


Remapping, Reimagining



Mapping: Natural Heritage Areas
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Ireland, like so many places, is the ever evolving palimpsest of our ideas, beliefs, and uses.

Depending how we learn about and interact with each of the layers that make up this island, our understanding and connection to places can change. This project is exploring some of these intangible aspects to our landscape, and finding ways to make visible these often unnoticed layers.

Ireland has many habitats - however the one that is possibly the most important we have is often overlooked. It's estimated that Ireland is home to 60% of Europe's remaining active raised bogs, and are an incredibly diverse and important habitat.

Natural Heritage Areas are areas considered important for the habitats present or which holds species of plants and animals whose habitat needs protection.

These maps utilise the Special Protection Area Dataset:
data.gov.ie/dataset/natural-heritage-areas

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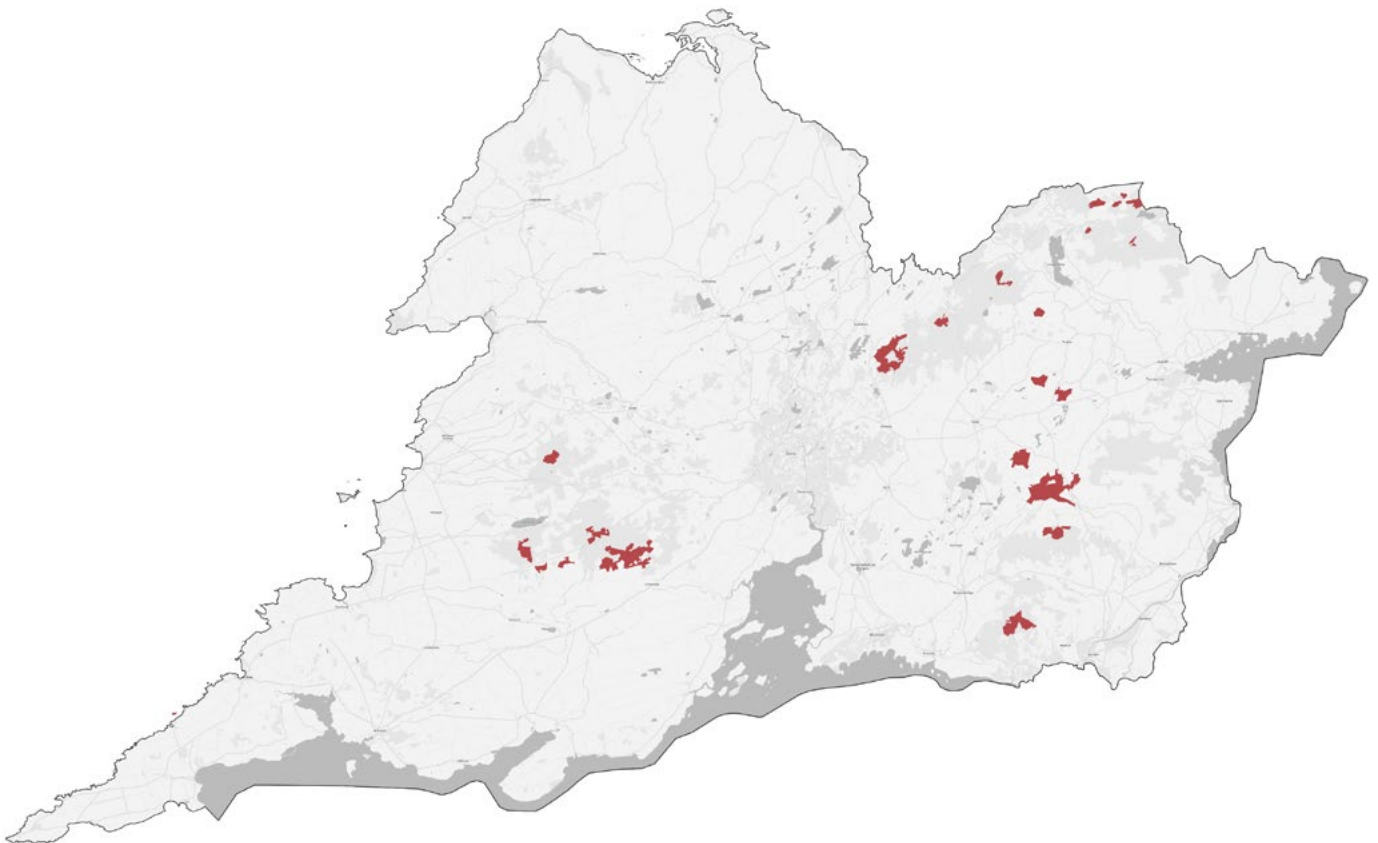
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Cavan

Sample of the qualifying interests for the Natural Heritage Area(s) of Cavan:
Peatlands

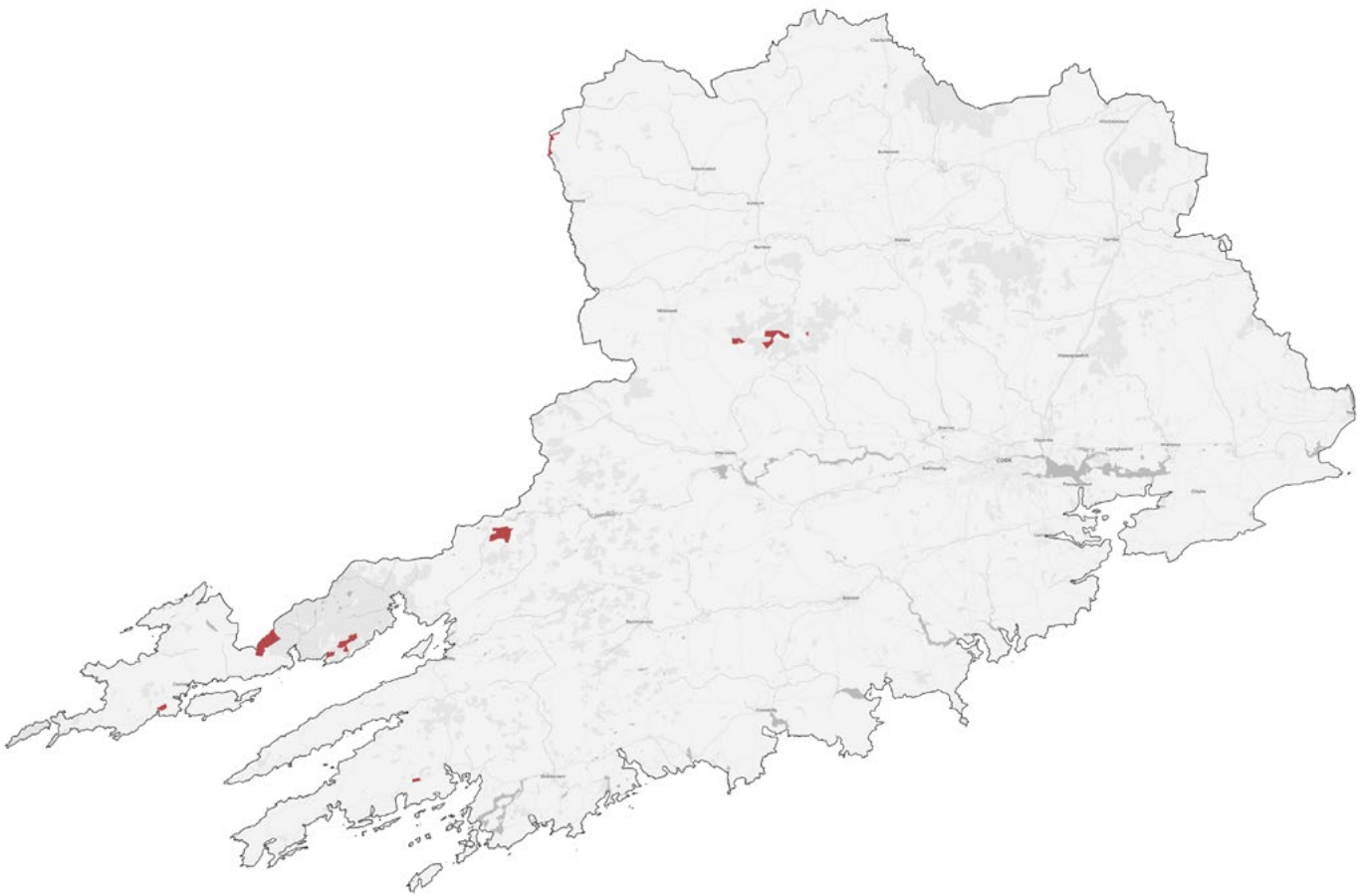
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Clare

