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Dear

## **ATISN 26828 EIR request: Glastir Woodland Opportunity Maps (2018)**

### **Information requested**

Thank you for your request which I received on 17 March 2026. You asked for:

- Component scoring layers and weighted scorings for
  - Nitrate Vulnerable Zones
  - Acid Sensitive Waterbodies/Catchments
  - Floodplain Woodland (or New Floodplain and Riparian Woodland)
- Sensitivities spatial data layers

To note, is that the scoring layers from 2018 were the same scoring layers included in 2015 and therefore, the first half of this request is fulfilled in ATISN 26809 (furthermore, the Acid Sensitive Catchments dataset which you have requested, was included in the WOM 2015 as a guidance layer, not a scoring layer, and so the hyperlink provided to you in EIR ATISN 26742 provides the full dataset included in the 2015/2018 map).

The updated sensitivities from 2018 have been packaged and will be provided to you.

### **Our response**

The information you requested is enclosed via Objective Connect (you will receive a link via email to download the data). The following datasets are within a folder as a spatial data zip file containing a shapefile:

- SensitivitiesMerge\_2018: This is a vector database, containing all sensitivities that were used within the woodland opportunities map in 2018.

### **Next steps**

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit,  
Welsh Government,  
Cathays Park,  
Cardiff,  
CF10 3NQ

or Email: [Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales](mailto:Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales)

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely