

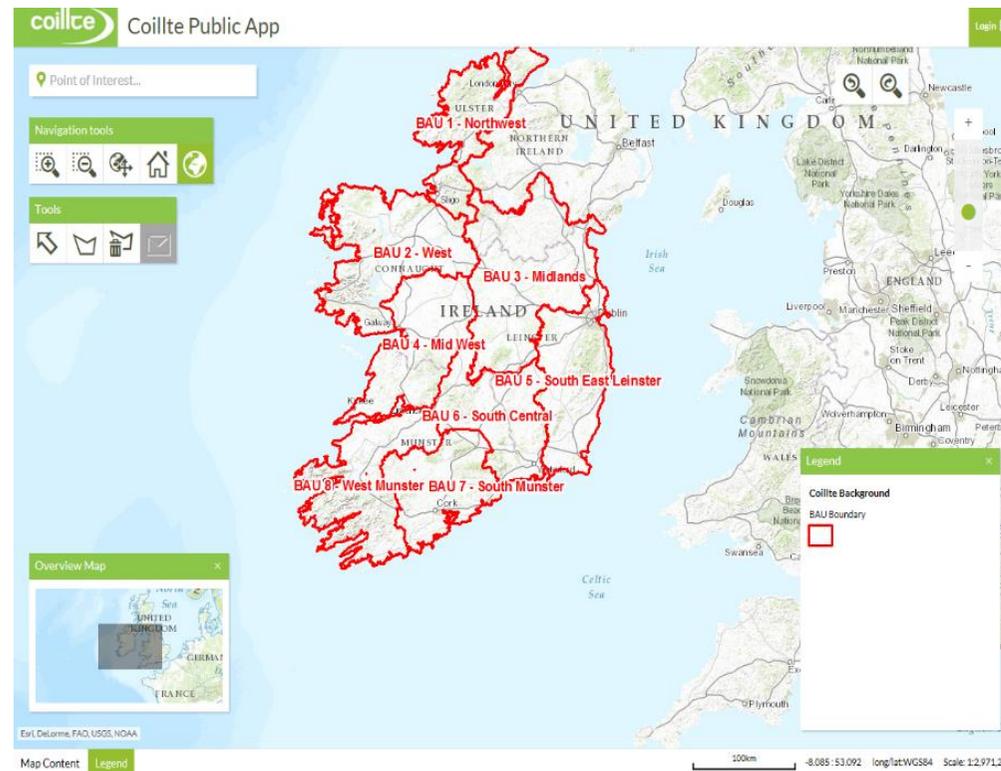


Coillte Map User Guide

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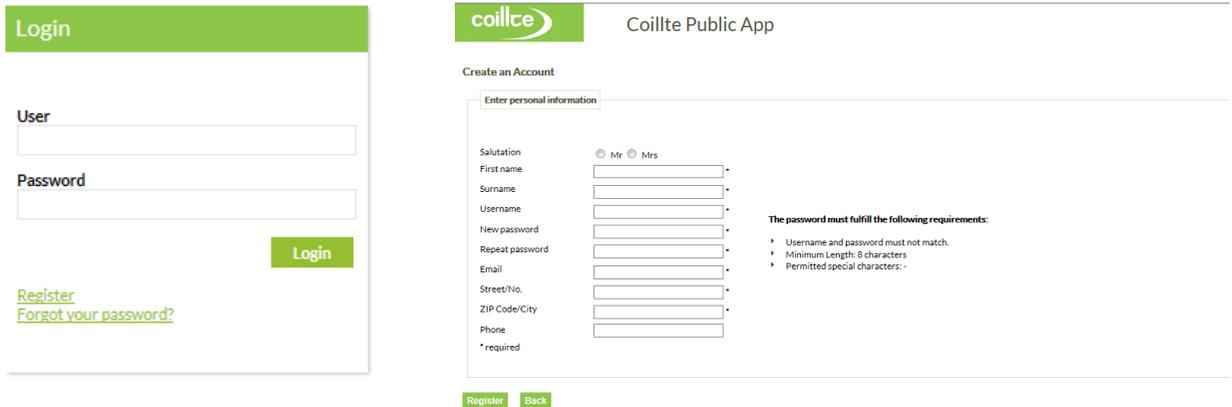
What does this web map application do?

It allows users to view areas of interest to them, where proposed tree felling activity will take place during 2016-2020. Users can also submit queries to relevant Coillte personnel directly from the application. The submission will attach a screenshot displaying the area of interest selected.



How do I use this web map application?

