitat value and interest, significant Ash die back by Alder Rd. Informal paths with obscured entrances, old styles and a lack of signage. Would benefit from woodland management and access improvements. While other sites meet the quality standard there is potential for improvement in the following areas: - Improvements to signs and wayfinding would be of benefit at Red Moss Grassland, South Woodland, Maple Walk OS1 , Antermomy Rd, and Alder Rd OS. - Potential for features such as new or upgraded benches were noted at: South Grassland, Alder Rd OS and Antermomy Rd. - Soft landscape maintenance issues were highlighted on several sites including overgrown areas at Maple Walk OS2 and Japanese Knotweed at Munro Drive OS, Kincaid Park, Antermomy Rd.



Valleyfield O.S. , Milton of Campsie

Torrance	
Supply (Quantity) – There is an Open Space sufficiency of 4.11Ha/1000 (9.54Ha). There is a shortfall in supply of Open Space of 0.49 Ha/1000 (1.13Ha).	While there is a short fall in the supply of Natural/ Semi Natural Greenspace (1.04Ha/1000)and Public Parks and Gardens this is balanced by the quantity of Amenity greenspace at 1.26Ha/1000 (2.92Ha). The shortfall in Natural/ Semi Natural Greenspace and Public Parks and Gardens could be compensated for by providing additional greenspaces as part of new development.
Access - Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted on two sites	Paths are generally good but with potential to improve in the following areas - Scope to upgrade paths at the Demonstration Garden and improve the informal entrance at the back which is unsafe and not accessible. - Scope to improve path at Queens View which lacks natural surveillance where it passes the back of buildings.
Quality - All the Open Spaces in Torrance meet the quality standards A or B	While all sites meet the quality standard there is potential for improvement in the following areas - West Balgrochan March was highlighted as an area with opportunities for improving access, introduce paths or walkways, signage, and introducing interpretation, benches and bins to allow people to enjoy the environment. - The removal of a damaged bench at Woodmill Park. - Scope to improve vegetation management at Kelvin Valley Way which has large quantities of bramble and nettle, and habit and wildlife value of the ornamental planting at Demonstration Garden. - Scope to improve vegetation management and habitat and biodiversity at Queens View, Kelvin Valley Way, and the Demonstration Garden. - Additional bins may help alleviate dog fouling noted at Daisy Field Rosehill Rd.



Demonstration Garden, Torrance

Twechar	
Supply (Quantity) – There is an Open Space sufficiency of 12.85Ha/1000 (17.22Ha)	The supply is met by Public Parks and Gardens and Natural/ Semi-Natural Greenspace, no Amenity Greenspace is present. The shortfall in Amenity Green Space could be compensated for by providing additional greenspaces as part of new development.
Access - Although within comfortable walking/wheeling and cycling distances to the community potential to improve access was highlighted on two sites	Potential for path improvements in the following locations: • Forth & Clyde Canal national cycle route follows a very narrow path along the north side creating conflict between walkers/wheelers and cyclists. The path is fenced off from the street side providing no escape points to vulnerable users. • Some access points at Twechar Public Park not accessible by disabled users (steps).
Quality - All the Open Spaces in Twechar meet the quality standard C	• Opportunities for Wayfinding signage at access points for Gartshore Public Park. • Potential for information boards about the historic and archaeological importance of the site at Shirva Glen. • Twechar Public Park is highlighted as lacking character and has potential for more varied areas for a range of play and diverse planting which could support climate resilience • Potential to introduce more bin and benches at Forth & Clyde Canal and Gartshore Public Park. • Potential to improve soft landscape management and introduce more varied biodiversity and habitats at Twechar Public Park, Gartshore Public Park and Shirva Glenn.



Sites outside localities - Baldernock Cemetery, Campsie Glen, Castlevie, Schoenstadt and Glenorchard Wood	
Supply (Quantity) – N/A	N/A
Access - Although outwith settlements these sites are accessible via path and cycle networks	• There is potential for some path improvements at Schoenstadt and Campsie Glen where repair would improve accessibility. • Glenorchard Wood has potential to improve the numerous informal paths, some of which are challenging to access due to vegetation growth.
Potential to improve access within the sites was highlighted in two locations	
Quality - All the Open Spaces surveyed outwith settlements meet the quality standards A or B	All the sites are in generally good condition but there is potential for the following improvements. • At Campsie Glen Wayfinding signage to the south entrance has been vandalised and there are signs of camp fires. • At Castlevie, the goal posts are old and could be upgraded.





6. Appendix

Appendix A - Quality Criteria

ODC Open Space Audit 2025 – Quality Criteria

Park Quality Assessment Criteria

31 March 2025

The agreed Park Quality Assessment Criteria for the East Dunbartonshire Council Open Space Audit 2025.

Access				
Fitness for Purpose Criteria	5 (High)	3 (Average)	1 (Low)	N/A
Easy to move around site and provides quality paths fit – for -purpose	All paths are accessible and well maintained providing good access to facilities/ points of interest	The park includes at least one accessible well maintained path that links to key facilities/ points of interest, other paths could be improved	Site facilities are poorly connected, providing limited accessibility with issues like narrow path widths, materials or maintenance	no paths expected on a site of this type or size (e.g. waterbody, dense woodland or scrub, small scale amenity space)
Has well located accessible entrances	entry points well placed and accessible to encourage safe access and use		entrances poorly located and/or issues of safety / accessibility	
Provides directional signage and waymarking to different functions within the open space and/or nearby local facilities	high quality, legible way marking and signage indicates links to wider path and cycleway network	some good connections but signage incomplete and/or no way marking	limited connections and no signage or way marking to indicate wider connectivity	signage inappropriate to the location/site e.g. a small amenity green space

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Attractiveness/Place Appeal				
Fitness for Purpose Criteria	5 (High)	3 (Average)	1 (Low)	N/A
Attractive qualities and setting	Contributes significantly to the quality, character and setting of the area.	has attractive elements but includes issues that need addressing - could be improved.	poor image and low level of appeal/attractiveness	
Quality materials/ equipment/furniture/ facilities	provides quality suite of external/ public realm furniture, equipment and facilities with good materials	mixed quality with some elements in need of renewal or upgrading to remain fit for purpose	poor quality finishes, materials and equipment that limit appeal and use	Not relevant to site i.e. there are no facilities or furniture e.g. small natural greenspace or a natural green space
Attractive and diverse planting/ landscape elements	offers attractive and diverse planting/ landscape elements	offers a variable quality of plants and landscape elements but could be better	generally poor quality or inappropriate planting and landscape care	N/A recreation grounds or similar
Low levels of litter and dog fouling	no evidence of litter or dog fouling	Some litter or dog fouling present	Significant presence of littering and dog fouling	
Adequate provision of litter bins	Good provision of litter -bins and in good condition and well maintained	Some bins are present but there are signs that more are needed and/or better maintenance is needed	bins absent (in an area where they are needed) or not adequately maintained.	Provision of bins not relevant e.g. in natural green space

ODC Open Space Audit 2025 – Quality Criteria

Fitness for Purpose Criteria	5 (High)	3 (Average)	1 (Low)	- N/A
Well maintained structures/ facilities and hard landscaping	clear indications of appropriate levels of maintenance well targeted to the site that supports quality of place	level of maintenance generally good but challenged by use/misuse	levels of maintenance failing to support quality of place and address use/misuse	structures /facilities not present e.g. in small amenity green space or natural green space
Well cared for soft landscaping that is appropriate to its function	clear indications of appropriate levels of care appropriate to the site	level of care generally good but challenged by use/misuse	levels of care failing to support quality of place and address use/misuse	

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Biodiversity				
Fitness for Purpose Criteria	5 (high)	3 (Average)	1 (Low)	N/A
Biodiversity of Trees and Woodland Cover	Includes a number of mature trees or established natural / semi natural or parkland woodland areas in good health consisting of a variety of tree species. May include standing deadwood	Includes some trees or woodland planting of varied species which could be improved by better management or the majority of which are immature	Few or no trees, or majority of trees in poor health or consisting of one or two species only	N/A civic spaces etc
Woodland Vulnerability to Ash die-back	Ash die back unlikely to significantly affect the overall woodland structure/ appearance	Some areas of the park could be impacted by loss of ash trees	Loss of Ash trees will significantly alter the appearance and character of the park	No trees or woodlands present
Offers a diversity of habitats as part of nature networks	offers a diversity of natural habitats linking to surrounding networks	offers a range of habitat types but poor connections and the quality or variety of habitat types could be improved	poor quality habitat and attention to habitat development	N/A recreation grounds or similar
Waterbodies	Includes natural or artificial waterbodies or wetlands that support habitats with a variety of plant and animal life including some undisturbed bank or island areas.	Natural or artificial waterbodies or wetlands with some habitat/ biodiversity resources but could be improved	Waterbodies are canalised or have very limited or poor quality habitats	No waterbodies or wetlands present

ODC Open Space Audit 2025 – Quality Criteria

Functionality				
Fitness for Purpose Criteria	5 (high)	3 (Average)	1 (Low)	N/A)
Diverse Planting providing value for wildlife and biodiversity	Extensive diverse vegetation and habitat areas including pollinator friendly, fruiting and berrying species	Some planting providing value for wildlife and biodiversity but scope for more or greater diversity	Limited number of species with low wildlife value	
Offers a range of functions/ flexibility of use appropriate to the site size and typology e.g. space for relaxation, formal and informal recreation, food growing, children's play, shaded areas, sunny areas, planted areas, open areas	good diverse range of activity reflecting user needs, setting location and character of the site	range of activity reflecting user needs, setting, location and character of the site	poor, very limited range of activity that does not reflect anticipated user needs and site context	-
Provision of facilities	facilities are appropriate to function e.g. for large parks and gardens would include toilets, lit paths, range of play etc. For small amenity spaces, may include benches and bins.	facilities present but could be better given the scale and function of the site	facilities are poor or non-existent for this scale and function of site	Provision of facilities is not relevant due to size or use/typology of site.

ODC Open Space Audit 2025 – Quality Criteria

Community Benefits				
Fitness for Purpose Criteria	5 (High)	3 (Average)	1 (Low)	N/A
Safe and welcoming	site offers safe welcoming image through a range of positive measures such as signage, lighting and sightlines	site is welcoming but issues of safety have potential to impact on more vulnerable user groups	site is clearly neither safe nor welcoming to a majority of users	-
Good levels of natural surveillance	site offers good natural surveillance from surrounding areas	most of the site—overlooked with main areas offering good natural surveillance	site offers very limited natural surveillance and issues of perceived safety therefore arise	-N/A in some semi natural or natural sites dependant on use and character
Low levels/absence of graffiti and vandalism	site offers no evidence of graffiti and vandalism	site has-some limited evidence of graffiti and/or vandalism.	site shows evidence of persistent graffiti and/or vandalism	Graffiti not relevant to this site e.g. graffiti in a skate park is acceptable
Provision of lighting	appropriate lighting throughout the site with no obvious management or user issues	appropriate lighting at entrances and where appropriate such as main routes, with only minor lighting issues	lighting poor or absent from spaces where it would be appropriate, restricting use	Lighting not relevant to this site e.g. would not be expected in natural green space or small amenity spaces for example
Contains an area of cultural or historical significance e.g. (built or landscape features),	Cultural or historical significance of site is clearly evident, with features cared for and appropriate interpretation provided,	Some evidence of cultural or historical features but better management/ interpretation could be improved	cultural or historical features present but are poorly cared for or not obvious and no interpretation present	Cultural or historical significance not relevant i.e. there isn't any.

Appendix B - Defining the Typologies

Defining the Typologies

Set out below are the 2025 Open Space Audit fitness for purpose criteria for the assessment of agreed typologies established in the 2020 Open Space Audit.

Typology	Description	Fit for Purpose
Public Parks and Gardens Areas of land normally enclosed, designed, constructed, managed and maintained as a public park or garden. May be owned or managed by community groups.	Regional parks and gardens include sites that contain part of the Antonine Wall World Heritage Site, and sites that include key historic attractions, sites of nature conservation interest, sport and outdoor recreation sites, or geological sites.	All quality criteria may apply depending on the character of the site
	Neighbourhood parks and gardens include larger areas of urban/formal parks, usually in a central location and designed and managed as a public park. They can provide some or all of the following: active and passive recreation opportunities, social and community purposes, such as sports activities, walking, cycling, children's play, jogging and limited events.	Most quality criteria will apply, some aspects such as heritage may not be relevant
	Small parks, providing opportunities for children's play, seating, etc. and possibly limited conservation areas or informal sport. They are often well used with a distinct local catchment area, within walking distance of the immediate residential population.	criteria would apply depending on the size and use of the site, key factors would be cleanliness, appropriate well maintained facilities (benches etc), access and safety
Amenity Green Space Landscaped areas in/around residential areas,	used for a variety of informal or social activities such as sunbathing, picnics or kickabouts.	Limited criteria will apply, factors would be cleanliness, appropriate well maintained facilities (benches etc if present), access and safety

Typology	Description	Fit for Purpose
Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space with public access and defined boundaries	Sites with residual natural habitats or which have been planted or colonised by vegetation and wildlife, including woodland and wetland areas	Limited criteria, focus will be on access to nature, cleanliness, condition of habitats, facilities and interpretation (if present) and safety
Sports Areas, Large and generally flat areas of grassland used primarily for designated sports that are open to the public	Playing fields and Tennis and Bowls have been included where they fall within an open space. Golf courses and enclosed sports pitches are excluded as generally these are not available for general public use.	Limited criteria, focus will be on access, cleanliness, condition of pitch /facilities, and safety
Private Gardens or Grounds, Areas of land normally enclosed and associated with a house or institution (includes school/university grounds)	Private grounds that provide some public access. Three publicly useable spaces have been identified and are included within the mapping.	Criteria will depend on the character of the site, must include access, and safety
Green Corridors	Routes including canals, river corridors and old railway lines, linking different areas within a town or city as part of a designated and managed network and used for walking, cycling or horse riding, or linking towns and cities to their surrounding countryside or country parks. These may link green spaces together.	Criteria must include safety, cleanliness and accessibility
Civic Space Squares, streets and waterfront promenades, Also includes war memorials.	Predominantly hard landscaping that provide a focus for pedestrian activity and can make connections for people and for wildlife.	Criteria must include quality of hard landscape, facilities, access, safety cleanliness and quality of planting if present
Cemeteries	Cemeteries and churchyards with public access.	Limited criteria, focus will be on access, cleanliness, condition of the graveyard and vegetation, and safety