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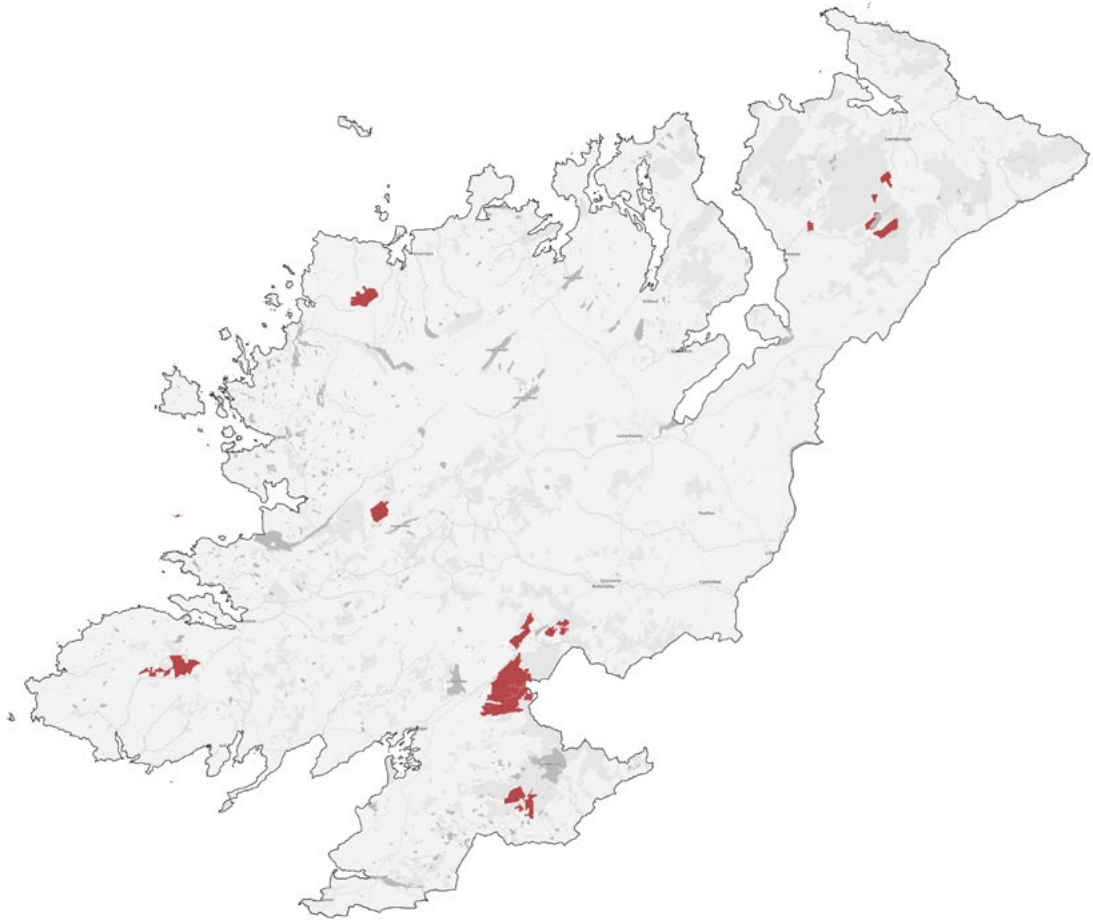
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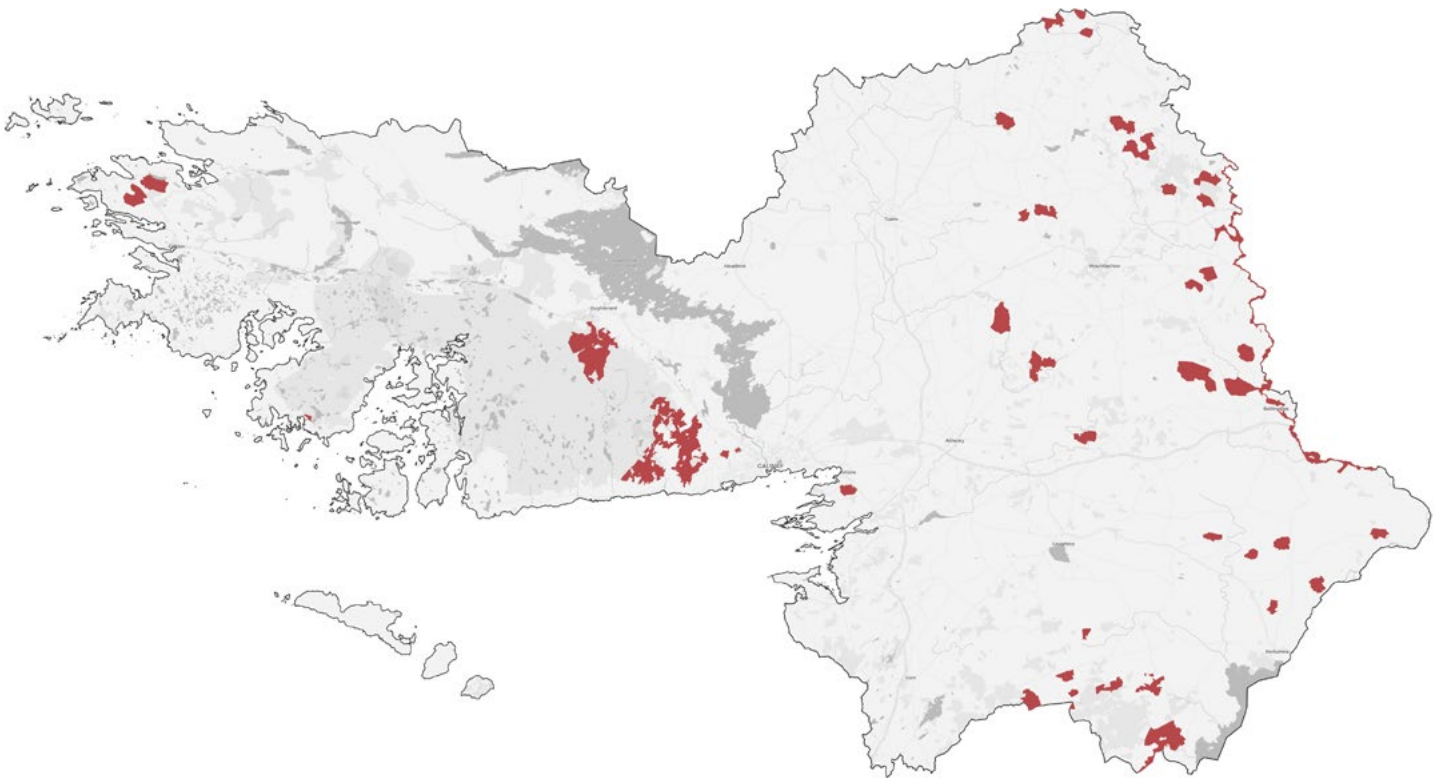
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Donegal

