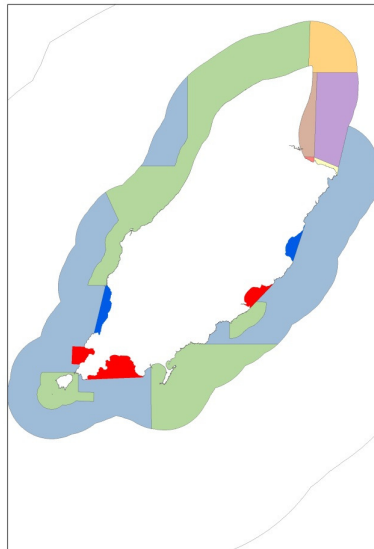




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Consultation on the designation of inshore Marine Nature Reserves



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Consultation Paper

June 2017

Response Form

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This consultation outlines proposals to strengthen the protection of the Isle of Man's 10 Marine Protected Areas. The conservation features of the sites are identified and new management measures are proposed. Feedback from all marine user groups and the wider public is welcomed to ensure these proposals effectively protect inshore marine habitats and species. Please refer to the full consultation document to inform your response. If you would like more information or have any questions, you are welcome to contact DEFA before providing your full response.

Please respond before **5pm on Friday 4 August 2017**.

Contact Details

Please provide details of who has completed this response

Response Completed by:

Vessel name & PLN (if appropriate):

Name of organisation or interest group (if appropriate):

Position in organisation (if appropriate):

Address 1:

Address 2:

Address 3:

Address 4:

Post Code:

Telephone:

e-mail:

Date:

Q1. Do you support the designation of the 4 current Conservation Zones as Marine Nature Reserves?

(a) Little Ness Marine Nature Reserve Yes.....

No.....

(b) Langness Marine Nature Reserve Yes.....

No.....

(c) Calf of Man Marine Nature Reserve Yes.....

No.....

(d) West Coast Marine Nature Reserve Yes.....

No.....

Any specific comments on these designations?

Q2. Do you support the permanent protection as a Marine Nature Reserve of:

(a) Laxey Restricted Area Yes.....

No.....

(b) Niarbyl Restricted Area Yes.....

No.....

(c) Douglas Closed Area Yes.....

No.....

(d) Port Erin Closed Area Yes.....

No.....

(e) Baie ny Carrickey Closed Area Yes.....

No.....

Any specific comments on these designations?

Q3 Do you support the additional management measures proposed for Ramsey Marine Nature Reserve?

Yes.....

No.....

Any specific comments on this?

Q4. Do you agree with the conservation features identified for each of the Marine Nature Reserves?

(a) Little Ness Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(b) Langness Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(c) Calf of Man Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(d) West Coast Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(e) Laxey Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(f) Niarbyl Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(g) Douglas Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(h) Port Erin Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(i) Baie Ny Carrickey Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(j) Ramsey Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

Any comments on the conservation features:

Q5. Do you support the conservation measures proposed for each of the Marine Nature Reserves?

(a) Little Ness Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(b) Langness Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(c) Calf of Man Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(d) West Coast Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(e) Laxey Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(f) Niarbyl Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(g) Douglas Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(h) Port Erin Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(i) Baie Ny Carrickey Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

(j) Ramsey Marine Nature Reserve Yes
No.....

Any comments on the conservation measures:

Q6 Do you know of any additional conservation features that should be protected within the proposed Marine Nature Reserves?

Yes.....

No.....

Please provide details of the feature(s) and how they should be protected:

Q7 Do you know of any additional conservation features that should be protected elsewhere in Manx territorial waters?

Yes.....

No.....

Please provide details of the feature(s) and how they should be protected:

Q8 Do you have any further comments on these proposals?

Yes.....

No.....

Comments:

Thank you for completing the survey

Please return by : 5pm Friday 4th August 2017

Responses may be submitted by email to: fisheries@gov.im

Alternatively hard copy responses should be sent to:

Fisheries Directorate

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