Appendix C - List of omitted sites

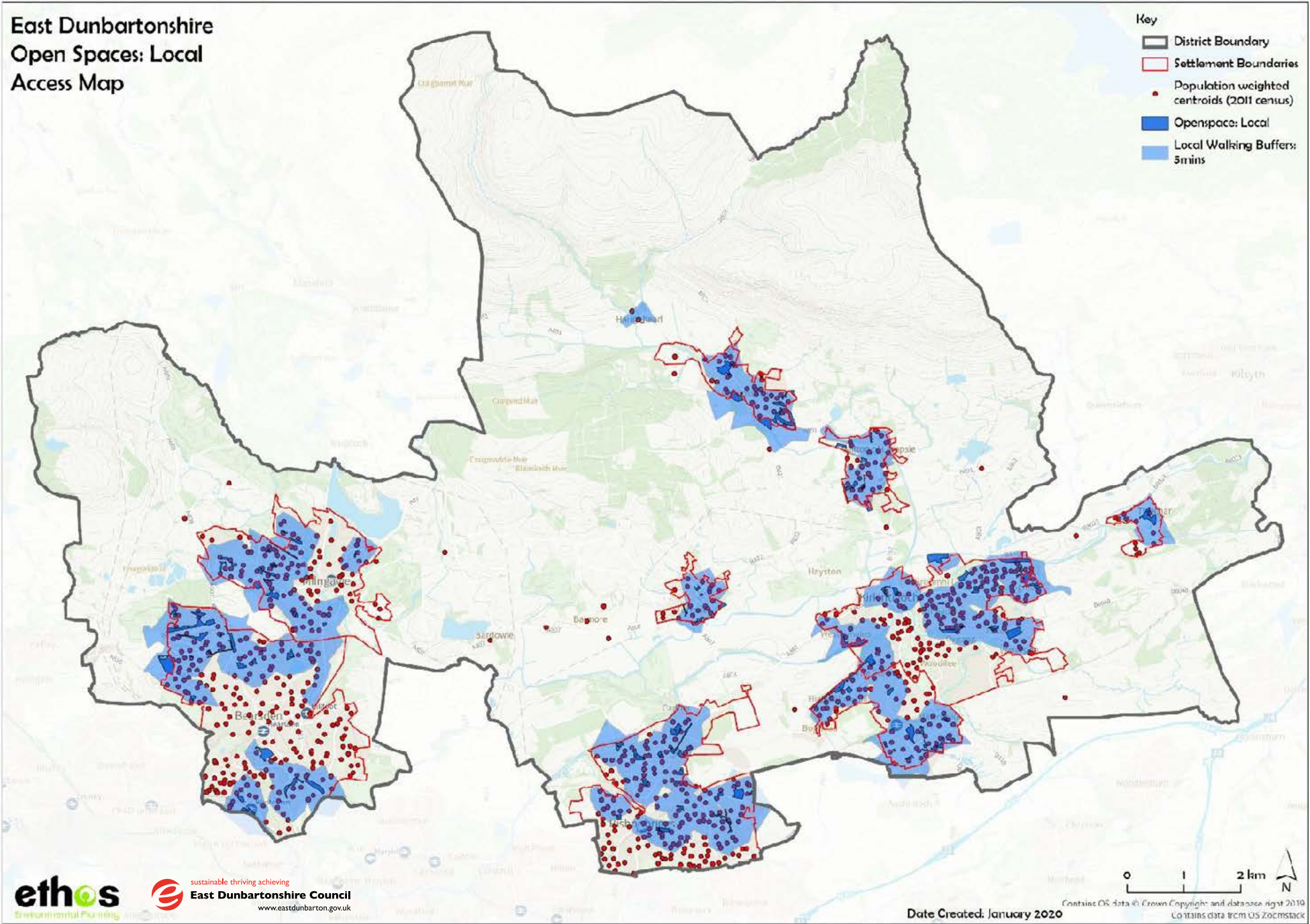
List of Sites of 0.2Ha+ Excluded from 2025 Assessments

The following sites were mapped but excluded from the assessments in the Open Space Audit 2025 by agreement with East Dunbartonshire Council.

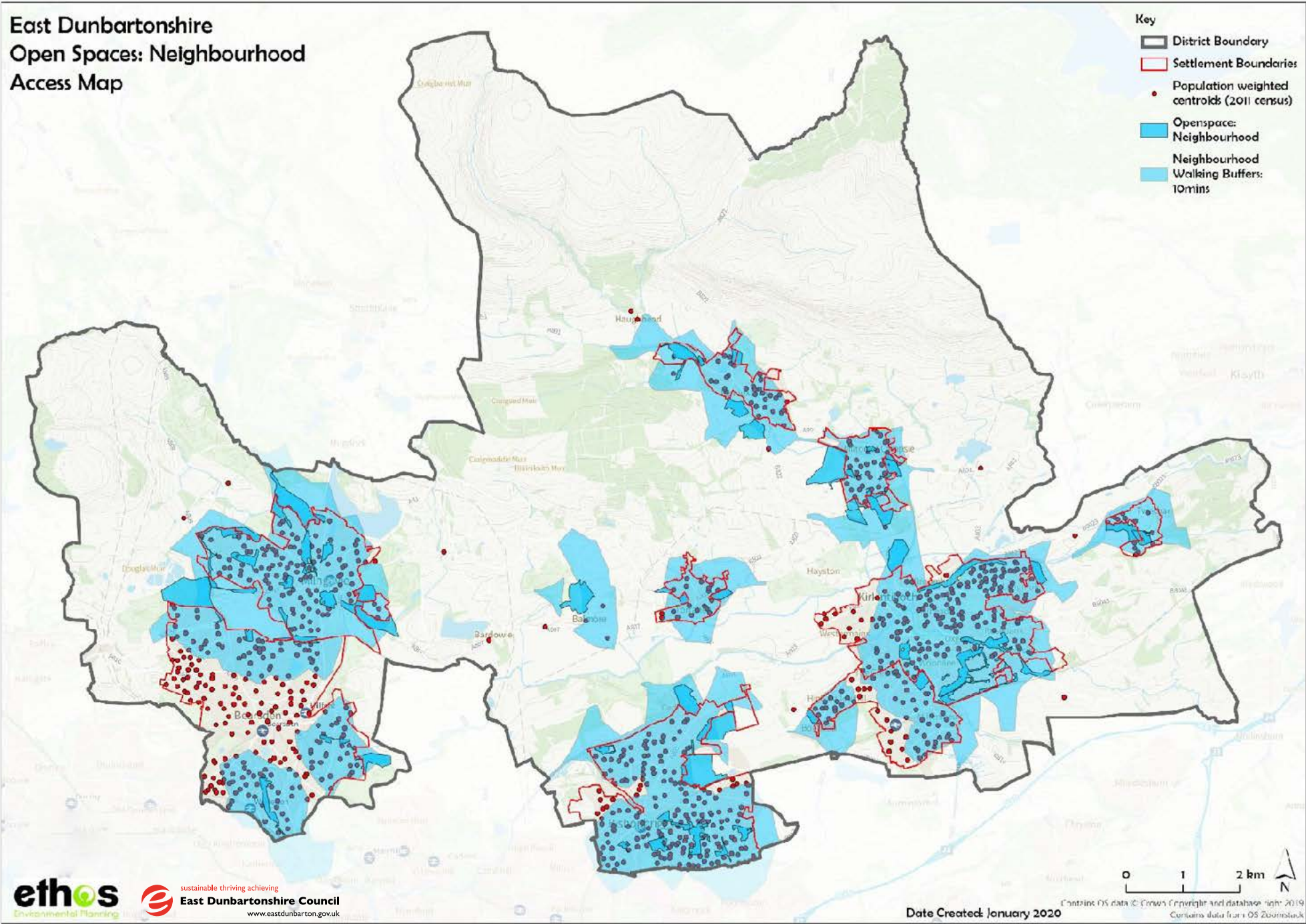
Open Space	Reason for omittance
Birdston Comm. Woodland	Exclude due to lack of access
Braes of Yetts	Exclude due to lack of access
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Braes of Yetts	Exclude as not usable greenspace
Claddens South	Exclude due to lack of access
Claddens South	Exclude due to lack of access
Crosshill Rd O.S.	Exclude as not usable greenspace
Fairy Glen	Exclude as not usable greenspace
Kilmardinny (North)	Exclude as not usable greenspace
Kilmardinny (North)	Exclude as not usable greenspace
Kilmardinny (North)	Exclude due to lack of access
Lenzie Hospital (Auchinloch Road)	Exclude as accessible area is very small
Low Moss	Excluded as not usable greenspace
Redhills View Grassland	Exclude as not usable greenspace
Thorn Road (Golf Course)	Exclude as not usable greenspace

Appendix D - Walking and Wheeling Analysis maps from 2020 Audit

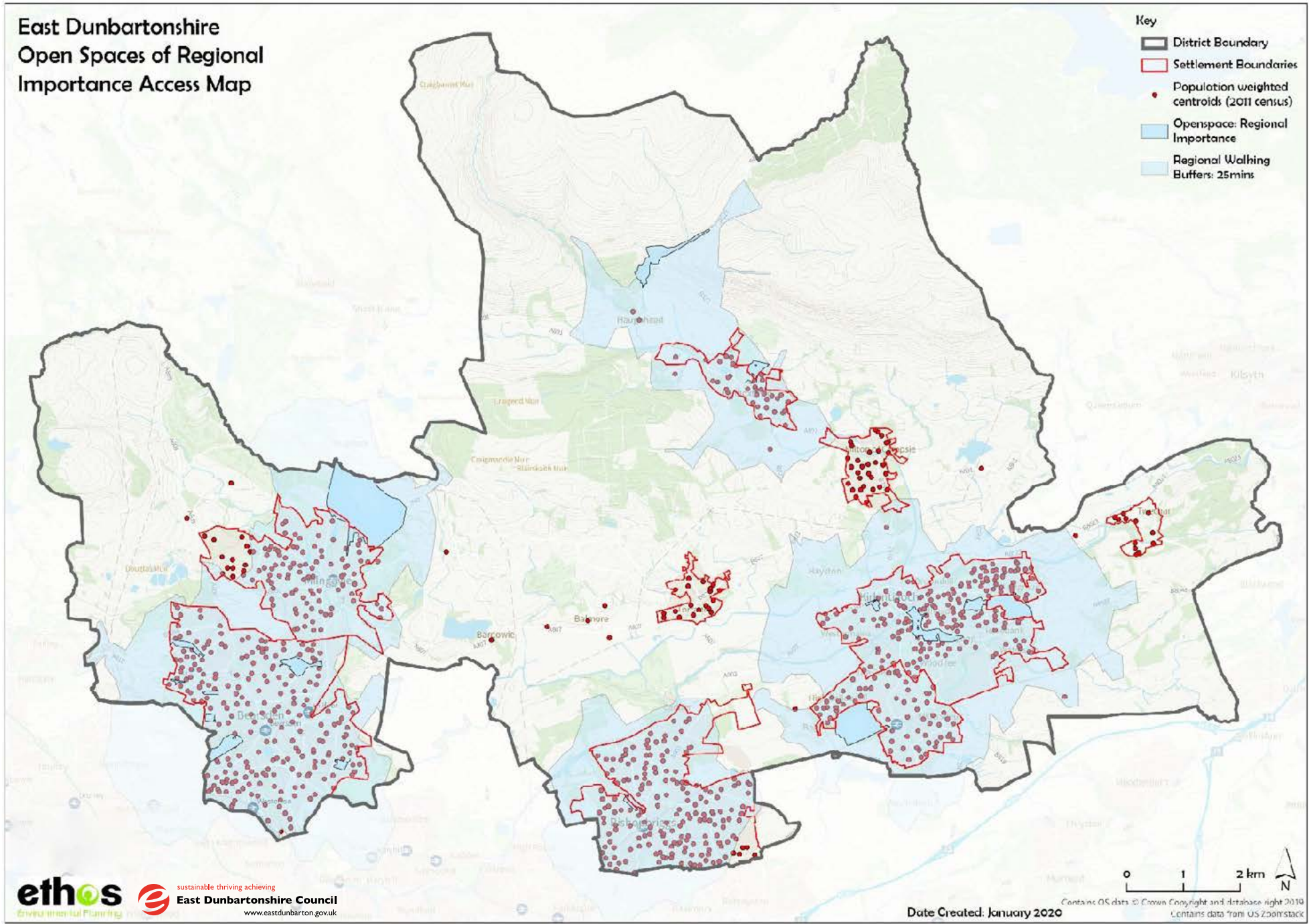
Local Access Map (2020 OSA)



Neighbourhood Access Map (2020 OSA)



Regional Importance Access Map (2020 OSA)



Appendix E - Quality Assessment with Scoring

SITE_NAME	ID	Quality ID	TOWN	Ethos_typo	Area_ha	2025 Score	2025 Grade	Notes (2025)	2020 Score	2020 Grade	Notes (2020)	Band score change
Shirva Glen	1	1	Twechar	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	8.661349791	62%	C	No signs of ash dieback, no information boards about the historic and archaeological importance of the site is evident. Lots of fallen trees. Soft maintenance required.	78.0952381	B	Large woodland with hard surfaced paths with ground lighting and informal paths. The site contains a variety of habitats including scrub, river, naturally waterlogged area and mature trees. Very limited natural surveillance due to the context of the site.	Yes
Tintock Wood	2	2	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	6.210652447	60%	C	Access points are not visible or welcome. Signage required at access points. Lots of fallen trees. Some soft maintenance required. Some of the paths within the woods are narrow and require better maintenance	70.52631579	B	Dense woodland and small patch of rough grassland either side of the stream. Very high biodiversity value. Paths are all narrow and muddy so may be difficult to use in winter. There are no welcome signs at any entrances. There is one directional sign pointing the way to the site just outside of the site. There is lots of litter scattered throughout the site including some piles of litter. The site has a nice natural feel.	Yes
Hillhead scrub and grassland	3	3	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	12.61389409	70%	B	Unbound path narrow in places. Lots of informal paths through grass/ trails. Paths need improvement to standards satisfied for a core path network. Interpretation boards required to explain why the site is a scheduled monument.	74.7826087	B	A very large and mixed site. The eastern section is fairly short mown amenity with good quality paths and lighting. The entrance points have waymarks and directional signage. In the majority of the site to the west is accessible natural with wetland habitat and a poor to medium maintained path running along the canal. The biodiversity of the site is very high although the access could definitely be improved in points.	No
Westermains scrub and grass	4	4	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	4.199300698	71%	B	Provision for bins required. Plastics bags are used. Soft landscape maintenance required. Interpretation boards required to explain why this is a scheduled monument area	76	B	Dense woodland and marshy grassland and rough grassland. Most of the site is inaccessible due to dense scrub understorey. Paths through site are good quality. Good quality bridge. There is way marking at entrances. No welcome signs or information signs. High biodiversity value.	No
Luggie Water 1	5	5	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	2.270000777	80%	A	Green corridor with ecological value. Well used corridor, no lighting but potentially not relevant for the typology	79.04761905	B	Foot path along river through woodland with bin at eastern entrance.	Yes
Luggie Water 2	6	6	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	7.390921977	74%	B	Opportunities for resting points along the route. Opp for lighting.	81.81818182	A	Footpath following river, inaccessible woodland on the other side. Site is safe and secure good quality paths and bins.	Yes
South Woodland	8	7	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	5.765904278	73%	B	Informal woodland paths could benefit from some way marking as it connects to the Kelvin valley way. Young woodland with girths generally up to 30cm or so. Dense canopy. Deer present. Good nature connection to the surrounding naturalising grassland and woodlands.	65.88235294	C	Attractive and biodiverse woodland with no signage and no clear visibility to the general public. Some basic and slightly overgrown paths including desire lines.	Yes
Birdston Wood	9	8	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	9.749516449	50%	D	Extensive area of young woodland to south half of the site with trees all of similar age in grid planting. Limited species diversity and no undergrowth. Area of woodland to alder rd. o.s has significant ash dieback. Grassland has grass paths through but rest is meadow. Entry points to adjoining spaces are tracks worn to the side of old styles. Could benefit from sign from road entrance	71.76470588	B	A very well-managed and attractive woodland with incredibly hard to find entrance off main road. Wide good quality path cuts through plantations of newly planted trees.	Yes
Kincaid Wood	10	9	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	2.364741001	69%	C	Stream in bottom natural. Mature mixed deciduous and coniferous woodland. Main route up the drive and a formal link to birdston wood. Wood decking slightly slippery when wet. Access point to maple walk with tarmac path.	54	D		Yes

Redmoss Wood	11	10	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.443205986	67%	C	Sight lines along main connecting route to redmoss grassland could be improved. Interpretation present for ruin sculpture. Old wall is mossy and a number of informal paths cross the wall where it is in disrepair and cross into the grassland to the north	68.23529412	C	A well-managed but fairly inaccessible woodland with boggy paths.	No
Skimmers Hill	12	11	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.276463534	88%	A	Fairy wood trail with wood sculptures adds character. Well trodden path Good surveillance at entrance points. Two way trees noted with disease	75.29411765	B	Woodland behind housing with informal access points and relatively good quality informal path.	Yes
Western Shelterbelt	13	12	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.858858912	78%	B	Another access point from estate to east. Evidence of ash die back as old trees dead but dense woodland means effect is small. Generally good path with views to the backs of houses in the estates adjacent. Dead wood present for wildlife	74.44444444	B	Woodland path behind housing with multiple access points and good quality path.	No
Nappies Loan	14	13	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.296744194	75%	B	Meadow grassland species rich. Main Path through woodland edge to east and north. Kissing gate access to northwest corner limits prams and buggies. Additional connections to cannerton crescent via a formal path and gate to the estate and a back route behind the gardens into cannerton cres woodland. Some additional ash trees diseased and look a like they are marked for removal with a yellow dot. These are along the path and may leave gaps in the canopy, although most are already dead wood standing.	79.04761905	B	The site is a long grass amenity to the west and woodland with good quality footpath to the east. This offers a good range of habitats for wildlife.	No
Red Moss Grassland	15	14	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	26.27650277	75%	B	Dense grassland / meadow with range of species supporting a plethora of insects, birds and small mammals. Site covered with individual and groups of trees and large native shrubs. Grassy paths across site are informal tracks but wayfinding at entrances could aid navigation. Popular with local dog walkers and evidence of horse tracks entering. Semi-permeable edge to woodland where canopies lift and informal paths have developed to redmoss wood	80	A	Very large grassland with large number of desire lines and official core path running through the site. The site has incredibly rich biodiversity with a small stream, woodland area and wide open long grass areas.	Yes
South Grassland	16	15	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	3.127630697	71%	B	Site is used for walking / running but could benefit from a well positioned bench. Good views from the top of the hill looking towards the campsies. Informal Woodland path to west but main desire line appears to be a circular route around the grassland which connects to skimmers hill / fairy wood in two places.	73.33333333	B	Attractive open amenity with scrub and long grass and varied planting. There are desire lines and one basic path.	No
Antermomy Road	17	16	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.325812726	60%	C	Japanese knotweed. Entry point has gate and path around to side. Entry is on a bend and no footway to the road. Path to caravan and semi fenced area to garden unsure if this is considered private. During lunch, a lady came into the fells cafe with a plant cutting - the garden was started during lockdown and is a garden the community can get involved with. The garden is quite developed with some stone structures, planting and habitat creation. Opportunity to enhance benefits aspect, accessibility and signage. Site overlooked at top but bank of Japanese knotweed prevents further sight into site	54.44444444	D	Relatively inaccessible thickly overgrown scrub natural space. The only access is next to the co-op but there are no paths leading into the majority of the site.	Yes

Redhills Woodland	18	17	Lennoxton	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	10.79803864	74%	B	Woodland walk. Entrance from railway path requires appropriate footwear as steep and muddy / gravelly. Has an area of copiced hazels next to path. Connects to an opening and small grassland in the centre with connecting grass paths and woodland paths. Signs at entry points. Signage could be improved as concealed by canopies / shrub growth.	61.17647059	C	A large community woodland with two signed entrances and a variety of informal dirt paths. Some clearings in the middle of the site. No bins or infrastructure.	Yes
Southfield Woodland	19	18	Lennoxton	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	7.447084665	63%	C	Access from the railway path by station road playing fields could be improved and signposted. Woodland walk with a wide woodland path. Transitory space. Good canopy and understory development but areas of ash dieback in small patches	72.22222222	B	Very peaceful woodland with dirt track footpath and enclosed central area with largely overgrown informal path. There are two bike deterrent wooden entrances to the intersection.	Yes
Redhills View Woodland	20	19	Lennoxton	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	2.580013022	65%	C	Mostly a coniferous woodland in the main with some ash which is affected by die back / already dead.	63.52941176	C	Small woodland with informal dirt path running along the northern boundary of the site. There is significant fly tipping and littering in the north-west segment.	No
Westerton Wood	21	20	Lennoxton	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.531047528	53%	D	Significant number of ash trees exhibiting ash dieback	64.70588235	C	Woodland with almost invisible and very narrow solitary access point. There are a number of desire lines with differing degrees of overgrowth some of which are difficult to traverse.	Yes
Balgrochan Marsh	23	21	Lennoxton	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	4.061296402	86%	A	Attractive boulders mark the boundary of the marsh with name and some with additional illustration. Some trees visible but unable to assess condition across the marsh Lighting on route between estates but not to north path.	80	A	The site is largely inaccessible and is thickly overgrown marsh scrub. The only access is a small dirt path to the north-west and the core tarmac path running along the northern boundary.	No
Mains Plantation	24	22	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	36.63930252	67%	C	Huge woodland area with mixed broadleaf species. Path connections could be better signposted as access from the south is unclear. Path is also constrained by fallen/overgrown trees/shrubs.	54.44444444	D	Area of dense woodland of which parts are quite steep. Two access points, one of which has signage. Paths were largely inaccessible and overgrown. No facilities.	Yes
Craigton Wood	25	23	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	8.945839155	85%	A	Graffiti to bins only, entrances could be improved with signage and made more accessible. Lighting minimal to entrances only as overspill from adjacent roads. Potential for additional facilities such as seating.	76.19047619	B	Predominantly a linear woodland with other habitats including wetland areas, stream, pond, tall grass and scrub areas - high biodiversity value. The main path through the site is of good quality and fit for purpose however, the smaller path cutting through the amenity grass area of the site is in need of much improvement. The main entrances into the site have directional signage, however some of these are worn or defaced. The woodland sign at the from the adjoining path by the school has also been completely defaced. There are small amounts of litter through the site, Despite the presence of litter bins.	Yes
Craigton Rd Woodland	26	24	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	3.598681065	84%	A	Great connections through the woodland, well used, path in good condition and access points clear albeit without signage	85	A	A beautiful linear woodland route with many old trees, high biodiversity value. Good quality path along the majority of the route although it does become rather narrow and muddy in places but there is little opportunity to widen it. Very tranquil along the majority of the route as well as good natural surveillance.	No
Craigduh West	27	25	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.284446731	53%	D	Site includes one formal path with steps and lighting to connect housing areas, but also includes area of mature woodland which is poorly maintained - littering and vandalism present. Poor connections / access points. A fence between this site and adjacent site	68.89	C	Attractive mature woodland with steep sides. Small grassy/heathland area in centre. No obvious entrances just three muddy desire lines. There is litter in patches throughout the site. Attractive feel. High biodiversity value. Access is difficult because of lack of formal paths and steepness of site.	Yes
Drumbeg Terr. Wood	28	26	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.637864343	73%	B	Predominantly pine woodland, well maintained and no issues. Some of the site access points on our mapped data did not exist. You would not necessarily notice that this site was here. Opportunities to improve usage by understanding residents needs - e.g. Informal play or seating.	50.52631579	D	Small area of coniferous woodland, accessed via steps on one side and two tarmac footpaths between housing. No hard surface paths within site and site ends with a dead end with broken fencing and litter.	Yes

Templehill Woods	29	27	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	10.8015974	84%	A	Mature woodland and meadow. A great asset to the area.	70	B	Woodland with some areas of short mown grass. A gravel path runs through the site. Two main entrances, one of which has a welcome sign. Both entrances have litter bins. No dog bins on site. Site has high levels of litter including broken glass. Site is left largely unmanaged to grow naturally.	Yes
Cairnhill Woods	30	28	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	8.38738355	87%	A	Mature woodland area that appears to be a popular route for locals - with some residents having their own gated access from their rear gardens.	82.10526316	A	Area of woodland surrounded by housing. Two paths running down the boundary of the site with a couple of entrance points. Dog bin and signage at entrances. Low levels of litter and dog fouling. Some features to enhance biodiversity such as bird boxes.	No
Whitehill Woods	31	29	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	3.044846768	85%	A	Mature woodland. Great asset to the area.	58.88888889	C	Area of woodland which is largely overgrown but it still accessible. Two formal entrances, one of which has a welcome sign. Other entrance has a broken fence. No facilities.	Yes
Grampian Way and Cruchan Road O.S.	32	30	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	5.413036376	84%	A	Huge amounts of Himalayan Basalm which needs to be controlled. Potential for more tree planting nearer to the roadside.	68.57142857	C	Large site with areas of short mown grass with a woodland and stream running through the middle. The western end has an informal football pitch and no formal entrances although is accessible with no hard boundaries. The eastern end has more access points connecting the residents areas. There are dog bins but no litter bins. There is a good provision of street lighting along the boundaries of the site.	Yes
Meadowburn Wood	33	31	Bishopbriggs	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.999113949	75%	B	Only accessible from the southern side.	55	C	Small woodland with only two access points. There is a good place for a third access point in the north west corner but gate is padlocked (see photo). There are no obvious paths through site but some small desire lines. There is litter strewn throughout the site. Some trees have been vandalised with spray paint. The entrances are not very welcoming and a fence post has fallen down at one. There are no directional signs or welcome signs.	Yes
High Moss	35	32	Bishopbriggs	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	30.79772364	86%	A	Rich diversity of native planting species and habitat types. Keystone species, such as cottongrass and sphagnum moss present within northern area. Woodland predominantly birch. Meadow area rich in pollinator friendly species.	63.15789474	C	Large site consisting of large silver birch woodland and marshy grassland area with narrow dirt paths throughout. The paths are hard to navigate and will be even more difficult in the winter. There is litter throughout the site which makes it unattractive in places. The other part of the site is a large wetland which has high biodiversity value but is difficult to access because of the water levels. No benches, bins, welcome signs or directional signs.	Yes
West Balgrochan Marsh	36	33	Torrance	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	2.220250653	86%	A	Marshland inaccessible except for one adjacent path fenced off from the marsh itself. There is a sculpted sign but no way finding, no bins or benches. Seems like there may be more opportunity here to allow people to enjoy the environment better	85.45454545	A	Fenced off marshland, an area of high biodiversity value. Good quality stone dust path. Good levels of natural surveillance across the majority of the site. Attractive wooden wildlife sculpture.	No
Boghead Rd Wood	37	34	Lenzie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	3.091533327	83%	A	Well used - paths muddy could be better maintained- entrance not clearly marked, core path not well sign posted	85.55555556	A	Dense woodland with wide good quality gravel paths around perimeter. There is an attractive grassy clearing in the centre of sight. There are signs at entrance saying the site name. Northern section of site is rough grassland close to stream which gives improved biodiversity.	No
Lenzie Moss Local Nature Reserve	38	35	Lenzie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	41.1727622	89%	A	Very large high quality semi natural/ Greenspace - no litter good path - evidence of maintenance - raised bog? well used and signposted paths , condition of signage poor and hard to read	91.42857143	A	Site consists of dense birch woodland and peat bog in centre. There are wide gravel paths around the site (the centre is not accessible) there are good quality wooden walkways through the bog on the west side. Very good directional signage at entrances and within the site. Information boards at entrances and some within the site. There are a few benches throughout the site.	No
Gartshore Public Park	39	36	Twechar	Public Parks and Gardens	3.085730178	64%	C	Mature tree boundary area. Variety of trees silver birch, beech, willows. Opp for long grass areas, benches and bins. No signage at access points	71.81818182	B	Small area of amenity grassland with copse areas and hard surface path. Access via relatively busy road with new development on other side. Attractive formal planted area at the main entrance of the site.	Yes

Twechar Public Park	40	37	Twechar	Public Parks and Gardens	5.46800026	56%	C	Some access points not accessible by disabled users (just steps). The site is lacking character and has opp for more diverse areas for a range of play and diverse planting	82.5	A	Large park well overlooked by housing, next to community centre with free car parking. Good quality childrens play areas. Good quality MUGA with low fencing. Football pitch well maintained. Good quality path network with lighting. Community gardens and small community orchard. A number of benches and litter and dog bins. Stream running along edge of site with tall ruderal vegetation and trees.	Yes
Luggie Park	41	38	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	18.44540545	70%	B	Opp to improve the football changing facilities and car park-currently abandoned. Well used and maintained football. Bins needed. Bin bags used throughout the site. Benches could be provided for resting.	84.34782609	A	Well managed site with good quality tarmac paths through. Excellent skatepark for a range of ages. Floodlit football pitch. Child's play area is looking dated and has lots of graffiti, one of the gates is not there. Good range of habitats including scrub, woodland, river side vegetation and rough grassland. No welcome signs or directional signage. Scattered litter.	Yes
Woodhead Park	42	39	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	4.748229892	73%	B	Paths generally well lit apart from one core path. Lack of signage. Not obvious why this site is a historic monument	80	A	There are four parts to the park: a woodland, a large open area of grassland, a large child's play area and planted gardens/trees. The grass area as well maintained and in good condition. The child's play area is large with a wide range of equipment in very good condition for all ages of children, high play value. No photos of this due to children in the playground. The gardens are well maintained and planted with a nice range of shrubs and flowers, with some mature and semi mature trees. Highly attractive park. Good provision of benches and bins, and paths are excellent quality. There are no welcome signs or directional signs. There is a lot of litter in the woodland.	Yes
Merklands Sports Pitches	43	40	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	6.386315058	49%	D	Range of functions need improvement. Opp for diversified spaces to encourage more informal play or food growing spaces. No seating areas for meeting and resting. Lacking character	71.30434783	B	Large sports area with running track, long jump, football areas and AGP. There is a signed car park and a number of pedestrian access points. Relatively large play area with varied equipment and seating. There is some form of planting dotted around the site and a larger section to the north and east of the football pitch.	Yes
Whitegates Park	44	41	Lenzie	Public Parks and Gardens	5.49438888	70%	B	Wetland and wet woodland on southern edge Poor connectivity to surrounding area, limited facilities, good soft maintenance with semi natural and damp meadow areas, path maintenance could be improved	72.17391304	B	Large park with large grass areas and well maintained football pitch in good condition. Attractive tree planting and shrub planting. There are some scrub areas which are good for biodiversity. There appear to be no benches on site and few litter and dog bins. There are no directional signs or welcome signs. Good quality tarmac paths.	No
Langmuir Park	45	42	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	3.410405553	70%	B	Main paths from access points are tarmac surfaced and lit. The unbound path within the park is unlit. No information boards to explain the historical or archaeological importance of the site	76.52173913	B	Park with fairly long grass and areas of scrub and for more planting. There is a play area with good quality equipment and a football field with fencing behind goalposts. Multiple entrance points with street lighting. Dirt path running through the site.	No
Peel Park	46	43	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	2.522689024	79%	B	Opportunity for diverse planting especially around the pavilion. Some graffiti on signage and bins.	90	A	An attractive neighbourhood park with multiple entrances and clear signage including impressive memorial gate at main entrance. This site has a very attractive pavilion with wild flowers planted around it, high quality paths with good street lighting. In the play area is relatively large and fenced with varied equipment. The views from the site are incredible and the historical signage at the western end is very informative.	Yes
Rosebank Park	47	44	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	0.813117211	44%	E	Path stops to play area. No path network/ connectivity between access point	64.34782609	C	Small park with children's play equipment and adult gym equipment. Park is on a slope so is quite steep and there are only paths to the equipment. Site is mainly grass with some young trees. Two access point with lighting. Litter bin and dog bin although still litter around the site including broken glass.	Yes
Tintock Park	48	45	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	1.606211299	33%	E	No paths just trails within grass. Opp for diversified planting. Currently used only by dog walkers. No information boards to explain the historic or archeological significance of the site.	53.91304348	D	Large area of scrub and grass with small dilapidated play area. The boundaries are primarily hedges and tallgrass. There is lighting along the path surrounding the site and clear dog bins.	Yes