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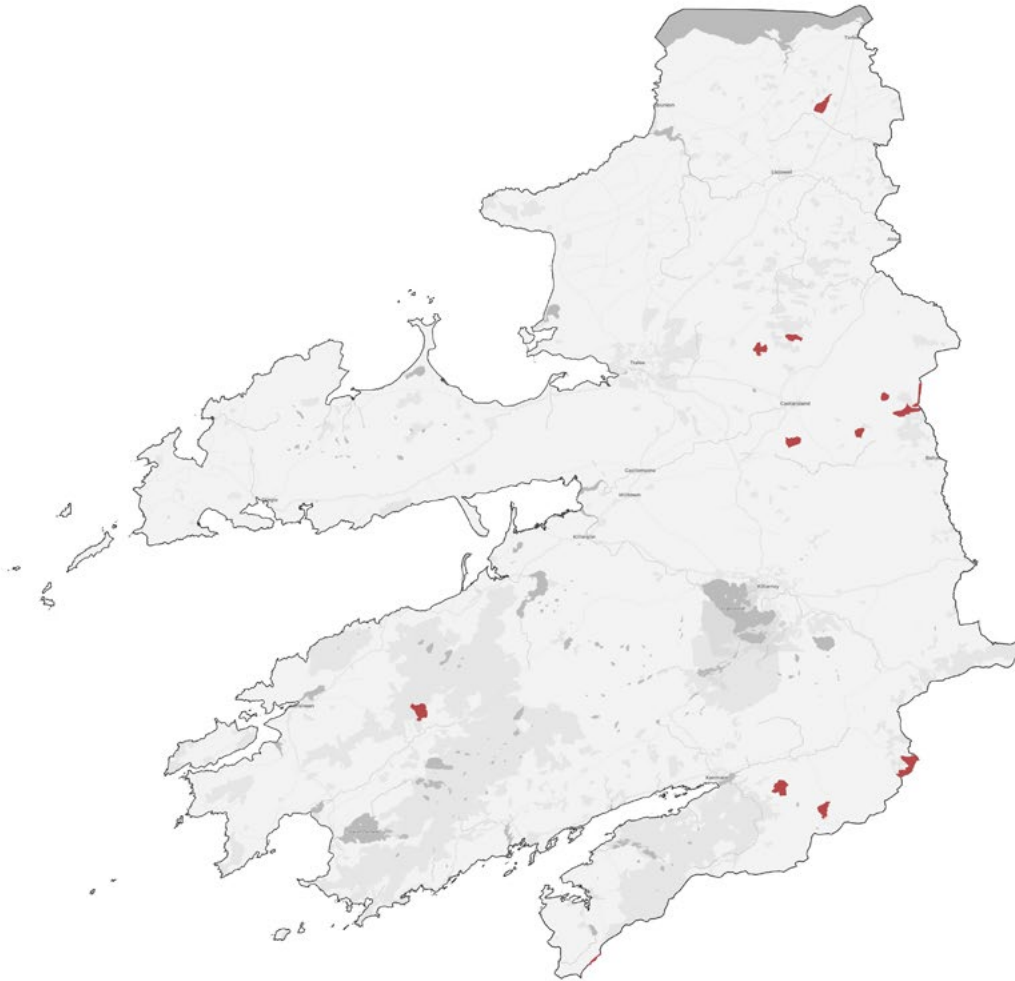
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Galway

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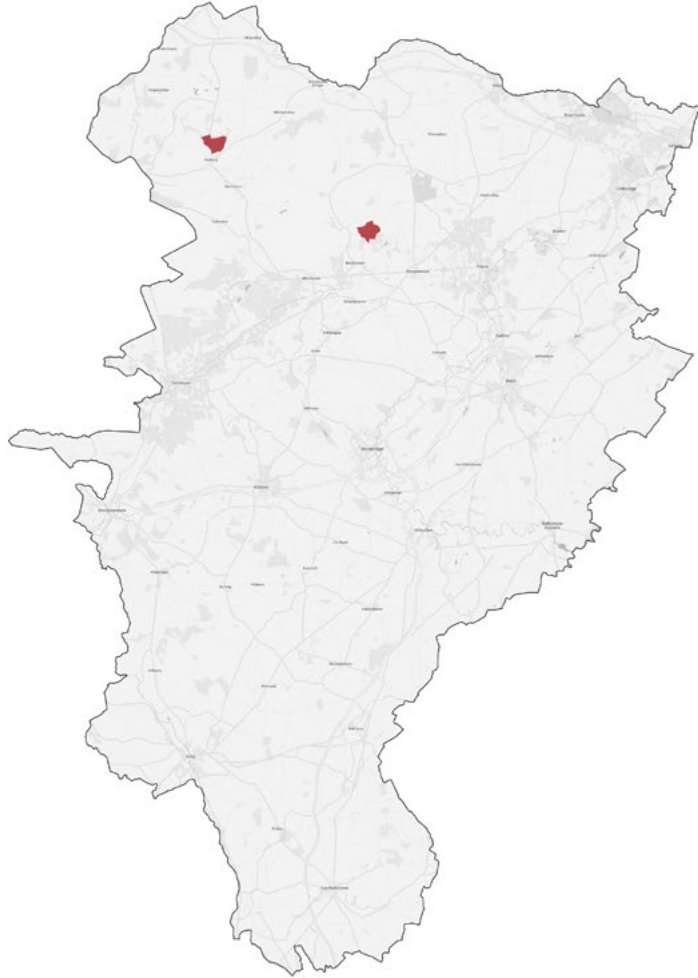
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Kerry

