

Query no	Date	Description of Query	Answer Details
2014-1	20/01/2014	any current projects to develop woodland areas along waterways?	Told him WI has no such projects and told him Coillte might be able to help
2014-2	05/02/2014	ecological heritage of the Grand Canal in Dublin City	Habitats, Species, invasive species inventories as well as habitat map and architectural inventory
2014-3	01/04/2014	funding available to erect information boards to highlight the River Blackwater and Lough Ramor	Told her this is out of our remit. Gave her advice on where to find possible funding (heritage coucil, etc) and how to address the comments made in the report
2014-4	15/04/2014	Possible collaboration with WI to clean litter out of the reeds on the canal banks (Grand Canal)? / swans getting hurt against lampposts / poles on the canal	Explained what ops is doing ref to litter around the canal. Referred her to Roads Section of DCC reference to lampposts / poles as it iis outside WI's jurisdiction
2014-5	25/04/2014	Look to recruit new students for the next cycles of NUI Masters courses	Course details forwarded within WI
2014-6	08/05/2014	Possibility of getting a notice sign regarding the feeding of swans and wildfowl (same as the one currently near Portobello) near the Dodder	Dodder is not part of our jurisdiction. Same wording can be used. Referred to IFI, County council, local angling group or tidy town to try to find funding
2014-7	09/05/2014	Fisheries data, fisheries survey reports, aquatic survey reports and water quality data/reports for the Shannon –Erne Waterway (particularly St Johns Lough and the Ballinamore - Ballyconnell Canal)	Contacted IFI to get info. IFI followed up with her directly then.
2014-8	22/06/2014	Option to deal with weed growing in marina	Not allowed use chemical herbicide. Recommend mechanical control (precise method would be dependent on the weed). Asked to send weed / photo of weed so that it can be identified.
2014-9	25/07/2014	Health concern after swimming near the mouth of the Tolka (after recent pollution)	Not one of the waterways under our remit. Contact the Environment Section of DCC or IFI . If the area is an official bathing area designated under the regulations frequent monitoring data should be available
2014-10	15/08/2014	WI heritage policies?	WI has an Environment and Heritage Policy. No specific publications on heritage protection. Project-specific attention. Archive of toll books, ledgers and technical drawings from the 1700s onwards in Enniskillen. Section 57 Declarations developed for
2014-11	01/09/2014	Looking for a position as an intern within Env section of WI	Not in a position to take on another intern as already committed to getting one with built heritage expertised
2014-12	09/09/2014	Water Quality in Grand Canal Basin in view to organise an event	Water Quality issues discussed over the phone
2014-13	03/10/2014	Average water temperature of the Grand Canal?	Average temp for 2010-2011-2012 sent on excel file
2014-14	15/10/2014	data for the various hydrometric stations on the Shannon to see the effect of climate change on flow levels?	Provided link to access the available data
2014-15	15/10/2014	is there any literature or resources about the cycleway planned along royal canal from Longwood to Dublin	The Meath and Kildare info can be accessed through the relevant panning departments. We could issue the Dublin City ecological survey we commissioned. The design aspects of the Dublin and Fingal cycleways are still at draft stages and not ours to issue.
2014-16	31/10/2014	Wants an update on the creosote issue at Level 6 Royal Canal	Sediment samples taken by WI. Results (report attached to email) discussed with IE. Further investigation required. WI dropped water levels and inspected the area with IE (report attached to email). IE did not pursue the site investigation works and the s
2014-17	20/11/2014	Placenames along the Barrow	GIS generated maps were printed and sent.
2014-18	20/11/2014	Examples of reinforced grass	Three photos of reinforced grass examples along the Royal Canal were sent (2 in Dublin City and 1 in Clondra)
2014-19	26/11/2014	Which sites have been surveyed on behalf of Waterways Ireland North and South for potential hydropower development and if any are in the planning phase and how hydropower development fits within your remit of recreational development.	Update on status of potential site development (including site maps). WI remit ref hydropower development
2014-20	26/11/2014	details of land and facilities owned by Waterways Ireland on the Lower Bann including maps.	Details of land and facilities owned by Waterways Ireland on the Lower Bann including maps.
2014-21	05/12/2014	Examples of reinforced grass	Three photos of reinforced grass examples along the Royal Canal were sent (2 in Dublin City and 1 in Clondra)
2014-22	00/01/1900	Any archive drawings / maps of the Barrow available	Gave him the list of all Barrow related archive drawings available
2014-23	15/12/2014	Hard copy of the Heritage and Biodiversity plan survey	Sent a hard copy of the Heritage and Biodiversity plan survey by post
2014-24	08/12/2014	Update on the asian clam situation in Lanesborough	Hotwater stretch is now re-open but difinfection of any equipment is compulsory - Relevant agencies are working towards a trial removal of asian clam at Lanesborough