Kincaid Park	49	46	Milton of Campsie	Public Parks and Gardens	6.244779432	71%	B	Access point to railway path needs amending. Japanese knotweed present. Some ash dieback but should not affect site structure. Informal Links to river. Good connections to railway path	91.30434783	A		Yes
Milton Public Park	50	47	Milton of Campsie	Public Parks and Gardens	1.073258161	76%	B	Access to estate behind from south east corner. Desire line.	79.04761905	B	Park with very well maintained pitches and good quality fenced play area with two access points. There are no issues with the site although the area to the far east seems derelict and could be developed.	No
High Park	51	48	Lennoxtown	Public Parks and Gardens	7.332362091	86%	A	CCTV present to north of the building. Wilder area a good contrast to busy routes and mown areas.	85.2173913	A	A well maintained park with play area, two full-size football pitches and accessible natural area to the north-east. There is a variety of planting giving this site a welcoming feel. The play equipment is well maintained and the path network is good including informal Desire lines. There is good quality LED lighting throughout the site and CCTV. The views and tranquillity in the site are exceptional.	No
Whitefield Pond	52	49	Lennoxtown	Public Parks and Gardens	3.326599085	89%	A	One area of overgrown shrubs crowding the path and reducing viable width. Range of good quality benches all look fairly new including benches with backrests and arm rests, picnic benches and a wheelchair accessible picnic bench. Evidence of an orchard planting but the trees have struggled. Given the central location and popularity of the space, some well placed lighting could benefit users, particularly in winter	93.63636364	A	Exemplary wildlife on site with multiple accessible entrances and a wide variety of habitats. The path's are well maintained and there are multiple benches and bins throughout the site. The wooden sculptures add a pleasant feeling to the site and the welcoming signage and informational wildlife signage is very good. The variety of wildflowers and copses of trees make this a very high biodiversity site.	No
Station Road Playing Fields	53	50	Lennoxtown	Public Parks and Gardens	2.474388127	60%	C	Litter limited to the back of the industrial estate. One all weather pitch abandoned and overgrown. One mown and maintained grass pitch with good goal posts. Dividing ball stop fence needs repair. Although a recreation ground in the main, there is an area left to grow for meadow and increases biodiversity. Added a note to significance as the gates are relating to the sporting history	68.69565217	C	This is a full size football pitch bordered by significant wildflowers with a single entrance from the main road to the NE. There are two rusting metal benches and one large football pitch. Well connected via dissused railway path.	No
Ferguson Park	54	51	Lennoxtown	Public Parks and Gardens	2.239857036	63%	C	No formal paths but main access appears to be a vehicular route. Two informal shortcuts connect to the railway path. Large gravel space appears to be former all weather pitch turned car park. Good ball stop fence and general maintenance of grass pitch. Containers present, recently painted to conceal graffiti. Mature tree boundaries prevent sight lines into space but wide open space has some transient sight lines from the railway path.	61.73913043	C	Playing field with two football pitches with dilapidated goalposts. There are three bins on the site and no issues with littering. There are three containers one of which is graffitied. The hard surfacing on one of the football pitches is worn and in need of attention.	No
Mains Park	56	52	Milngavie	Public Parks and Gardens	6.770224308	89%	A	Range of play, good habitat and landscape features. Potential to integrate food source planting around the boundary for additional habitat value. Well maintained, standing wood left for invertebrates. Lighting to main path	93.04347826	A	Fantastic large park with informal football, large children's play area with newer equipment in a fenced area, excellent network of (wide) hard surfaced paths, large area of tall grassland/scrub habitat which adds to the attractiveness of the park as well as the biodiversity value, scattered mature trees. Good natural surveillance from surrounding housing. Lighting in key areas, provision of multiple benches including wonderful wildlife themed benches carved out of tree trunks. Wildflower area at main entrance with welcome boulder.	No

Barloch Moor	57	53	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	3.986506291	80%	A	Park has been significantly impacted by recent storm with a number of mature fallen trees. There is a large proportion of ash in the woodland which will affect character if dead or removed. Site entrances are clearly marked and accessible, especially to the east where a stone wall frames the entrance.	90.90909091	A	Wonderful woodland with stream and a network of good quality paths throughout the site. High biodiversity value. Bins and directional signage at main entrances, benches located in clearing where there is short mown grass. Very well maintained site with good quality infrastructure.	No
Oakburn Park	58	54	Milngavie	Public Parks and Gardens	2.833589535	72%	B	Park has a path with no access at the end of it (to nursery). Structures in very poor condition. Playground, paths and bins in good condition, lighting from adjacent road is adequate. Old disused footpath pitch in poor condition, could be revived or repurposed. Potential for much greater biodiversity improvements	54.7826087	D	Park with two football pitches one sand-based, and the other with kick walls/fences at either side. Fenced children's play area in decent condition with a range of equipment, some quite modern items and some more dated. Fenced off community centre with access, large areas of short mown grass (with a small area managed as tall grassland). Hard surface path cutting through the site leading to the play area although there is a dead end at the other side where there is currently construction work taking place. Boundaries are unwelcoming with chain link fencing in generally poor condition.	Yes
Antoine Gardens	59	55	Milngavie	Public Parks and Gardens	0.307831214	98%	A	Very high quality space, housing a Roman bath house. Clear interpretation of historical value. Planting looks new and well maintained, mostly ornamental with benefit for pollinators, but some areas of longer grass/meadow and woodland edge too.	85	A	Small garden featuring the Antoine Wall. Interpretation boards present but one was a little faded. One path in good condition, and one bench. Good planting including a wildflower bank.	No
Lennox Park	60	56	Milngavie	Public Parks and Gardens	6.46073811	90%	A	Landscape is diverse and provides a network of habitat with some areas left more wild. Park generally well maintained and cared for. Facilities good with provision of a cafe, furniture and equipment mostly in good condition, some could benefit from an upgrade or replacement. Some graffiti.	86.95652174	A	Fantastic large park with a range of facilities including a fantastic new sand-based children's play area and other items of play equipment outside of the fence area, and excellent quality new skate park and sand-based football pitch. There is an excellent path network around the site with good directional signage and provision of bins. There are plenty of benches including along the river where you can sit and enjoy the peace and quiet. Good diversity of habitats including woodland, river and evidence of tall grass/meadow management.	No
Dougalston Ave Open Space	61	57	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	12.63681374	68%	C	Fields with excellent meadow grassland and woodland habitat, left wild. Path is dirt/grass, narrow and a bit boggy in areas limiting accessibility. No signage or bins, entrance is discreet	68.57142857	C	Large woodland with informal paths and open grassland areas and stream. There is a decent quality children's play area set in an area of amenity grass to the west of the site, which is overlooked by housing. The majority of the site has no natural surveillance. Excellent biodiversity value.	No
Keystone Quadrant	62	58	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.26013008	79%	B	High quality space well maintained, good quality equipment and furniture. Several mature ash trees on site, currently in good condition but to be monitored. Site access is somewhat hidden, a tarmac path quite steep.	76	B	Well maintained amenity with child play equipment and mature trees around the edge. Grass is well maintained but boggy in places. Equipment is rather dated but in good condition. Entrance from road is not signposted and looks like someones driveway.	No
Craigduh Wedge	63	59	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	7.992436124	83%	A	Very well maintained and high quality park. Noted some graffiti along the river section and some damage to signs. Recommend to consider lighting in some areas. The east entrance by McDonald's is unclear, the sign is disconnected from the path due to a fence. Diversity of planting and habitat is excellent	80.95238095	A	Site consists of a mixture of grass, woodland, scrub and a stream. Wide well surfaced paths to fit both pedestrians and cyclists with lots of signage. No facilities except for litter and dog bins.	No
Colquhoun Park	64	60	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	12.30832297	92%	A	Very large park with range of activities. Deer spotted around the pond area during out site visit.	77.39130435	B	Large recreation ground with children's play area, two ponds, one rugby pitch and six formal football pitches. Site is well landscaped around the ponds. Several access points although not suitable for pushchairs or wheelchairs. Dog bins and litter bins at entrance but litter present on site. Area next to children's play ground is run down. Footpaths and cyclepaths link the site to surrounding area.	Yes

Langfaulds Field	65	61	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	5.504220826	92%	A	Varied parkland with mature woodland, wet meadow, open grass areas, pump track and playground. Picnic tables at eastern side in need of replacement.	77.39130435	B	Local park with a children's play area, basketball court, skate park, informal football pitch and small woodland. Several access points with litter bin and dog bins. Lighting along main paths next to residential areas. Some signs of graffiti and litter. Paths connect well across the site but could be wider and surfaced better. Lots of benches throughout.	Yes
King George V Park	66	62	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	2.773831013	86%	A	Well laid out park that offers a large flat grassed area and a generous play area.	87.82608696	A	Medium sized park with an informal football pitch, large children's play area and basketball courts. Several access points connected by a wide tarmac path running around the whole site. Lots of benches and bins. Site has mature planting and some new trees. Equipment is in good condition.	No
Baljaffray O.S.	67	63	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	2.082295917	90%	A	Transitory space with a larger open area to the east. Seating could be included in the east - as could more tree planting.	81.73913043	A	Site consists of mainly short mown grass with young trees. There is also a medium sized children's play ground. There are many entrance points connecting residential areas but no signage. The paths are wide, tarmaced and have lighting. Even though there is some litter on site there are many litter and dog bins.	No
Heather Ave Open Space	68	64	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	2.276076942	94%	A	Great asset for the area with vast wildflower meadow, play area and bespoke seating.	74.7826087	B	Medium sized park with a children's play area. Majority of site is overgrown with a 5m edge of short mown grass and mature trees forming the edge of the site. Play area is in good condition and has benches and bins. Two access points with signage and a good wide tarmac path connecting these access points.	Yes
Thorn Park	69	65	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	2.153944564	70%	B	Large space - predominantly football fields. Potential for SuDS due to localised flooding (as shown in photo 1).	79.13043478	B	Medium sized sports ground with two football pitches and children's play area. Hard surfaced path running around the edge of the site. Play area is in good condition. Some mature trees bordering the edges. Benches and bins around the site.	No
Roman Park	70	66	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	1.550192067	79%	B	Stairs are very steep and in poor repair. Woodland clearings do offer some long distance views.	53.33333333	D	Site has a mixture of grassland, woodland and scrub and contains a section of the Antonine Wall with an old, overgrown sign. Three access points some of which have steps and are tricky to access. No facilities and limited lighting. Paths are uneven and not well defined. Site is overgrown with little management.	Yes
Cluny Park	71	67	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	2.540090881	92%	A	The wildflower meadows are lovely and make the space a really pleasant area to pass through. Bespoke seating is charming. Could benefit from more seating spots.	79.13043478	B	Amenity green space placed between main road and housing. Good wide tarmac paths with lighting built in. Several access points with signage. One bench and several litter and dog bins but dog fouling was present. Some mature and new tree planting although the majority of the site is grass.	Yes
Westerton Park	72	68	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	0.758326776	80%	A	Path to play area is narrow and uneven - making access limited for wheelchair or prams. Oddly shaped grassed area - potential for more wildflower or tree planting. A few fruit trees exist - but could be expanded with a community orchard or similar.	66.95652174	C	Small park with childrens play area and informal football pitch. Three access points across the site. Equipment is in a good condition except for football goals. One litter and dog bin although litter and glass on site.	Yes
Antonine Park	73	69	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	0.722068544	85%	A	Transitory space with not much interest apart from some mature trees. Roots have lifted the footpath in areas - which will ultimately be difficult for wheelchairs or prams. Potential for wildflower meadows.	82.85714286	A	Area of grassland with tarmac paths connecting residential areas. Entrance has signage about importance of Antoine Wall. Dog and litter bins throughout the site. Mature trees and new trees scattered throughout.	No
Woodhill Park 3	74	70	Bishopbriggs	Public Parks and Gardens	9.451947351	72%	B	Extensive wildflower meadows with wide variety of species. Southern end of area let down by fly-tipping and graffiti.	64.34782609	C	Large open park with limited paths, play area and informal football. There is one bench near the play area. The land is quite steep.	Yes

Etive Park	75	71	Bishopbriggs	Public Parks and Gardens	5.232550688	85%	A	New SuDS basin, pump track and community allotment.	55.65217391	C	West section of park has football pitch which is in poor condition, it appears to be an old-fashioned gravel/sand pitch. The pitch is mainly gravel and moss with small amounts of grass. The entrance in the north-west corner is difficult to navigate and feels a bit unsafe. There are a couple of paths on the edge of the site but it would be better to have them through the whole site. Grass is well maintained and in good condition. Children's play area in east of the site is large and has a good range of equipment for children of all ages. It is over impact flooring and well fenced and gated. No photos because children were there. There is no street lighting on the site. There is no directional signage or welcome signage. There is a lack of dog bins and litter bins. The whole site looks a bit scruffy. Graffiti at entrances.	Yes
Callieburn Park	76	72	Bishopbriggs	Public Parks and Gardens	5.456580685	74%	B	Overall impression of meadow area and woodland is positive. However, the remnants of previous play elements and vandalism does let the space down.	57.39130435	C	Large grass park with some mature trees at one side. There is a children's playground which is well fenced and gated and in very good condition. Litter bins have graffiti and there is graffiti at north entrance. Entrances are not very welcoming and look scruffy. There is lots of litter at northern entrance. Grass is in good condition. Only street light is at west entrance. No other facilities. The only path is along the northern edge.	Yes
Huntershill Playing Fields	77	73	Bishopbriggs	Sports Areas	7.227788692	76%	B	North-west section of site is inaccessible.	76.36363636	B	Several astroturf football pitches, tennis courts, athletics track, javelin runway, long jump runway, shot put area. Grass football pitch in excellent condition and well maintained. All Astroturf pitches have excellent quality fencing and are in excellent condition. Good access from the car park with cycle park area. All areas are well floodlit. Clean and tidy. Excellent sports facility. Scattered litter.	No
Bishopbriggs Public Park	78	74	Bishopbriggs	Public Parks and Gardens	4.675921426	83%	A	Well maintained, safe and welcoming however there is potential to improve range and quality of facilities	81.73913043	A	Park has a number of attractive features including a series of wooden carvings throughout the park, some planted archways with wildflowers, and woodland either side of the grass area in the centre with rough grassland amongst the trees. This provides good biodiversity. There is a MUGA in good condition but the fencing and posts could do with a clean. Also the lines could be repainted on the court. The main path through the park is street lit but the two at the edge of the park or not. The benches near the children's play area have been vandalised and could do with repainting. There is a children's play area in very good condition with a good range of equipment, if a little dated. There is bike racks and plenty of bins throughout the site. There is a shelter near the MUGA which could do with a clean. There is a welcome sign at one end of the park but not at other entrances. There is no directional signage within the park.	No
Doune Crescent	79	75	Bishopbriggs	Public Parks and Gardens	1.2375867	84%	A	Potential Ash dieback spotted. Potential to improve planting and landscape	70.43478261	B	Site has large well-maintained grass area, tree area with rough grassland underneath, large children's play area. There is one gravel path going across the west part of the site. The play area has a wide range of equipment for all ages and is in very good condition. It is all over impact flooring. There are two benches and one litter bin near play area. No other facilities. There is no welcome or directional signage at any entrances or within park. There is a dog bin at one entrance. The other dog bin is overflowing.	Yes

Meadowburn Park	80	76	Bishopbriggs	Public Parks and Gardens	1.621187286	86%	A	Generally well maintained, Scope to improve facilities, some biodiversity meadow planting but scope to provide more varied habitats	70.43478261	B	Park contains play equipment which is looking dated and for a variety of ages, including zip line. There are bins and dog bins throughout the site, but scattered litter through the site. Tarmac paths are new and in excellent condition. There is street lighting along one edge of the site. There is no way marking or welcome signs at any entrances or within the site. Limited planting, but grass is in good condition and well maintained.	Yes
Lennox Crescent	81	77	Bishopbriggs	Public Parks and Gardens	1.462403498	68%	C	Entrance from south is very narrow and overshadowed by vegetation. Sight lines are poor due to topography. Area of tarmac next to current play area is an eyesore and should be removed or regenerated.	70.43478261	B	Steep sided park has large children's play area with modern equipment, which is good for children of all ages. Equipment is in good condition. There is an empty area of tarmac next to the play area which is in poor condition and could be used for something. There are narrow tarmac paths through the site. There is some attractive tree planting but no shrub planting or wildflowers. There is no street lighting or benches. Grass is well maintained.	Yes
Springfield Park	82	78	Bishopbriggs	Public Parks and Gardens	1.071372962	71%	B	Area of tarmac from former playground has broken glass and remnants of fire. Would be better if this was removed. Bench also should be relocated. No bench for play area.	62.60869565	C	Small park with rather dated children's play equipment which is spread out over the site. Site consists of long grass with some mature trees. There was broken grass and litter despite there being litter bins on site. Two access points one of which was only access with steps.	Yes
Cloan Crescent	83	79	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.757760604	78%	B	Wall of nearby building has had some issues with graffiti. It is evident that attempts were made to clean this off, but it still remains an issue.	83.63636364	A	A large grass area with a good quality tarmac path through centre of the site and leading to the children's playground. Mature trees planted around edge of site. Grass long but in good condition, there are two dog bins and two litter bins. Children's play equipment is for a variety of ages and has good play value. All equipment is in excellent condition and over impact flooring. Well fenced. No photos due to children in the playground.	Yes
Boghead Pitches	84	80	Lenzie	Sports Areas	3.872391389	72%	B	Attractive and well used maintained sports pitches, condition of rugby posts v poor, entrance hard to spot - semi natural edges	70	B	Two rugby pitches and one football pitch, all well maintained and in good condition. Some rugby posts looking dated and need some paint. Shipping containers (used for changing rooms?), also looking scruffy. Good quality path along one side. No floodlights.	No
Christine's Way, Glenwood to Park Burn	85	81	Lenzie	Public Parks and Gardens	7.270680334	88%	A	Generally good - some facilities signs etc need upgrading - roots are creating a trip hazard on path in certain locations, could benefit from additional facilities such as seating / benches, entry points not well sign posted, open aspect with attractive setting, well used	70.43478261	B	Park contains two children's play areas. Western play area is looking dated and needs painting. It has impact flooring. One bench and one litter bin. Two wooden football goals also need painting. Eastern play area is larger and well fenced and equipment is in better condition (no photos due to children). There is a football pitch at eastern end which looks like an old-fashioned gravel/sand pitch. The wire netting to stop balls going into stream behind one of the goals has holes in and needs replacing. The goals also need painting. There is a multi-use games area in good condition. Litter scattered throughout the site, some bins missing from their posts at eastern end near play area. Good directional signage throughout site.	Yes
Alexandra Road Park	86	82	Lenzie	Public Parks and Gardens	0.374398123	49%	D	Dead tree, Very poor layout and condition of benches fences etc. dense shrubbery creates blind spots, poor access and path condition, old cattle grills on one half of park with play ground (to discourage dogs?)	80	A	Park has good quality gravel path running through the middle of it. Play space is well fenced and equipment is for a range of ages and is in very good condition. All equipment over impact flooring. No photos because children present. There are two bins on site but both are in need of replacing due to rust. One of these bins has no bottom. There is one bench in children's play area and one outside. Moderately attractive shrub planting near play area and one other area in on site.	Yes

Woodmill Park	87	83	Torrance	Public Parks and Gardens	4.25431965	92%	A	Park including football pitch and picnic area. Good habitat and diverse planting around the boundaries. Paths in good condition, plenty of seating generally in good condition, one table is broken. Signage and bins present. Football goals in good condition with nets in place .	70.43478261	B	Large area of open grassland with copse and woodland areas. Narrow hard surface paths. Lovely community initiative in part of the woodland where there is a fairy trail including wooden sculptures, benches and flower planters. Also interpretation signage about the birds that can be found in the woodland. Car parking area next to shipping containers. Welcome signage at main entrance with directional signs to village and woodland walk.	Yes
Demonstration Garden	88	84	Torrance	Public Parks and Gardens	0.145235235	82%	A	Ornamental gardens, fairly well maintained, Path is moderate condition/accessibility. Planting varied and attractive but ornamental only and not greatly beneficial as habitat. Benches and bins provided in good condition. A sign at the entrance. Seems to be another entrance used informally at the back which is not accessible/safe	61.81818182	C	Secluded garden with hard surface path but not connecting to anywhere, shrub beds and scattered trees, pond, benches and litter bins. Site is poorly maintained with overgrown paths, Long grass, and shrub beds and planting in need of maintenance. There is litter in the pond. Site does not appear well used or cared for.	Yes
Afton View Open Space	89	85	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	0.773008379	56%	C	Site is safe as overlooked by properties but lacks character, visual interest and facilities.	62.72727273	C	A wide open access amenity/local park with wildflower planting near the road. The play equipment is well maintained if dated although some of the impact flooring is broken in places. There is a large floodlight to the west of the site and street lighting surrounding the boundaries. Good provision of bins including dog bins by the road and good quality benches along the path.	No
Broom Gardens	90	86	Lenzie	Public Parks and Gardens	0.634661936	73%	B	Small local park. Possible retention basin, goal posts in poor condition	70.47619048	B	Very small park which contains a child's football pitch and no other facilities. There is a good quality tarmac path along one side of the site. Grass is well maintained and in good condition. There are some semi-mature trees and shrubs around edge of site. Part of site has been left to succeed to rough grassland which improves the biodiversity here.	No
Douglas Muir Rd O.S.	91	87	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.432759143	82%	A	Site has a very well maintained landscape but is mostly inaccessible and limited in functionality. A couple of benches which require some maintenance - more seating would be desirable. Access points are limited and reduce potential for public enjoyment. Access gates are also difficult to open making the park difficult to visit for those with physical disabilities. There is a residents only sign on one gate but not the other	91.42857143	A	Very well maintained amenity area with large pond, good quality tarmac paths, Short mown grassland, shrub beds, scattered trees, lighting and benches. Overlooked by housing. Private space open to residents only and no dogs allowed.	No
Glasgow Uni. Woods	92	88	Bearsden	Private Gardens or Grounds	5.481246584	85%	A	Nicely maintained area with large lawns, mature woodland and a river side bank. Potential for wildflower areas. Potential for more historical interpretation.	88	A	Area with multiple features including canal, short mown grass, wildflower banks and a wide path connecting settlements. Good entrances with signage and dog bins.	No
Lenzie Rugby Club	93	89	Lenzie	Sports Areas	2.65802278	67%	C	Access via narrow private road, low quality car parking area	63.63636364	C	Sports pitches in good condition with some scattered litter throughout. Rugby posts are in good condition. Two pitches, one of which is floodlit. Clubhouse looking dated and car park is scruffy. There is a welcome sign but this is looking scruffy also. Lots of children leaving nearby school so not many photos of this site were taken.	No
New Lairdsland Road	94	90	Kirkintilloch	Amenity Greenspace	0.574777603	63%	C	Green Buffer providing screening to properties. No access points it's too steep. One entry point well located given the steep topography. Opportunity to improve path to properties	66.66666667	C	Roadside amenity verge with variety of trees. There is a dog bin near the bus stop.	No
Friarscroft	95	91	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.731088559	75%	B	A woodland edge on a steep embankment. It's a verge. Provision for paths is irrelevant. Betterment of plant species potentially long grass or wildflowers.	47.77777778	D	Woodland with persistent and severe fly tipping and littering problem. There is one clear access point but the path quickly becomes unusable. The bench at the play area to the west has a missing slat. There is a large area of overgrown defunct hardstanding next to the play area. The impact flooring in the play area is very high-quality as is the equipment.	Yes

Valleyfield O.S.	96	92	Milton of Campsie	Amenity Greenspace	0.775205569	67%	C	Step access only to the site. There is a third access from the railway path to the southwest corner, this also is via step access and requires repair. Grass routes for local circuit. Grass route to top boundary has large crossfall. Swing from tree branch. Very steep site. Mix of planting and meadow. Individual trees in site, range of age and species	81.17647059	A	Largely scrub and long grass amenity with well-managed grass path and a variety of community involvement including bench and formal planting. Access is not signed and the site feels semi-private for the residents nearby. A good variety of mature trees. The site is good for biodiversity.	Yes
Munro Dr. O.S.	97	93	Milton of Campsie	Amenity Greenspace	1.097228466	73%	B	Evidence of tree planting, one of which a cherry has been snapped off and another has had bad damage to the trunk (small girth, young tree) More access points to estates either side. Evidence of a rope swing from a mature oak. Some Japanese knotweed noted	75.55555556	B	Amenity with accessible woodland copses and small wildflower area to the west.	No
Lochalsh Crescent	98	94	Milton of Campsie	Amenity Greenspace	0.523003342	58%	C	Some lighting clicked by tree canopies to both entrances. Site of two halves. Park behind crescent is overlooked and tidy. Accessible. Core path is overgrown with balsam, ash fir back has a tree blocking the route. Issues of accessibility	86.66666667	A	Residential amenity with decent quality paths and street lighting. The stream provides good biodiversity and the site is well-managed.	Yes
Alder Rd O.S.	99	95	Milton of Campsie	Amenity Greenspace	0.55511101	66%	B	Well used space with sign to fairy wood but could benefit from some small way finding markers pointing to the wider links to woodlands. A bench might be nice in the space. Good views across the site.	72	B	An average residential amenity with waterlogging issues. There is a unique stone carved sculpture near the entrance to the woodland which adds to the aesthetic of the space. Part of the site appears to be seeded for biodiverse grasses.	No
Maple Walk O.S. 1	100	96	Milton of Campsie	Amenity Greenspace	0.20094709	73%	B	Maple walk signage old and dirty. Some shrubs require cutting back off the path.	86.66666667	A	Attractive residential amenity with signage giving the name of the site. It is a well cared for site with low litter and good diversity of Hedgerow planting. Well spaced lighting along the path creates a safe feeling.	Yes
Maple Walk O.S. 2	101	97	Milton of Campsie	Amenity Greenspace	0.16901646	70%	B	Cherry tree has succumbed to storm Floris winds. Area of shrubs has become overgrown and unkept. Mown grass.	85.71428571	A	Residential amenity with good path and modern lighting. Small site with basic planting but overall a good quality site.	Yes
Cannerton Cres. O.S.	102	98	Milton of Campsie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.165850506	63%	C	Mature oak tree to east entry point marked with yellow dot (assuming for removal as seen on diseased ash). Access point is further east as path already formed by east cul de sac end. Access point to west cul de sac is down the side of some garages - if you know you know, otherwise obscured. Additional access point to nappies loan behind the gardens looks well used. Mix of species present with some undergrowth including shrubs and even yellow rattle.	76.66666667	B	Small woodland area behind housing with informal paths in varying states. The paths are quite muddy. There is one dog bin to the eastern end of the site.	Yes
Drumaling Terrace	103	99	Lennoxtown	Amenity Greenspace	0.398775071	73%	B	Potential for additional access point to mark connecting to Ashcroft avenue.	78.0952381	B	Small grass amenity with street-lit path running through it containing one dog bin. Long grass at the western end feeds into thick scrub and inaccessible stream.	No
The Fells	104	100	Lennoxtown	Amenity Greenspace	0.514385167	69%	C	Tree canopies affecting lighting. Generally a mown grass area for the pitch but a small area east of the trees/path is left for meadow and this offers a small area of species diversity and habitat. Access via ramp / step layout from south but ramp gradients seem quite steep. No tactiles to steps. Steep set of concrete steps, condition of which could be improved.	73.33333333	B	Residential amenity with junior football pitch, football fencing behind goalposts and long grass section to the east. There is a path running through the site with street lighting and dog bin clearly visible. Varied scrub borders the site.	Yes