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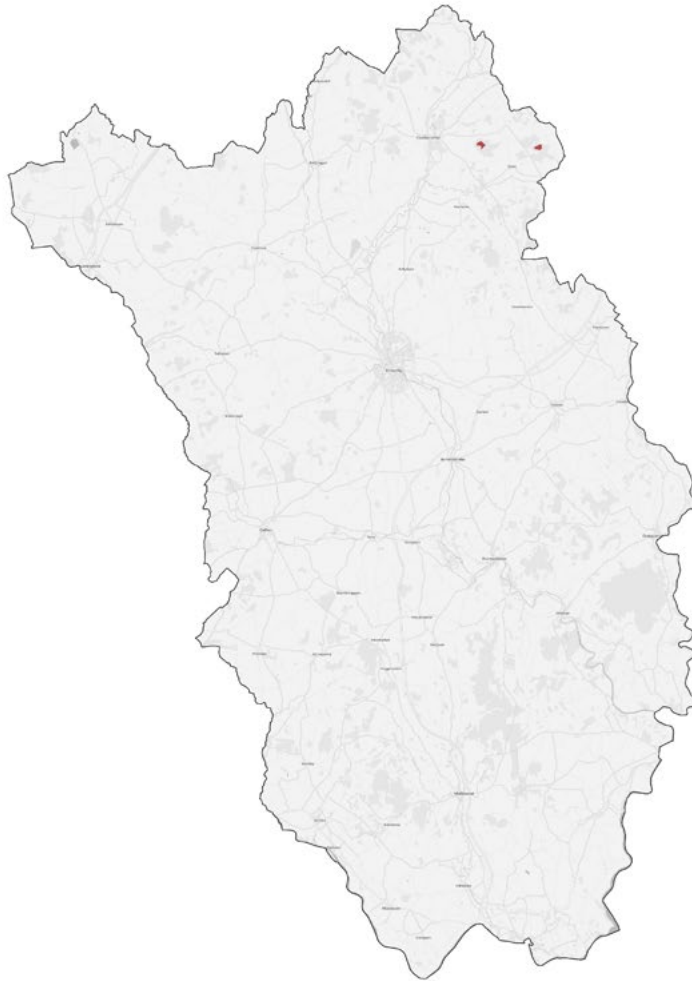
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Kildare

