

## MIDDLETON FARM, POTTERTON

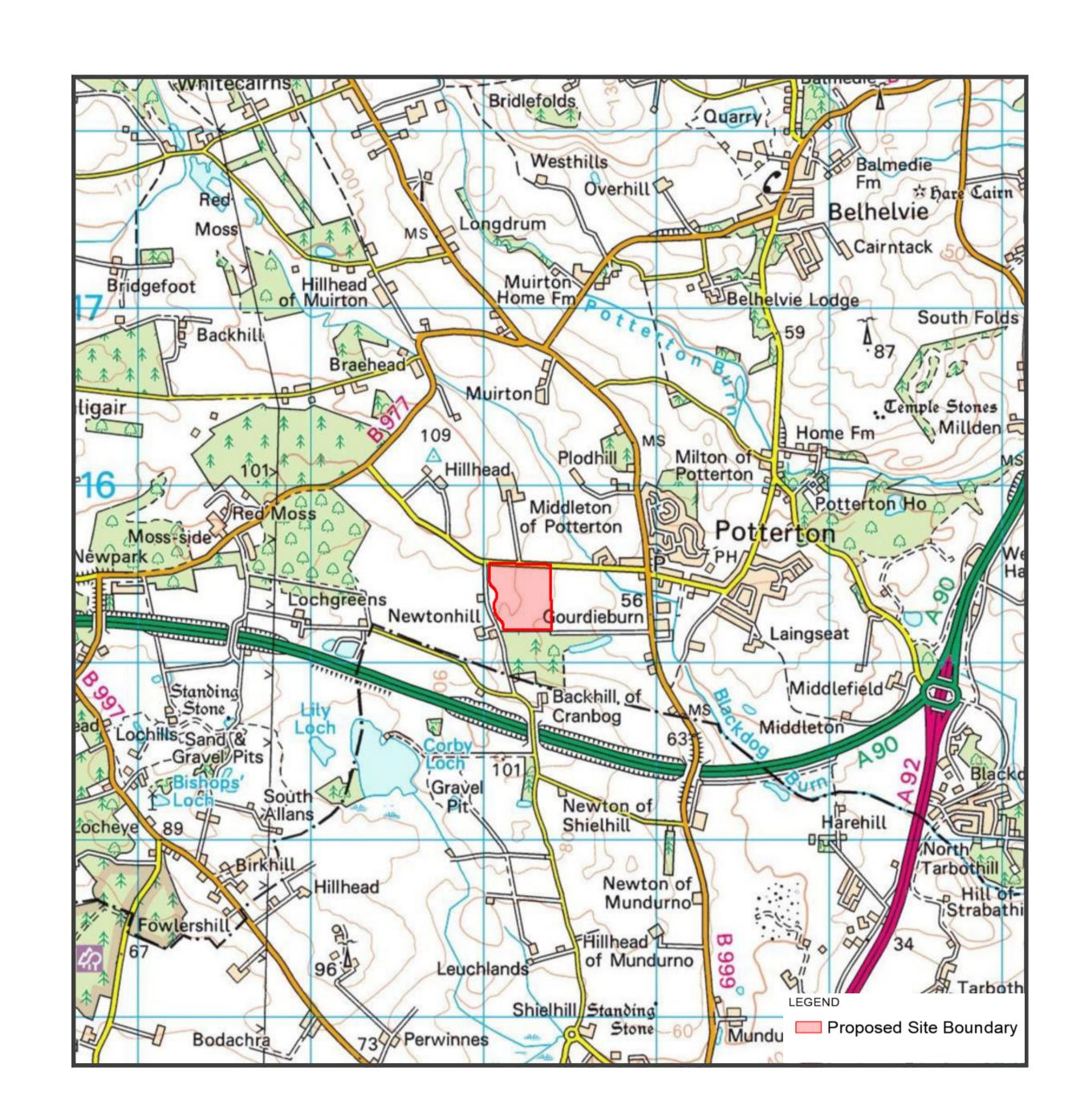
# INTRODUCTION

#### SITE LOCATION

The Middleton Farm site is located to the west of Potterton in Aberdeenshire.

Site access is from the north of the site at the U17C which connects to the B977 to the west.

The proposed quarry is approximately 2.5 kilometres north of Bridge of Don.



#### **GEOLOGY**

British Geological Survey mapping indicates the superficial deposits across the proposed quarry working area are of Hatton till Formation (diamictons, clay sand and gravel) and deposits of the Kippet Hills Gravel Formation (sand, gravel and boulders).

A geological site investigation has been carried out and this has confirmed circa 450,000 tonnes of sand and gravel is present at the site

### SITE CONTEXT

The site is approximately 12.2 hectares in size comprising 2 hummocky agricultural fields. The ground generally falls across the site from to north-west to south-east.

The site is bounded by trees to the south, agricultural land to the east and by the U17C road to the north and by a minor road which give access to the properties of Newtonhill and Newton Grange to the west.

The properties of Oldcroft Place on the western edge of Potterton are located 265m to the east of the Site.