Benvue Road	105	101	Lennoxtown	Amenity Greenspace	0.408725159	71%	B	South entrance from road obscured by parking. One entrance to cul de sac open and well used. One entrance to west obscured and overgrown. Narrow entrance to woodland could be improved. One dog waste bin present and used. Grassy paths through the space but one gravel path connecting to the obscured entrance to west	77.77777778	B	Residential amenity with dog bin cited in the middle and access to woodland in the north-east. There is a stepping stone path which seems half finished at the southern end of the site.	No
Benvue to Ashcroft Avenue	106	102	Lennoxtown	Amenity Greenspace	0.331238414	82%	A	Nice welcoming space to Lennoxtown. Has an area of mature orchard planting. One of the access points has a set of railings that are bypassed with a desire line across the ground to go around them. They are semi-redundant as they stand alone with no fence to the sides and provide little value to defining the space and activity.	81.81818182	A	Amenity opposite busy main road with path network, decent quality metal bench and clear dog bins. There is very attractive formal planting flowers on the adjacent amenity to the west.	No
Eastside Park	107	103	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	0.887039281	47%	D	Broken glass and knocked over bins. Some art installation present. Unwelcome entrance. Watercourse technically outside the boundary, physically and visually disconnected from the park	70.43478261	B	A small park plagued by significant littering. High-quality modern play equipment with bin and good quality metal bench. Attractive area of wooden animal sculptures near mature trees. The site has a handful of copses of trees.	Yes
Craigielea Crescent O.S.	108	104	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	1.184176208	69%	C	A few issues identified with path edging loose and some uneven steps with no handrail or drop kerbs. A low telephone wire hangs to a reachable height which could be a safety issue. Grassland well maintained with some areas left longer for habitat. Potential for further habitat improvements. Potential for more play opportunity formal or informal.	67.77777778	C	Linear amenity green space with short mown grass and scattered trees and litter/dog bins. Stone steps providing access through middle of site are in need of repair. Steep close across large part of site. Good natural surveillance from surrounding housing.	No
Ashburn Gardens O.S.	109	105	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.413362583	46%	D	Left over green space, unmaintained with just a track through. Some bits of flytipping. Grass access track from one entry location only	54.44444444	D	Area of two grass and scattered trees completely surrounded by housing, could only find one access point. Looks completely and maintained. Some old broken signage saying no tipping or jumping. Entrance via vehicle access gate between housing but no signage or indication that this is a usable space as the grass is really tall and there is no mown path.	No
Craigbarnet Rd O.S.	110	106	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.449081659	81%	A	Just a simple path cut through of green space. Opportunity to introduce play/ seating or other functions. Good shrub planting to the boundary for biodiversity but more variety of native species and food source wood be beneficial, e.g. Berries or flowering species, meadow or longer grassland to the edges.	85.71428571	A	Area of short mown amenity grass with scattered trees and shrub bed, good surveillance from surrounding housing. Provision of lighting along good quality hard surfaced path and litter bin.	No
Craigton Road O.S.	111	107	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.889074552	80%	A	Some bins but located far apart and therefore some dog foul is present. Grass is well maintained. Note that trees have been damaged by yesterday's storm. Great surveillance from housing. Lighting not present but spillover from adjacent street lighting combined with surveillance makes it feel safe. Popular for dog walking, no other facilities present. Lots of mature trees but little other habitat present. Could be improved with lower level planting or leaving areas of grassland to grow longer	87.36842105	A	Linear amenity grassland with mature scattered trees. Appears to be some historical artefacts on site with the with the remnants of an old wall and stone entrance feature. Provision of lighting and litter/dog waste bins along road. Overlooked by housing.	No
North Dumgoyne Ave. O.S.	112	108	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.624538257	75%	B	Cut through route with one path. Path is clear and fairly accessible. No lighting provision except for overspill from adjacent roads. Woodlan is diverse but with large amounts of brambles and nettles so could be improved or better maintained.	77.14285714	B	Small woodland with hard surfaced footpath running through. Generally well overlooked by housing. Small amounts of litter and sections of the path are quite muddy.	No
Breadie Drive O.S.	113	109	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.313649875	78%	B	Cul de sac green space consisting of trimmed grass and tree planting. Some trees in poor condition. Potential for biodiversity improvements.	84.21052632	A	Small area of short mown amenity grassland with scattered mature trees and newly planted young trees. Hard surfaced path running alongside road frontage with bench and litter bin. Surrounded by housing with street lights.	Yes

Crawford Road O.S.	114	110	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.275145215	62%	C	Used as a cut through, some decent mix of planting, shrubs, grassland. Still opportunities for improvement and better use	80	A	Small area of predominantly woodland with informal grass path running through and areas clearly managed for wildlife with grass less frequently mown around trees. Beautiful mature scattered trees in grassland area. Old building remains but no interpretation signage. This area is also attracting a fair amount of litter, as it is a secluded part of the site. Well overlooked by housing, there is provision of a dog/litter bin and roadside lighting at either end.	Yes
James Watt O.S.	115	111	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.283691728	81%	A	Boundary could be better maintained or introduced more diverse planting. Currently overrun with nettle, bramble, fireweed	90.47619048	A	Small amenity grass area with scattered mature trees and good quality tarmac path. There is regular lighting along the path and provision of a litter/dog waste bin. Good natural surveillance from surrounding housing.	No
Abercrombie Dr. O.S.	116	112	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	1.753255467	66%	C	Large potential for wildflower meadow or more tree planting - as this is unlikely to attract many people given it's mostly behind houses and the grass is incredibly wet - too much for games.	68.57142857	C	Site consists of woodland and short mown grass next to residential area. There are no facilities except for a dog bin. No paths but does connect to other amenity green spaces.	No
Paterson Place O.S.	117	113	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	1.820013107	73%	B	Huge potential for wildflower meadows and some seating areas in what is a very large area of mown grass.	69	C	Large area of grass land with wide tarmac path running through the middle connecting residential areas. Paths have steps but also flat areas for pushchairs and wheelchair users. There are shrubs bordering the road side and some mature trees in the middle of the site. Dog bins at the several access points.	Yes
Stockie Muir Road OS 2	118	114	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.241979069	91%	A	Not very accessible due to steep slopes. Mature trees and undergrowth.	55.78947368	C	Site consists of dense woodland with short mown amenity grass and lighting along the road frontage. There no formal paths, but a few desire lines. There is a steep drop from the road/residential area. No facilities.	Yes
Stockie Muir Road 1	119	115	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	0.331167558	67%	C	Predominantly a woodland belt near to a busy road. Narrow paths in the north with uneven surfacing, making access tricky.	68	C	Amenity green space located between busy road and residential area. Site mainly consists of short mown grass and mature trees/planting. No facilities on site. Some litter and graffiti. Path to north west of site is small and in parts overgrown.	No
Baillie Drive O.S.	120	116	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	1.624376271	86%	A	Mature trees, some wildflower meadow and undergrowth. Potential for more wildflower swathes nearer to the roadside.	74	B	Site consists of mainly short mown grass combined with young trees plus an area of thicker woodland to the road side of the site. One formal entrance and path which is narrow and uneven. No facilities except for one dog bin.	Yes
Braemar Cres. O.S.	121	117	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	1.888922805	84%	A	A varied mix of landscapes - wide open lawn with mature trees, closed woodland and wildflower meadow. Potential for more wildflower in the large lawn areas - as it is difficult to imagine many people using this area for recreation due to the incline of the land and proximity to the road.	69.52380952	C	Area of grassland with some young trees and area of woodland. Path connected both areas connecting two areas of the town. Several access points with dog and litter bins, but high levels litter are still present on site.	Yes
Westerton Station O.S.	122	118	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	1.122829239	88%	A	Transitory space with some nice aspects. Potential for more wildflower areas.	68.57142857	C	Canal surrounded by grassland situated between housing and train station. Site has several access points and wide tarmac paths suitable for both cyclists and walkers. Land is overgrown and not looked to be managed. One dog and litter bin with graffiti. Some scattered litter.	Yes
Moorfoot Way O.S.	123	119	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	0.904024321	60%	C	Remnants of previous play or seating features. Now is overgrown undergrowth. Limited visibility through some paths.	56.19047619	C	Area of tall tussocky grass, scrub and scattered trees with a main hard surfaced path running through the site, and a number of informal paths/desire lines. No facilities and lots of litter. Three access points with no signage and steps. The main path is very overgrown.	No
Argyle Road O.S.	124	120	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	0.540693855	71%	B	Potential for wildflower meadows and/or more tree planting around the edges.	84	A	Small area of short mown grass with a tarmac path running through the middle connecting two residential areas. Some trees of a range of ages on site and a dog litter bin.	Yes
Southview O.S.	125	121	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	0.46293196	86%	A	Interesting SuDS intervention in the park. Play features clearly created by local people.	77.77777778	B	Area of grassland with some mature trees. No facilities except for dog bin. Grass is short mown with patch of long grass in the middle.	Yes

N. Wester Cleddans Rd O.S.	126	122	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	2.464965134	79%	B	Well maintained woodland and vegetation with varied habitat but could be impacted by Ash die back, some facilities present but could be improved, some dog fouling and need from more bins	75.45454545	B	Large grass area with good quality wide tarmac paths throughout, which are street lit. There are plenty of dog bins throughout the site. Grass is very long which limits the activities which can take place here. There are no other facilities. There are no welcome signs or directional signage at entrances or within the site. Moderate biodiversity value due to sites being predominantly grass with small amounts of scrub and plenty of mature trees.	No
Letham Drive O.S.	127	123	Bishopbriggs	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	2.467528859	80%	A	Majority of site is fenced off woodland. Access for pathway from west has a blind corner.	61.17647059	C	Fairly dense woodland with no obvious access points except for one gap in the fence, see photo. There are narrow paths through some of the site, but other parts of the site are inaccessible due to thick scrub. No signage at any entrances. Scattered litter throughout the site. The grass field part of site is fenced off.	Yes
Kirkintilloch Rd	128	124	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	1.042492652	82%	A	Small simple open space , well maintained with some scope to improve habitat and planting interest	61.11111111	C	Long strip of grass land next to busy road and houses. Some tree planting and rose planting at one end. No other facilities. Scattered litter throughout with no bins. Grass is long.	Yes
Meadowburn O.S.	129	125	Bishopbriggs	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.523298637	91%	A	Some localised areas of invasive rhododendron.	67.77777778	C	Planted woodland between roads and houses. Litter is scattered throughout the site. There are no litter bins. There is one dog bin. All sides are open so there are no obvious entrance points as the whole site boundary is an entrance point. No obvious paths, just some dirt desire lines.	Yes
Thrum's Ave. O.S.	130	126	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.908918808	62%	C	residential greenspace with adequate maintenance but potential to improve materials, signage and diversity of planting and biodiversity value, some graffiti and vandalism, may have some safety issues	66.36363636	C	This site has tarmac paths throughout. Lots of access points. No way marking or directional signage. Some graffiti on the fences around the site. Grass is very long. Shrub planting is becoming overgrown and needs cutting back. Scruffy appearance overall. Good lighting throughout the site. Scattered litter throughout site.	No
Angus Ave. O.S.	131	127	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.444486165	62%	C	residential greenspace with adequate maintenance but potential to improve materials, signage and diversity of planting and biodiversity value	70.43478261	B	The vast majority of the site is grass with one cherry tree planted. There is a child's play area suitable for toddlers which is well fenced and gated. The playspace is in excellent condition. The site is well street lit. No other features.	Yes
Dalhousie Gardens	132	128	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.542271204	56%	C	Only 2 narrow alleyways provide access to site. Some private access points for residents from rear gardens are also present.	56	C	Entrances are overgrown with no signage to say space is here. Grass overgrown and unattractive. Margins are scrub and rough grassland and trees, which is good for biodiversity but look scruffy. Abandoned shopping trolley. Unwelcoming/scruffy feel. No other facilities. Scattered litter throughout site.	No
Ashfield O.S.	133	129	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.43678707	76%	B	Small space, well maintained but would benefit from more varied planting, habitat and some facilities	72	B	Grass area with some shrub planting. Good quality tarmac path through centre. One dog bin. Several semi-mature trees. Grass is rather long. Scattered litter throughout site with no litter bins. No photos because adjacent to school.	No
S. Wester Cleddans Rd O.S.	134	130	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.352998637	75%	B	Some dog fouling and would benefit from additional litter bins, potential to provide more varied habitat and planting interest, connections could be improved	73	B	Grass area with good quality tarmac path along one side. No lighting. Some tree planting around edge which are semi-mature. One scruffy bench facing the green space, and another facing the road.	No
Watermill Ave O.S.	135	131	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	2.489888728	68%	C	Odd planting Dramatic topography no facilities/ activities- areas of semi natural woodland some dead/ unhealthy trees	78.18181818	B	Amenity with good range of habitats including dense woodland, rough grassland and marshy grassland. Grass/awn areas are in good condition and well maintained. There is a wide good quality tarmac path running along one side which is lined with trees and street-lit. There is no directional way marking or welcome signs. There are no benches. Some litter bins, but some scattered litter. Generally a good quality, attractive amenity.	Yes
Cult Burn O.S.	136	132	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	1.114620881	86%	A	Semi natural - mature horse chestnut and mixed woodland most of site is open wet meadow	56.84210526	C	Area of grass with two entrance points. No signage, bins, benches or other facilities. One tree has been planted but it is dying. No other planting.	Yes
Ingleside	137	133	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	0.717483316	65%	C	Poor entrances that could provide accessibility issues, easily overlooked, no facilities, mature trees and open grass	71.76470588	B	Attractive grass area which is bordered by mature trees. There is one bin. Two access points, but they are both on the west edge of the site. Grass is well maintained and in good condition. There is some scattered litter in the hedgerows.	Yes

Anne Cres. O.S.	138	134	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	0.496125645	97%	A	Steep slope new tree planting (orchard?) wildflower meadow one dead new tree	78.88888889	B	Attractive grassland amenity with scattered semimature trees throughout. Grass is well maintained and in good condition. There are two instructional signs but both are faded so they cannot be read. No other facilities on site.	Yes
Netherhouse Ave	140	135	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	1.095802452	47%	D	Much of the site is a field low maintenance no facilities	77.27272727	B	Amenity with well maintained grassland in good condition. Attractive trees around border with dense hedgerows/scrub, which are good for biodiversity. Good welcoming entrances. No benches. No directional markings or welcome signs. Good welcoming entrance points.	Yes
Orchardfield	141	136	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	0.622007452	55%	C	Amenity Greenspace with no facilities limited path in need of maintenance some dead trees	87	A	Amenity has good quality tarmac parts through site. It is a well positioned litter bin in the centre of the site. Scattered attractive tree planting. The borders of the sites are shrub and rough grassland which adds to the biodiversity value. Grass is well maintained and in good condition.	Yes
Baillie Dr. (south) O.S.	142	137	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.074896621	78%	B	Mature woodland and dense undergrowth. Routes were passable but narrowed by overgrown shrubs.	50	D	Site consists of woodland and overgrown scrub. Two entrance points with good surfacing but overgrown and no signage. Site is very overgrown and hard to navigate with only one hard surfaces path running along the boundary. There are no facilities.	Yes
Old Aisle Cemetery	143	138	Kirkintilloch	Cemetery	6.334322264	80%	A	The Cemetery has an old historic section. It well maintained with good quality paths with some benches and bins of good quality. South entry point by residential houses doesn't exist. It's a cemetery difficult to be assessed as an amenity green space	90.47619048	A	Large cemetery with welcoming access points and well-maintained paths, benches and bins. The site is very tranquil and contains a lot of birdlife.	No
Campsie Cemetery	144	139	Lennoxton	Cemetery	3.228441411	68%	C	In general paths are good but there are some routes around the church which could be improved. Space around the church could be improved and, although flood lights are present facing the ruin, some evidence of vandalism	86.36363636	A	Large and very peaceful cemetery with good path network and incredibly well maintained church ruin. There are bins clearly located throughout the site and good signage. There are multiple access points to the site including from the main road. The hedgerows and trees are well-managed and there are no issues. Many of the paths have been left to grow green which adds to the aesthetic of the site.	Yes
Mugdock Reservoirs	145	140	Milngavie	Public Parks and Gardens	123.2327991	78%	B	Generally attractive and well maintained, Potential to upgrade old and mismatched benches	91.30434783	A	Reservoir with excellent path network running around the perimeter, with plenty of benches and bins. Some of the grassland banks have a diverse range of wildflowers and there are scattered trees and areas of woodland. Car parking area (largely disabled spaces) and toilets with disabled access. Interpretation sign and bins and benches by car park, with flower bed planted with wildflowers. Memorial drinking fountain and plaque.	Yes
Langfaulds Cemetery	146	141	Bearsden	Cemetery	4.176843213	86%	A	Modern cemetery. Well maintained.	74.54545455	B	Medium sized cemetery which is well spaced out. Plenty of space for site to be used for many years. One access point with signage at entrance. Lots of benches and litter bins. Only a small amount of litter. Boundary of site is overgrown but main site is well maintained with short cut grass.	Yes
New Kilpatrick Cemetery	147	142	Bearsden	Cemetery	4.879886798	80%	A	Well cared for cemetery with historical interest due to the Antonine Wall.	78.94736842	B	Large cemetery with one main entrance. Variety of planting and mature trees. Wide tarmac paths suitable for vehicles although a little uneven. Litter bins scattered across the site.	Yes
Cadder Cemetery	148	143	Bishopbriggs	Cemetery	8.949495327	93%	A	Generally well maintained, appropriate facilities, mature trees, some scope for greater biodiversity and improved wayfinding	70	B		Yes