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Kilkenny

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Laois

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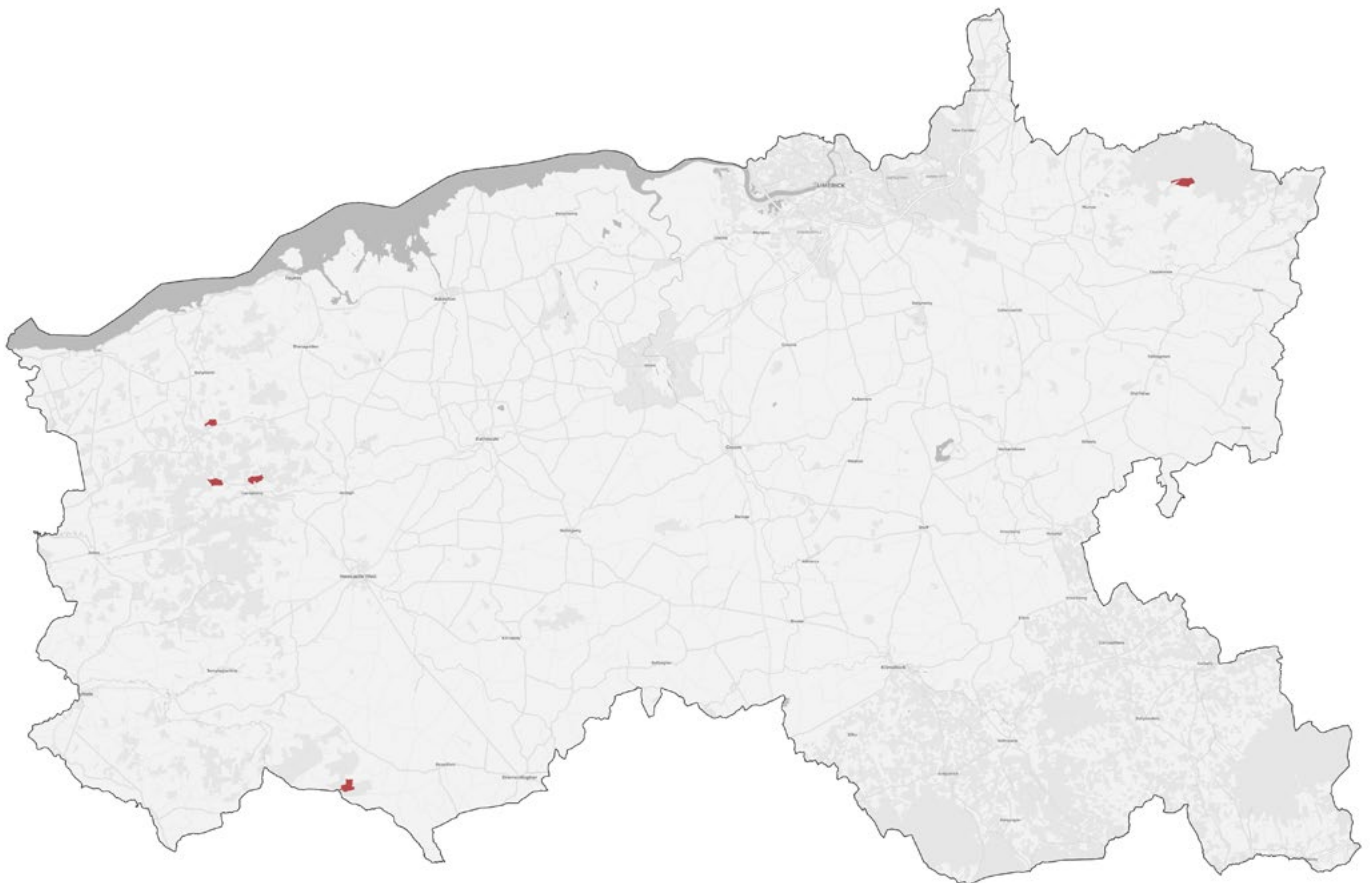
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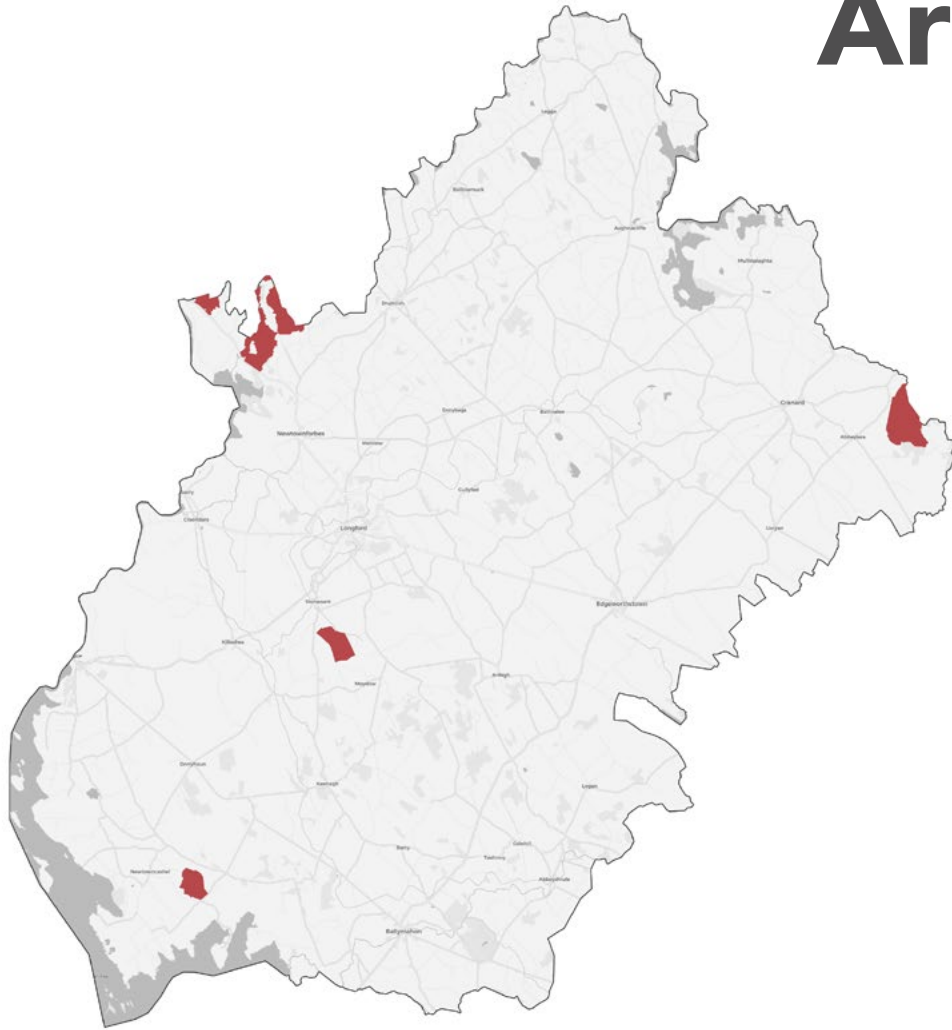
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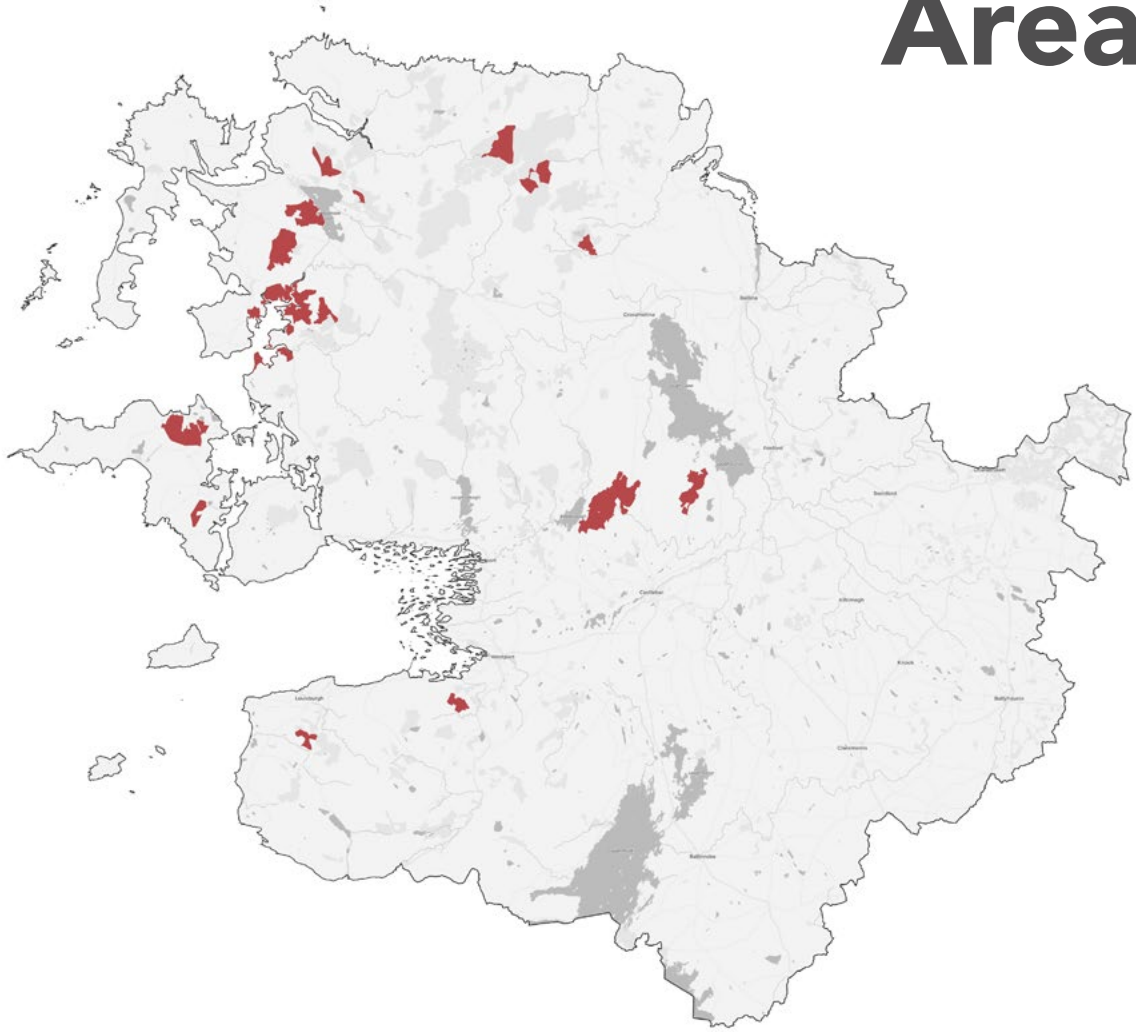
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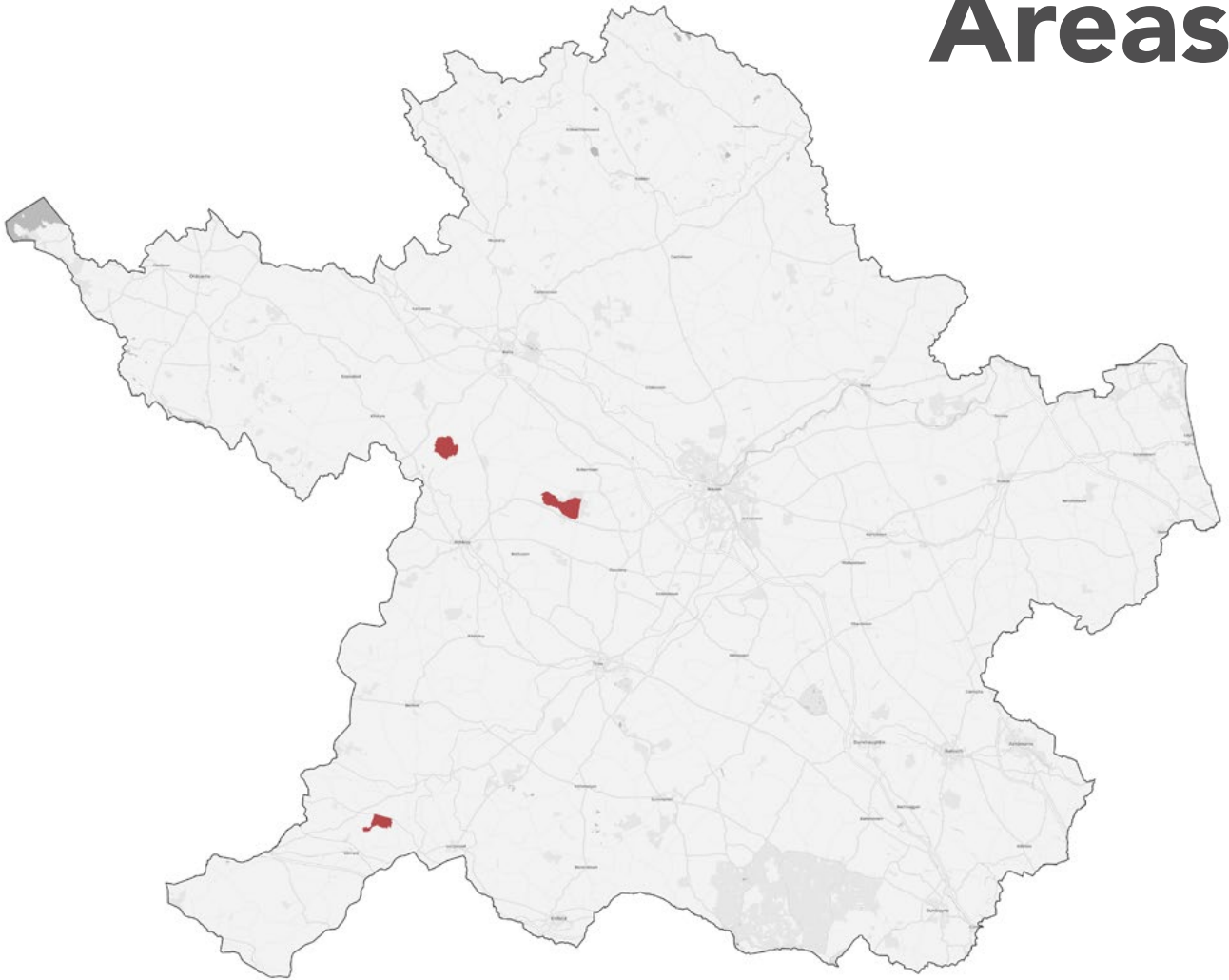
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Mayo