Step 1: You need to register by completing the following:

<h3>Step 1 – Registration</h3>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fill in the personal information, please note the salutation only offers two choices. 
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please click either to allow you to proceed. When asked for street/No and ZIP Code/City put in any numbers even if you don't have these codes as you must complete these fields to proceed.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For username and password, you can use lowercase or uppercase or combination of both. Permitted special characters can be letters or numbers or other.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only 8 characters in total are allowed.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Please ensure your username is different from you password.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> When all fields are completed click on the register button
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You will receive the following message when you have registered successfully: <p style="text-align: center;"><i>User registration was successful.</i></p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> You will receive an email containing an activation link to confirm your registration. You will be able to log in afterwards.

Step 2 – Homepage

- When you arrive at the homepage, you can navigate around the map area to find areas of interests to you and to view proposed timber felling activity during 2016-2020.
- As you zoom in closer, more detail will be displayed on the map

The following tools can be used for navigation and selection:

Point of Interest

1. To view a specific area on the map, click on the field “Point of Interest”.



2. Enter the name of the area.
3. A drop down list will appear with predictions,
4. based on the text entered.
5. Click on the relevant result listed



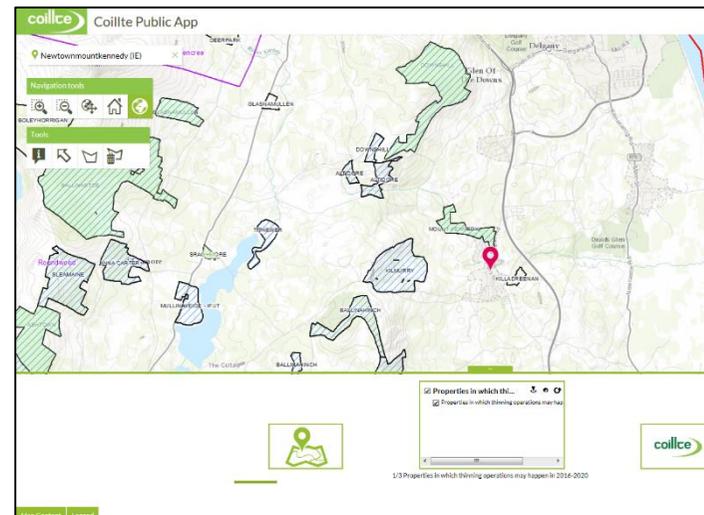
6. The map will then zoom to and centre on the selected area.



Step 3 - Navigation

(see what areas will have timber felling activity)

- Forest areas, where timber felling will occur, will appear on the map when you zoom in.
- Areas where clearfelling is proposed are shaded in green.
- Although the full forest may be shaded green, this does not mean the full area will be felled.
- Use the identify tool to view the percentage of the area proposed for clearfell.
- Areas where thinning is proposed are displayed with a hatch blue line.
- Similar to the clearfell areas, although the full forest may have a blue hatch line, this does not mean the full area will be thinned.
- Use the identify tool to view the percentage of the area proposed for thinning.
- Map Content Section allows you to turn on and off the proposed areas where clearfell and thinning may occur.
- Click on map content, at the bottom left hand corner of the display.



- Click on the harvest activity you wish to turn on or off. Un-tick the box to turn off the map data.
- We recommend that you do not turn off the “Base Layer”, as this layer displays towns, roads etc.

To see the name of the forest area selected and the proposed percentage of felling in that area.

- Click the Identify icon to activate the tool, then click on an area where felling activity is proposed.
- Where both clearfelling and thinning is proposed, toggle between the two activities by clicking the dropdown menu.



There are five navigation tools namely:

1	Zoom in	click and drag the mouse to draw a box around the area you wish to zoom to
2	Zoom out	click and drag the mouse to draw a box to the extent you wish to display the map..
3	Pan	click and drag the mouse to move the map in any direction.
4	Zoom to initial extent	displays the full extent of the map.
5	Show overview map	displays a separate map window showing your main map display in context with full extent
6	Zoom to previous extent	this will return to the previous display.
7	Zoom to next extent	this will return to the map displayed before using previous extent.
8	Zoom bar– use the + or –	to zoom in or out respectively.

Selection Tools

1	Arrow	draws an arrow in any direction by clicking a dragging the mouse.
2	Polygon	this allows you to draw a boundary around your area of interest. Click the mouse around the area of interest, click finish to complete the boundary.
3	Delete a graphic	allows you to delete an arrow or polygon that you may have created in error. Select the tool, then click on the graphic to be deleted.
4	Send mail	allows you to send a mail requesting further information about felling activity in the area of interest to you. By including an arrow or polygon, using tools 9 and 10, you can send a screenshot of the drawing to assist Coillte with your query feedback.



Contact Us:

Thank you for using Coillte's public Web Map Application.

If you require more detail in relation to proposed felling in an area of interest to you, send your e-mail with polygon drawing, which goes automatically to an internal Coillte e-mail address.

Your query will be directed to the local team for the area of interest that you requested further information on, where your query will be review and responded to accordingly.