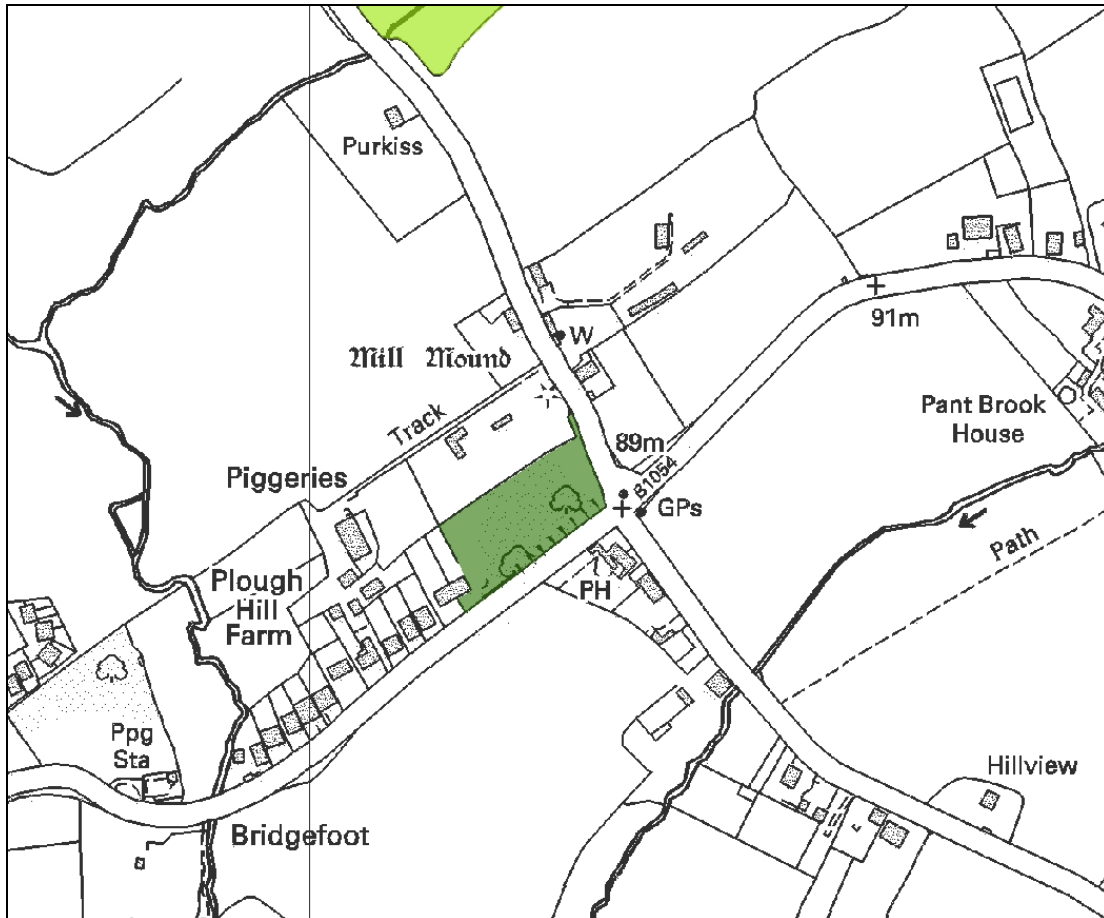


LOCAL WILDLIFE SITES.
UTTLESFORD DISTRICT
Ufd222. "Plough Meadow"



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This site consists of scrubby chalky soil grassland. A wide variety of lime loving plants have been recorded, including Greater Knapweed (*Centaurea scabiosa*), Blue Fleabane (*Erigeron acer*), Field Scabious (*Knautia arvensis*) and Bee Orchid (*Ophrys apifera*). Also recorded are Common Broomrape (*Orobanche minor*), Cowslip (*Primula veris*) and Common Centaury (*Centaureum erythraea*). The amount of scrub should be controlled in order to retain this grassland flora, although limited scrub growth does provide additional habitat diversity.

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