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Meath

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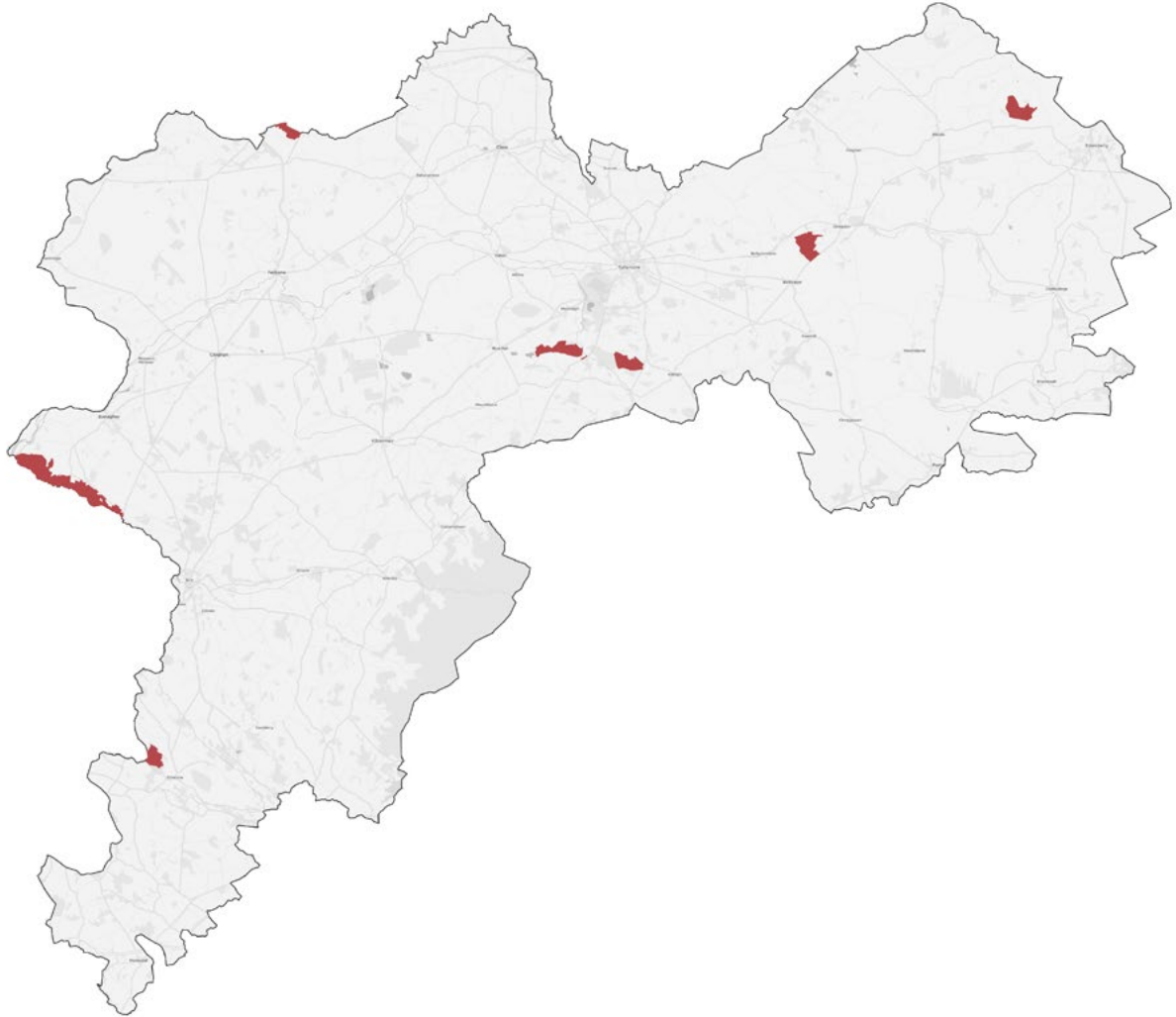
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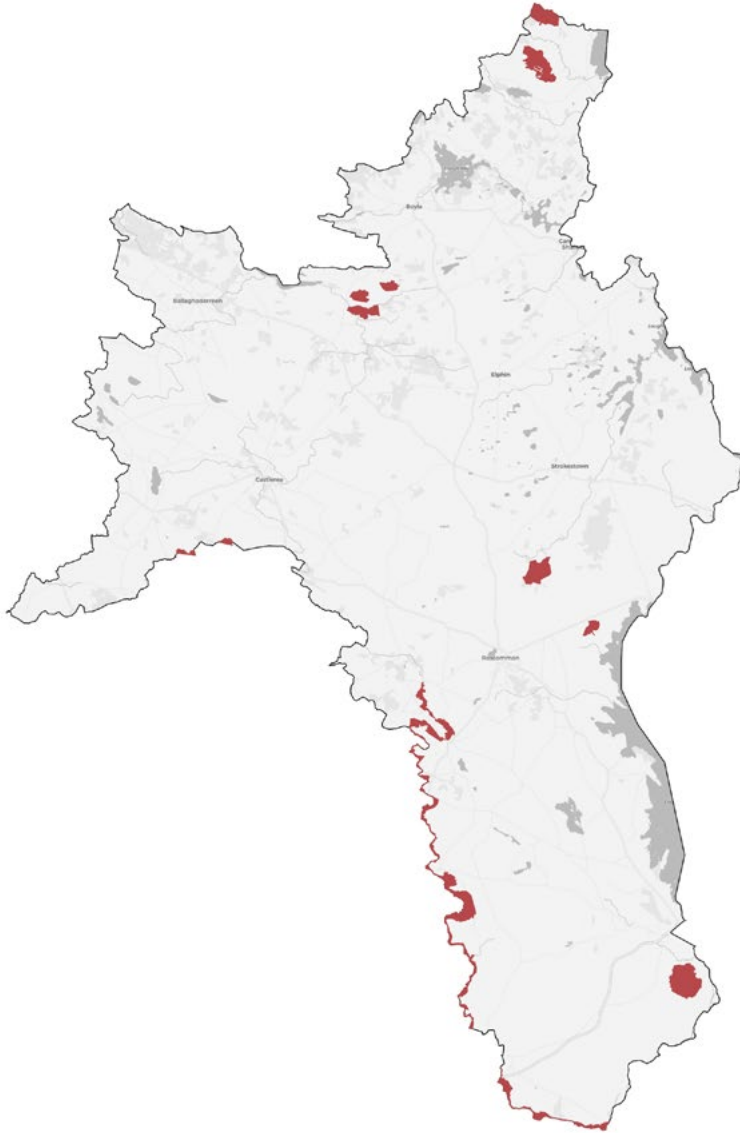
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Offaly

