

APPENDIX 7.9

FIRLOUGH WIND FARM

Hinterland Survey Results, 2019-2021

PART A: WETLAND SURVEYS

Figures refer to total counts of single birds, seen or heard, within site

Colour code is after Gilbert et al. (2021) Birds of Conservation Concern in Ireland 4: 2020-2026

(Green list; Amber list; Red list)

LOUGH TALT - WINTER 2019 - 2020

Common Name	28/10/19	22/01/20	17/02/20
Little Grebe	3	1	2
Grey Heron	2	-	2
Cormorant	-	-	2
Mute Swan	4	2	2
Whooper Swan	3	-	-
Tufted Duck	5	-	2
Teal	-	-	7
Mallard	12	3	6
Moorhen	2	-	1
Lapwing	-	-	5
Snipe	-	2	-

LOUGH TALT - WINTER 2020 - 2021

Common Name	23/11/20	28/01/21	28/02/21
Little Grebe	2	-	4
Grey Heron	1	2	4
Cormorant	3	-	-
Mute Swan	5	3	4
Whooper Swan	-	-	-
Tufted Duck	3	4	4
Teal	4	-	2
Mallard	9	4	6
Moorhen	1	-	2
Lapwing	-	-	-
Snipe	1	1	-

LOUGH TALT - SUMMER 2020

Common Name	16/04/20	16/06/20	26/07/20
Little Grebe	2	2	3
Grey Heron	-	-	1
Mute Swan	2	2	4
Tufted Duck	5	-	-
Teal	-	-	3
Mallard	4	8	10
Moorhen	1	3	3
Common Sandpiper	-	1	2

LOUGH TALT - SUMMER 2021

Common Name	29/04/21	25/05/21	22/06/21
Little Grebe	-	2	2
Grey Heron	1	-	2
Mute Swan	4	2	6
Tufted Duck	2	2	-
Teal	-	-	-
Mallard	7	11	12
Moorhen	2	2	4
Common Sandpiper	-	2	2

EASKY LOUGH - WINTER 2019 - 2020

Common Name	28/11/19	23/01/20	19/02/20
Little Grebe	1	-	1
Grey Heron	-	1	2
Cormorant	3	-	1
Mute Swan	1	-	2
Teal	4	-	2
Mallard	4	2	3
Moorhen	-	1	1

EASKY LOUGH - WINTER 2020 - 2021

Common Name	25/11/20	30/01/21	01/03/21
Little Grebe	-	-	2
Grey Heron	-	-	1
Cormorant	1	-	-
Mute Swan	3	1	1
Teal	2	5	2
Mallard	7	4	5
Moorhen	2	-	1

EASKY LOUGH - SUMMER 2020

Common Name	18/04/20	17/06/20	25/07/20
Little Grebe	2	-	1
Grey Heron	2	1	1
Mute Swan	2	2	1
Teal	-	3	1
Mallard	4	6	11
Moorhen	1	-	3
Common Sandpiper	-	1	1

EASKY LOUGH - SUMMER 2021

Common Name	28/04/21	26/05/21	22/06/21
Little Grebe	-	-	3
Grey Heron	-	1	2
Mute Swan	1	-	2
Teal	2	1	5
Mallard	7	10	5
Moorhen	2	2	1
Common Sandpiper	-	2	-

PART B: VANTAGE POINTS

Figures refer to total counts of single birds, seen or heard

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(Green list; Amber list; Red list)

LETTERUNSHIN - WINTER 2019 - 2020

Common Name	25/11/19	23/01/20	19/02/20
Grey Heron	-	-	1
Cormorant	3	-	-
Teal	-	-	-
Mallard	-	2	4
Sparrowhawk	-	-	-
Kestrel	-	-	2
Golden Plover	7	-	-

LETTERUNSHIN - WINTER 2020 - 2021

Common Name	25/11/20	30/01/21	01/03/21
Grey Heron	2	-	-
Cormorant	-	1	-
Teal	-	-	4
Mallard	2	-	2
Sparrowhawk	-	-	2
Kestrel	1	-	-
Golden Plover	-	-	-

LETTERUNSHIN - SUMMER 2020

Common Name	18/04/20	17/06/20	25/07/20
Grey Heron	-	-	1
Cormorant	1	-	-
Teal	-	-	-
Mallard	-	3	4
Sparrowhawk	1	-	-
Kestrel	-	-	1
Red Grouse	2	-	-

LETTERUNSHIN - SUMMER 2021

Common Name	28/04/21	26/05/21	21/06/21
Grey Heron	-	-	-
Cormorant	-	-	-
Teal	2	-	-
Mallard	4	-	2
Sparrowhawk	-	-	1
Kestrel	-	-	-
Red Grouse	-	-	-

BUNNYCONNELAN - WINTER 2019 – 2020

Common Name	28/10/19	22/01/20	17/02/20
Sparrowhawk	-	-	2
Peregrine	-	-	1
Kestrel	1	-	1
Red Grouse	-	-	2

BUNNYCONNELAN - WINTER 2010 – 2021

Common Name	24/11/20	28/01/21	27/02/21
Grey Heron	-	-	2
Sparrowhawk	1	-	-
Peregrine	-	-	-
Kestrel	2	1	-
Red Grouse	-	-	1

BUNNYCONNELAN - SUMMER 2020

Common Name	17/04/20	16/06/20	26/07/20
Grey Heron	-	-	1
Mute Swan	2	-	-
Sparrowhawk	-	-	1
Kestrel	1	1	-

BUNNYCONNELAN - SUMMER 2021

Common Name	29/04/21	25/05/21	22/06/21
Grey Heron	-	-	1
Mute Swan	-	-	-
Sparrowhawk	-	-	1
Kestrel	1	-	-