Strathkelvin Railway Path	149	144	Lennoxton	Green Corridor	12.83508805	78%	B	Linear active travel route well used by users of a range of ages. Small damages to tarmac by roots or recent maintenance which needs repair. Potential for lighting at signage points. Edging and asphalt in good condition. Through MoC station refurbishment in 2013-14. Well kept and has a bench in the shape of a steam train denoting the history. Good wayfinding and signage with illustrative board. Could improve with low level lighting Part through Lennox castle hospital rest site: Metal hole (as though old bollard removed) in middle of path is a trip and puncture hazard	84.34782609	A	Cycle and pedestrian route with multiple access points, plenty of bin bags and varied and interesting seating. Directional signage at all key access points. The access point at Milton of Campsie is exemplary with formal planting and sculpture.	Yes
Strathkelvin Railway Path	150	145	Lenzie	Green Corridor	6.542955308	83%	A	Well used, entrances not clearly marked, waymarking signage old and in need of upgrade, path generally good and pleasant	71.30434783	B	The path is a wide tarmac path which is in good condition all the way along. It is mainly bordered by woodland. Where the path crosses the main road the curbs are not lowered which makes it difficult for bikes, especially children's bikes. Where the path crosses the railway track (going under the bridge) there is no directional signage to show how to get back onto the railway path. Directional signage is lacking although there is some there. There is only one bench along the whole stretch of the path.	Yes
Cromalt Crescent OS	151	146	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	1.006721936	68%	C	Large potential for wildflower and seating areas in what is a large mown grass area.	68.75	C	Area of short mown grassland with some young trees situated between housing and a main road. Shrubs border the road. No facilities on site.	No
Forth & Clyde Canal, Twechar	152	147	Twechar	Green Corridor	0.919198824	64%	C	Tarmac surfaced path but very narrow even for 2 people walking side by side. Approx 1m wide. This path is part of the national cycle network. Path is fenced from street side providing no escape points to vulnerable users. Currently no space for any facilities. Trees with Ash dieback are outside the site boundary. Due to limited space only bins and potentially benches would be expected for resting. More information about the historic, architectural and archaeological importance of the canal required	76.19047619	B	A cycling and pedestrian linear route following the canal. Good quality paths and informational signage at the bridge relating to its history. Good quality fence separating the path from the road.	Yes
Kelvin Valley Way	153	148	Milton of Campsie	Green Corridor	4.006960934	60%	C	Issues of accessibility. Route goes through dense overgrown mound that is inaccessible. Detour taken along a well used informal path that merges onto a lane	51	D	Virtually inaccessible or hard to access path with the lack of welcoming signage.	Yes
Kelvin Valley Way, Torrance	155	149	Torrance	Green Corridor	0.499919118	74%	B	Connecting path through the village with some play space associated. Good lighting and bin provision, generally well kept. Signage could be improved. Planting includes some woodland and shrubs, but a lot of bramble/nettle also which is restricting diversity and value.	68.33333333	C	Linear pedestrian corridor running through wooded valley and more open areas with housing surrounding. Provision of litter and dog bins. Small children's play area. Historic drinking fountain and war memorial where the path crosses the road.	Yes
Cadder, Bishopbriggs	156	150	Bishopbriggs	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	13.78383274	62%	C	Some fly tipping and Japanese knotweed spotted. Also some graffiti, but limited to shipping containers. Very diverse meadow species.	81.11111111	A		Yes
Brackenbrae Open Space	157	151	Bishopbriggs	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.621868267	80%	A	Red line does not include southern tip for some reason.	70	B	Large grass area with numerous mature trees and one narrow tarmac path with two bins and street lights. One end of the park has no entrance or exit points no directional signage or welcome signs. Clean and tidy.	Yes
Allan Glen's Sports Club	158	152	Bishopbriggs	Sports Areas	3.956182905	85%	A	Private sports facility. Limited access. This may have been mislabelled on the map, as Loretto Playing Fields is elsewhere. This is known as 'Allan Glen Sports Club'.	Not assessed	Not assessed	Not assessed	Yes

Mosshead Park	159	153	Bearsden	Public Parks and Gardens	1.100422638	88%	A	Well used play area with good connections. Potential for wildflower areas.	74.7826087	B	Medium sized park with large children's play area. Equipment in play area needs updating and some has graffiti on it. Main path is wide and has lighting. Grounds are well maintained with some young trees. Litter bins and benches scattered across the site.	Yes
Cairnhill Woods South	160	154	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	0.520412915	87%	A	Mature woodland area that appears to be a popular route for locals - with some residents having their own gated access from their rear gardens.	68.88888889	C	Small area of woodland with one path running through. Welcome sign at entrance. No facilities. Some litter, no dog fouling present.	Yes
Milngavie Precinct	161	155	Milngavie	Civic Space	0.770084255	90%	A	Mix of furniture, most in good condition. Some require additional maintenance or repair.	90	A	Civic space in central shopping area with formal planting, excellent signage, numerous benches, litter bins, lighting, small children's play area, war memorial and clock/sculpture. Very well maintained and welcoming.	No
Daisy Field, Rosehill Road	162	156	Torrance	Amenity Greenspace	2.529663227	84%	A	Good connections through village, well maintained - scruffy wild habitat on one side and strummed grass on the other. Play equipment is tired but benches and bins in good condition. Some dog foul	72.72727273	B	Linear amenity green space with good quality hard surface path for the majority of its length. Generally well overlooked by housing. Small unfenced children's play area in decent condition but equipment is rather dated. Litter bins and dog bins present in main areas adjacent to housing. Evidence of active management for biodiversity with attractive annual meadow flowers planted alongside path. Large area of amenity grass adjacent to park is rendered less functionally useful due to the steep slope.	Yes
Regent Gardens O.S.	163	157	Kirkintilloch	Civic Space	0.13713509	91%	A	Some bird droppings on the benches - improved maintenance opportunities. Chewing gums presence on few wall. Maintenance required	96.52173913	A	Attractive civic space with variety of formal planting, good quality seating and community notice board. Directional signage and map. Well managed paths and clean site.	No
Broomhill Depot Walkway	165	158	Kirkintilloch	Green Corridor	1.828234809	51%	D	Hidden access point, signage at access is obscured by overgrown vegetation, very narrow path in places. Overgrown path edges.	60	C	Green access route surrounding industrial estate with footpath signage from the main road and high-quality access gate. The site is primarily mown grass although there is a decent variety of flora along the path.	Yes
McCabe Gardens	166	159	Lennoxtown	Amenity Greenspace	0.36903157	63%	C	Communal space connecting fronts of houses. Mown grass for the majority. Indirect lighting from the street lamps on the road. Area to the west end of the west section turns into dense scrub and trees preventing access on foot.	70	B	Roadside amenity which is mainly grass with a handful of mature trees.	Yes
Meiklehill Park	167	160	Kirkintilloch	Amenity Greenspace	0.225379614	62%	C	Amenity grass only. Lack of trees or shrubs. Site is very exposed and lacks interest and character. Site is overlooked and safe but not welcoming	74.54545455	B	Grass amenity with path separating it in the middle including lighting and a litter bin. Play area with modern equipment at the western end in use at time of audit.	Yes
Milngavie Library O.S.	168	161	Milngavie	Private Gardens or Grounds	0.468553142	56%	C	The space largely comprises of the library car park which is of relatively low quality (tarmac finish to car park, tarmac finish to pavement, no planting within the car park itself). Mature and semi-mature trees surround the car park on three sides. The understorey is predominantly grass, but in some areas is overgrown with bramble and other weeds. There is potential to establish seeded or shrub planting at a lower level to improve biodiversity. There are some concrete seats facing onto the adjacent water in Allander Park, however recreational functionality could also be increased on the site given the space available and connection to the library building. Lighting is present and the site experiences surveillance from the library building only.	61.73913043	C	Open space surrounding the library, largely consisting of hardstanding, with a carpark, and wide hardstanding paths/ civic space around the car park and pond. There are a number of stone benches, scattered trees and raised brick beds one of which is planted with trees and overgrown with grass, the other has no planting. Small community growing area next to the recycling bin. Shrub beds. Adjoins West Highland Way path, with access via steps. Well signposted and connected to wider green space network.	No
Merkland Local Nature Reserve	169	162	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	22.02025806	84%	A	Bins only at access points. No signage or wayfinding on access points. Lighting is not expected in this site. Site although welcome is not overlooked.	92.38095238	A	Exemplary local nature reserve with good quality surfaced paths and drainage. Welcoming signage on small boulders is that all entrance points and welcoming signage and information of signage at car park. Wooden carved animals throughout the site and incredible range of biodiversity.	No

Forth and Clyde Canal	170	163	Kirkintilloch	Green Corridor	6.92867472	73%	B	Well used green corridor. Various access points from residential areas but not all suitable for disabled access. Some accesses are only steps. Signage along the canal is good but not all access points have signage	92.72727273	A	Exceptional Sustrans cycle route with high quality parts website a number of access points. There is a marking signage along the route as well as historical informational signage. Benches where found are high quality and the route is very pleasant.	Yes
Campsie Drive	171	164	Milngavie	Public Parks and Gardens	0.140088205	73%	B	Playground i aged with some parts requiring repair. Park has been hit by storm damage with large fallen trees. Grass well kept but the boundaries are overgrown with bramble and fireweed. Potential for habitat improvements	80	A	Small site with a good quality childrens play area with a litter bin and a bench, scattered mature trees, hard surface path with access via steps on one side. Well-maintained site.	Yes
Lennox Castle Hospital Residential Site	172	165	Lennoxtown	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	11.94750521	83%	A	Could benefit from signage to the rail route from within the space and provision of benches at natural resting points. Path to Netherton Oval requires repair in places and edging is loose. Red line boundary not quite accurate to the west spur (it's over the river). This space has a very different feel to the main park area with no overlooking, dense woodland and some graffiti.	75.65217391	B	Accessible natural area with a woodland area and stream running through it. Good wide tarmac paths connecting both settlements which had lighting along it. Southern area was left unmanaged with two balancing ponds. Some litter bins and dog bins.	Yes
Harnett Wynd	173	166	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	4.476610074	98%	A	Good quality of place with range of biodiverse habitats and facilities.	87.82608696	A	New park with wide tarmac paths throughout. No directional signs, welcome signs or waymarks. Attractive tree and shrub planting throughout. Balancing ponds in centre make attractive wetlands which are good for biodiversity. There is a paved area for events. There is a brand-new fenced MUGA in excellent condition with adjoining shelter. There is a brand new playground with good range of play equipment for all ages of child. Grass is well maintained. Space has a welcoming feel and is nice and open for safety.	No
Hilton Park	174	167	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	1.05457069	84%	A	Potential to introduce more planting interest and biodiversity	75	B	Well maintained amenity greenspace which contains two dog bins. There are no other facilities on site. There are numerous mature and semi-mature trees on site. Grass is well maintained. Easy access from all sides. There is a stream which adds to the biodiversity on one side of the site.	Yes
The Leisuredrome	175	168	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	2.687322195	48%	D	Some potential signs of Ash dieback west of the playground. Large hedges around paths close to play are overgrown and does not feel safe. Due to lack of natural surveillance the play area is unlikely to be well used, as does not feel welcoming.	64.34782609	C	Park contains large grass areas which are rather boggy and contain reeds which restrict some activities. There are some good areas for biodiversity including scrub, rough grassland and marsh areas. There is some attractive shrub planting and trees of varying ages. No welcome signs or information at entrances so park is hard to find unless you know it is here. There is no access from Westfields, which seems strange as this is where all the houses are. Playground is in good condition with a good range of equipment, Except for area of impact flooring where the flooring is in poor condition. Entrances do not feel very welcoming. No dog bin. Paths are looking scruffy around playground area. No lighting.	Yes
James Boyle	176	169	Milton of Campsie	Amenity Greenspace	0.59892096	63%	C	Step access to railway path required repair. Wooden goal posts in decent condition. A mown desire line connects a house gate to the railway path but only other informal desire line is between the estate cul de sac and railway path. One dog litter bin provided	65.71428571	C	Amenity with informal football and relatively overgrown grass which feels quite neglected. Dog bin at single entrance.	No
Craigdhu Road	177	170	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	1.673602364	48%	D	Large field blocked off by fencing on all sides. Could not find any access points and it appears completely unused. Missed opportunity for recreational space and/or enhanced biodiversity.	55	C	Site is currently a field which has begun to become overgrown by weeds. There is a stream along the southern edge which has a broken fence. There is one entrance point through a development site. Unattractive feel. No parking signs benches bins or other facilities. Some scattered litter.	Yes

Langmuir Rd OS	178	171	Kirkintilloch	Amenity Greenspace	0.543284581	52%	D	Site is a large planted verge. It has opp for benches, bins and ornamental planting. Only 2 designated accesses. The other two are just gaps on the fence. One of them leads to a T junction and feels unsafe. It could be blocked by reinstating the fence. The access to the SE could be designed properly as well as a path that leads there.	74.73684211	B	Medium sized amenity green space consisting of grass with mature trees bordering the edges. One wide tarmac path connecting residential area. No facilities.	Yes
East Garngaber	179	172	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	0.42524395	83%	A	Small amenity greenspace with playground, some path areas in need of upgrading, some disturbance due to construction (pipework or cable?) in progress . Some mature Ash present	77.39130435	B	Well-maintained park with excellent childâ€™s play area. Play area is over impact flooring and all equipment is new and in excellent condition, good play value for a range of ages. There are three litter bins. Access points are welcoming, but there are no welcome signs or directional signs. There is a good quality tarmac path through centre of site. No planting, but trees border the site. Grass is in good condition and well maintained.	Yes
Millersneuk Avenue	180	173	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	0.246232133	60%	C	Small site no facilities dead trees	83.33333333	A	Attractive amenity with paved path running through middle of site. Mature and semi mature trees around border of sight, although some trees are dying. There is a dog bin. Grass is well maintained and in good condition. There is rough grassland around border of site under the trees.	Yes
Coronation Gardens	181	174	Lenzie	Amenity Greenspace	0.134972375	92%	A	One dead and two unhealthy trees Community garden and war memorial with attractive planting and high quality furniture	91.57894737	A	Attractive memorial gardens with good quality tarmac parts throughout. There are two little bins and two benches both in excellent condition. Attractive flower beds and tree planting. Grass is in excellent condition. Welcoming feel.	No
Pitmedden Road	182	175	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.368388153	86%	A	Generally well maintained, with good facilities, some scope for greater biodiversity and wayfinding	76.19047619	B	Newly created amenity green space adjacent to new housing development next to busy road. Good access from all sides via wide footpaths and tarmac footpaths. Well maintained grass with newly planted trees in good condition. Some scattered litter through outside despite 1 litter bin. No dog bin. Childs play space has good play value for toddlers and very young children only. Equipment in excellent condition which is well fenced and over impact flooring.	Yes
Kirkintilloch Road	183	176	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.33118215	85%	A	Generally well maintained, Scope to improve biodiversity and planting interest	65.88235294	C	Patch of grass with semi mature trees around edge. No facilities. Grass is long and scruffy. No facilities such as benches or bins. Accessed via adjoining natural green space.	Yes
New Kilpatrick	184	177	Bearsden	Cemetery	0.75809438	82%	A	Well cared for church grounds in historic part of the village.	88.69565217	A	Cemetery attached the church within the town centre. Two vehicle access points and two pedestrian access points. Cemetery is bordered by mature trees and has a couple of benches on site. Site is well signposted and has no litter or graffiti.	No
Ledi Drive	185	178	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	0.204595875	64%	C	Very basic space with little interest. Only really of use for immediate residents. Some potential for more tree planting or meadow area.	70	B	Site consists of short mown grass located between housing. Access points connects residential housing via path running alongside southern boundary. Path has lighting and is tarmaced. No facilities or planting.	Yes
St Andrews Drive	186	179	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	0.97683856	60%	C	One accessible point - up the high point for viewing. Remaining area is inaccessible due to very steep and narrow slopes.	83.33333333	A	Site is a hilly grass bank situated between housing. A small gravel path leads to the top of the hill and round the edge. Lots of diverse planting and a dog litter bin. One formal entrance which is wide and made of gravel. No facilities.	Yes
Alva Gardens	187	180	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	0.335304875	71%	B	Very basic transitory spaces. Potential for more tree planting and meadow areas.	69	C	Small area of grassland between housing. Footpaths cross the site connecting residential areas and have good lighting, although paths are uneven. Site has some planting although of poor quality. The grass is half cut with areas of longer grass. No facilities.	Yes
Alston Gardens	188	181	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	0.540193303	86%	A	Very manicured area with a nice pond.	93.33333333	A	Site consists of short mown grass with mixture of ages of trees and a pond. Wide tarmac paths with lighting link residential areas. Lots of variety in the planting especially with the pond. One dog bin.	No

Graham Drive	189	182	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.355088379	58%	C	Site consists of three spaces which all lack purpose. Some shrub planting and maintained grass. Access to plots via grass track. Spaces should be considered for their functionality or encouraged as improved habitat.	54.44444444	D	Three discrete areas of short mown amenity grass. The central one has shrub planting and provision of a litter bin. The other has an area of hardstanding where there used to be a play area but now it is overgrown and covered in broken glass. The final space has signs of being used by children, with goalposts and home made dens. That a small amounts of litter across all three sites.	Yes
Lyle Sq. O.S.	190	183	Milngavie	Amenity Greenspace	0.19542051	70%	B	Well maintained, little to no habitat value or functionality	60	C	Short mown amenity grass surrounded by housing. Some litter in grass.	Yes
Chestnut Lane	191	184	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	4.881986601	51%	D	Some areas of this site which we visited were very disconnected, informal routes only and no clear entrances or sense of direction. The natural landscape is very pleasant and diverse but access and maintenance are an issue in some parts. As a result, spaces are being misused.	65	C	Linear wooded walking route with river and stream habitats, directional signage and hard surfaced path in varying condition.	Yes
Auchendavie Road	192	185	Kirkintilloch	Amenity Greenspace	2.638740085	78%	B	Site accessible only from the south. Not all access points are accessible or well maintained. The access points to the north are not safe as they lead to a road with no footway. The site is a large planted buffer zone between houses and the road with mature trees and a path. The path is park of the core path network but there is no directional signage to lead you to the canal.	73.63636364	B	Amenity has well maintained grass in good condition. Good tarmac path runs along river. Good directional signage and plenty of access points. Margins have trees and scrub .	No
Park Avenue	193	186	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.75598399	74%	B	Some graffiti on walls and bins. Play area in need of upgrade (however this was not assessed in the criteria).	37.39130435	E	Very dated playground which is covered in litter and there is a melted plastic bin here. No signage at any entrances or within the site giving directions or welcome. Grass area is in good condition. No planting. Sign post at one of the entrances has had all the signs broken off. Site feels very scruffy and unwelcoming.	Yes
Campsie Glen	194	187	None	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	20.74926102	81%	A	Wayfinding signage to the south entrance has been vandalised. Main asphalt path becomes overgrown but in general good condition before turning into an upland type rocky path. Steep muddy path prevented further exploration towards the car park. Signs of camp fires. Path between Campsie Glen car park and waterfalls shows signs of degradation, repair would improve access. River is accessible in a number of places but there are connected habitat areas of wet meadow.	68.57142857	C	Site has good access from two main points. One is a carpark with some directional signage and one large bin. There is some graffiti on warning signs and wooden posts. There are piles of litter in some of the beauty spots such as the waterfalls and in some of the woodland. The path to the east running along the thin part of the site is very narrow and hard to navigate. There are two main paths which are either gravel or tarmac and good quality. All other paths are muddy and narrow. There are two noticeboards at the car park at the top of the site. There was one noticeboard at the entrance in the south of the site which was in poor condition and needs replacing.	Yes
Glenorchard Wood	195	188	None	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	18.59979601	74%	B	Very attractive woodland. Numerous informal paths , some of which overgrown. Challenging access in areas. No wayfinding or signage. No bins, benches or lighting, but due to the nature of the space they may not be appropriate.	60	C	Large attractive site with woodland and grassland habitats. Excellent biodiversity value. Accessibility is not clear, with a number of very informal access points but no clear paths, signage, or way marking.	Yes
Schoenstadt	196	189	None	Private Gardens or Grounds	10.45933363	83%	A	Of the three entry points indicated on the northern boundary, only the middle is a point of access through a set of metal double gates. The woodland walk runs along the east of the site. There is uplift in the asphalt path and the area is not visible for natural surveillance but given the nature of the grounds feels safe. There is an area with planters and bee keeping but fenced off. There is new seating around the shrine. There is provision of a dog litter bin along the woodland walk.	85	A	Beautifully landscaped park with excellent paths and bridges. Well signposted. Welcoming entrance gates at north and south. Good directional signage to woodland walk. Good quality planting around religious structures. Small bridge over stream in north-west corner of site could do with replacing as it could limit access to this part of the site.	No

Baldernock Cemetery	197	190	None	Cemetery	0.564013717	88%	A	Cemetery is well cared for, stepped access on one side but with a handhold provided. Benches and bins provided in good condition.	88.18181818	A	Cemetery and churchyard with hard surfaced paths, benches and litter bins. Attractive flower planting around outside of cemetery wall. Well-maintained.	No
Castleview	198	191	None	Amenity Greenspace	0.115507594	85%	A	Small field with old goal posts. Local use and play. Dog walking but clean space. Ankle length evidence of mowing perhaps a couple of weeks ago.	71.30434783	B	Small amenity green space with informal football pitch and small children's play area. One access point from housing. Infrastructure in good condition, play area has a bench and bin. There is signage and a community notice board.	Yes
Brackenbrae House	199	192	Bishopbriggs	Amenity Greenspace	0.560021617	87%	A	Some invasive rhododendron. Setting for a publicly accessible building. Old bench components still present and need to be removed.	82.1	A	Attractive amenity with scattered mature trees throughout. Grass underneath trees is in very good condition. There are good quality parts leading to the centre. There are three benches but two of which have no seating would so are not usable. Attractive feel to site with some shrub planting. No bins or signage. But these may not be needed	No
Queens View	200	193	Torrance	Amenity Greenspace	0.394415163	74%	B	Most of the site fenced off around the stream and allowed to grow wild. The path is in moderate condition and is fully accessible. Good connections through the village although somewhat unappealing at the back of properties and no surveillance. Lighting is provided but no signage.	79.09	B	Small patches of amenity grassland beside river with tarmac path in very good condition which is street lit all the way along. There are litter bins. There is attractive tree and shrub planting. There is a picnic bench but it is broken. Attractive amenity with a nice feel, if a little small.	No
Between Chryston Rd & Luggie Water	201	194	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	4.710117509	42%	E	Opportunity for resting points and seating. Bins and wayfinding opportunities. Narrow path and uneven surfaced. Litter on path but probably related to the construction site	73.68	B	Mixture of woodland and grassland. Good quality gravel path in west of site, mud/grass paths Through the rest of the site. One directional sign post. No welcome signs, bins or other signage. Nice natural feel with nice views and there is a bench at the top of the hill. The Woodlands at the east end of the site have lots of litter and fly tipping.	Yes
Dougalston Loch/Estate	202	195	Milngavie	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	15.45805949	74%	B	Prey area of bog, woodland and meadow habitat. Diverse attractive landscape, one main path through which is in okay condition. Some dog foul present. No signage	80	A	Large site consisting of several habitats such as woodland grassland stream marsh. Attractive sites. Parts are good quality gravel sometimes a little narrow and there are patches of March but generally very good. Bridges are in excellent condition. There is a nice open feeling about lots of the site but also some woodland. Low levels of litter. No vandalism. No signage at entrances or throughout Site. Excellent biodiversity value.	Yes
Westerton Canal Locks	203	196	Bearsden	Green Corridor	11.11032003	76%	B	A nice atmosphere however the connections between the footbridge and the towpath could have been more direct. A real lack of litter bins - a problem that someone has tried to solve with hung plastic bags (as pictured). Picnic benches could be installed next to the locks.	60.95	C	The site mainly consists of a canal tow path. There is litter strewn throughout the site which gives it an unattractive and untidy feel. There is graffiti on most of the locks and most benches. The path is tarmac and in very good condition. High biodiversity value in the locks. Some directional signage. No welcome signage.	Yes
Waterside Park	204	197	Kirkintilloch	Public Parks and Gardens	3.290117075	79%	B	New school and associated landscaped areas, wetland and amenity space with raised planters and seating. Only two entry points into the site. SW entry point doesn't exist. Entrances are easily identified, lack of wayfinding.	70.43478261	B	Park with full size football pitch and junior informal pitch. There is a container at the eastern boundary and stepped access at the north eastern boundary. The grass is well maintained.	No
Woodilee Natural Greenspace	205	198	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	24.10849253	62%	C	Some entrances have steps only and one is blocked by overgrown vegetation. Soft maintenance, directional signage, information boards and better maintenance of paths is recommended. The site could be split up in few parts and studied separately.	91.30434783	A	Brand-new amenity with very good attractive diverse planting. New play equipment and two MUGAs. Playgrounds have a good play value. Grass well maintained and in good condition woodland area is attractive and parts are white throughout. Most paths tarmac. There is no directional signage on site bar two signs. The far north section of the site is inaccessible due to it being a very steep slope and a field with horses in.	Yes
Woodilee Amenity Greenspace	206	199	Kirkintilloch	Amenity Greenspace	3.469041003	62%	C	The site needs to be split up in two parcels as they have a different character and needs. The north parcel scores high but could be improved by providing benches and signage. The south parcel by the railway line has an informal path, trail through the woods. A proper path could be provided and soft maintenance is required.	91.30434783	A	Brand-new amenity with very good attractive diverse planting. New play equipment and two MUGAs. Playgrounds have a good play value. Grass well maintained and in good condition woodland area is attractive and parts are white throughout. Most paths tarmac. There is no directional signage on site bar two signs. The far north section of the site is inaccessible due to it being a very steep slope and a field with horses in.	Yes

Kilmardinny (North)	216	200	Bearsden	Amenity Greenspace	1.58	87%	A	Varied green space with lots of features. The boardwalk does however pose an issue due to some localised steep sections - which would not be ideal for wheelchairs or prams.	Not assessed	Not assessed	Not assessed	Yes
Broomhill Hospital Site 1	218	201	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	14.2	50%	D	Opportunities for a better quality path as it's part of the core network. Natural green space otherwise	Not assessed	Not assessed	Not assessed	Yes
Broomhill Hospital Site 2	219	202	Kirkintilloch	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	1.6	53%	D	No distinct path. It could remain a green undisturbed place to encourage biodiversity.	Not assessed	Not assessed	Not assessed	Yes
Loretto Playing Fields	220	203	Bishopbriggs	Sports Areas	3.915034	60%	C	Road into car park has huge potholes.	61.9047619	C	Sports pitches are well maintained and in good condition. Rugby posts are looking old and rusty. There is a grandstand for spectators but it is derelict and falling down with the danger keep out sign on it. The clubhouse and facilities are looking old and dated. Entrances have rusty old gates and are not very welcoming.	No
Kilmardinny Loch Local Nature Reserve	221	204	Bearsden	Natural/Semi-Natural Green Space	10.624773	89%	A	Brambles management along south west loch edge in woodland could be managed and broken up to support greater species diversity. Brambles and nettles growing around the Local Nature Reserve stone should be cleared to re-centre the stone as a feature of the site. Dead hedges make an attractive habitat and landscape feature. Lots of fungi and lichen that could be assessed separately. Shrub bed at Thomson Dr should be replaced with more suitable planting to create an attractive entrance feature. Rhododendron INNS along Thomson Dr entrance path.	Not assessed	Not assessed	Not assessed	Yes
West Highland, Milngavie	222	205	Milngavie	Green Corridor	1.335846	77%	B	Overlaps with park. Route very well used, - path was veryr wide and clear although terrain makes some parts less accessible . Persistent graffiti. No lighting present for the most part although it would perhaps be inappropriate to most of the route.	94.16666667	A	Part of the West Highland Way route, excellent quality path with regular directional signage and way markers. The path closest to Milngavie town has lighting, more formal planting and good information signage, and regular provision of benches and litter bins (although also has some litter), and the further away the more biodiverse, tranquil and natural the route becomes.	Yes
Allander Park	223	206	Milngavie	Public Parks and Gardens	38.469462	78%	B	Some benches and bins in poor condition. evidence of graffiti. Paths accessible up to a point, handrails provided at entrance ramps. Some thresholds could be made more accessible. Lighting at entrance only.	86.95652174	A	Large open space with a diversity of habitats including woodland, moorland, grassland wetland habitats, scattered trees, river and stream habitats. Excellent way-marked path net network (including the West Highland Way) with provision of benches along the route, and sculptures. Generally very natural in character with high biodiversity value, although the area closest to the town is more urban with provision of lighting, more bins, benches and more formal planting (and litter). The amenity grass area adjacent to Clober Road is very attractive and well maintained, with a meandering stream running through its centre, divided from the woodland by the river.	Yes



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