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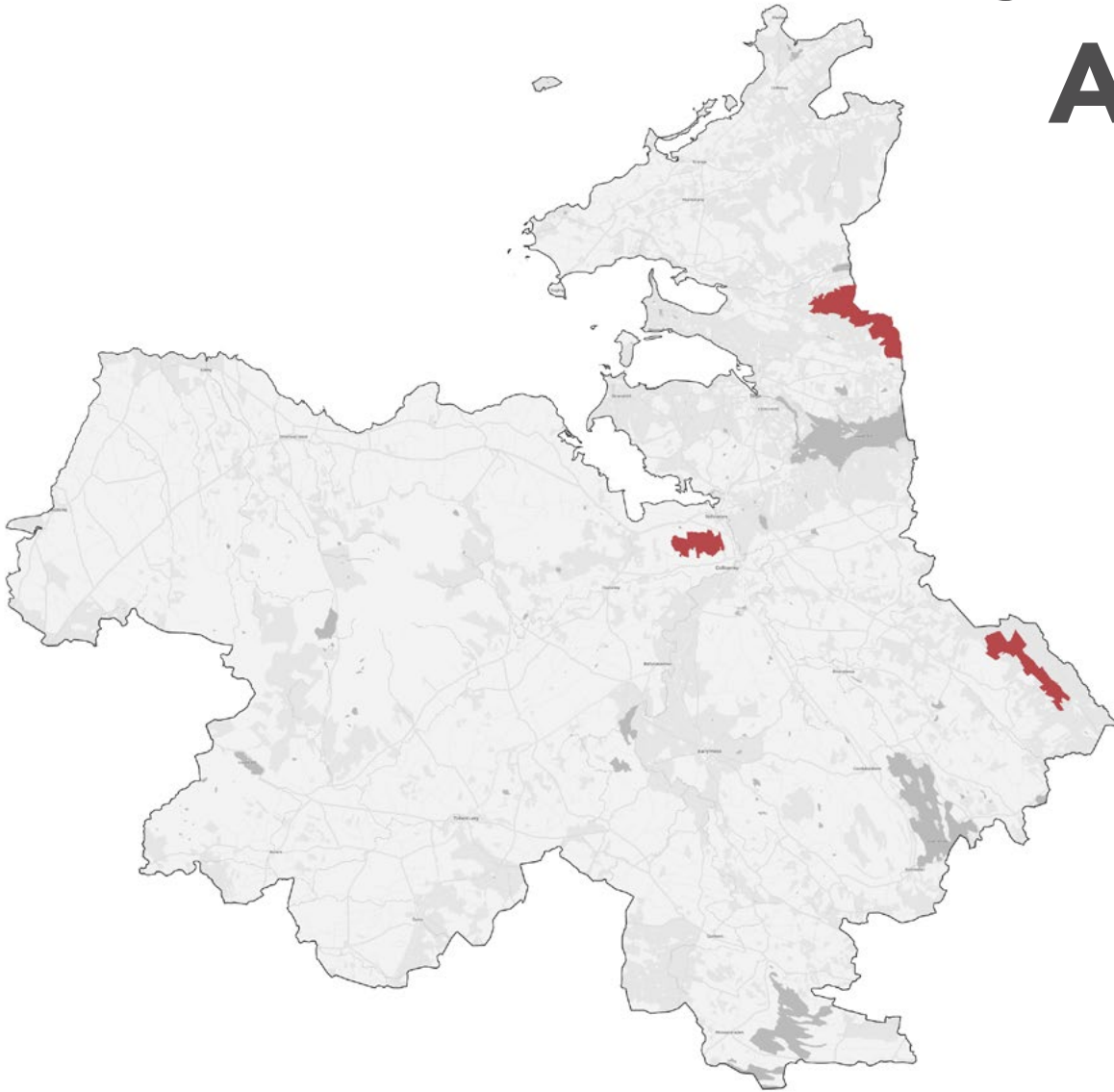
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Roscommon

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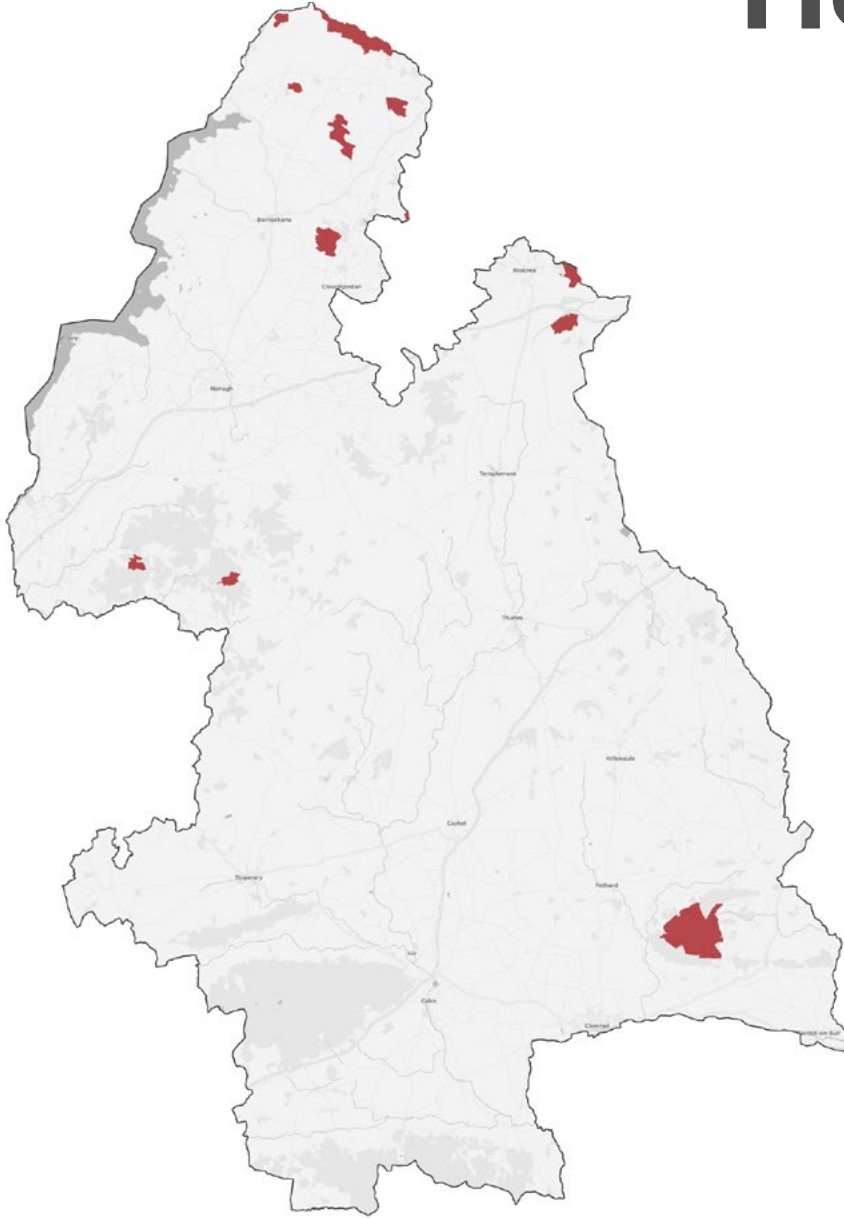
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Sligo

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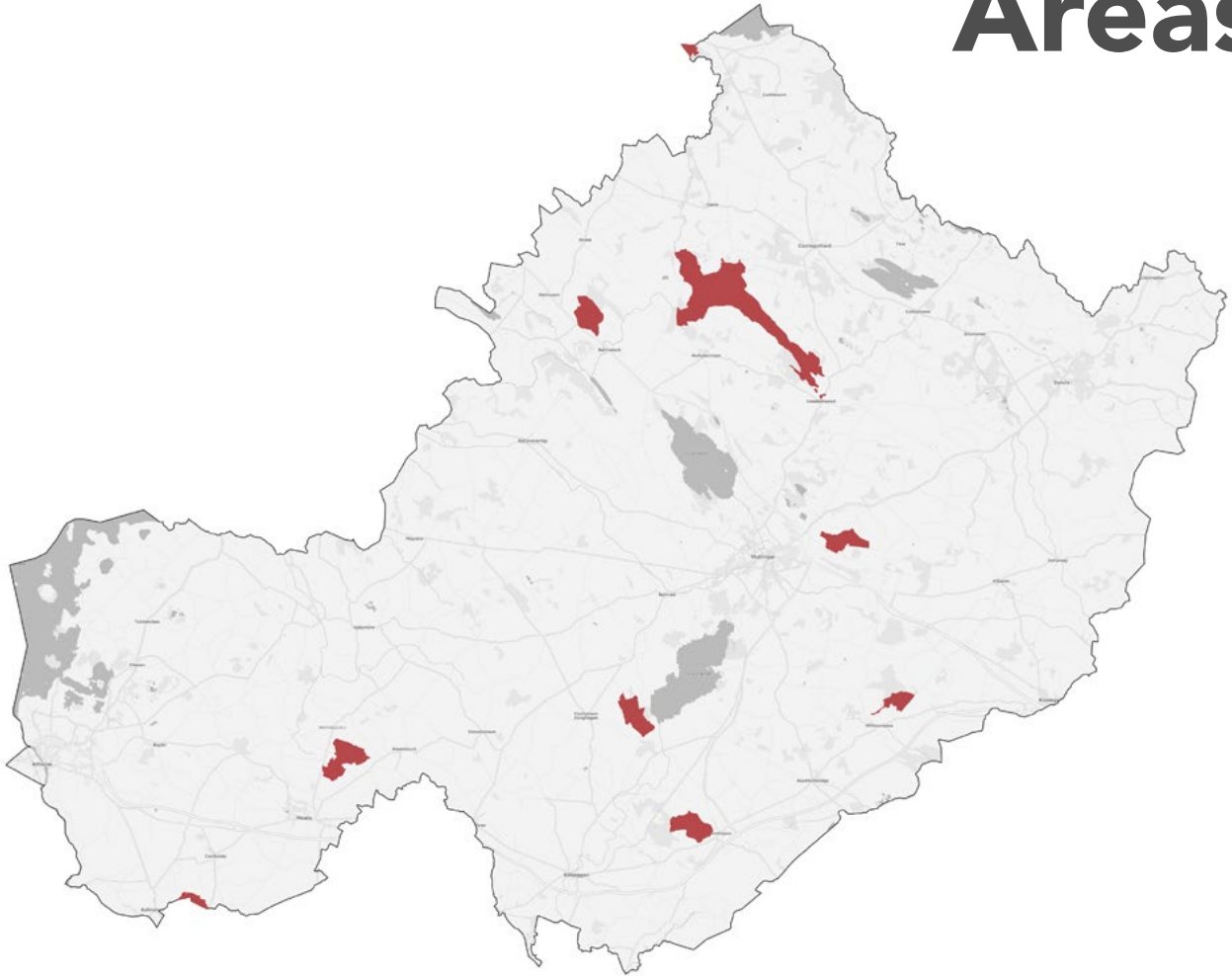
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Tipperary

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Westmeath

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