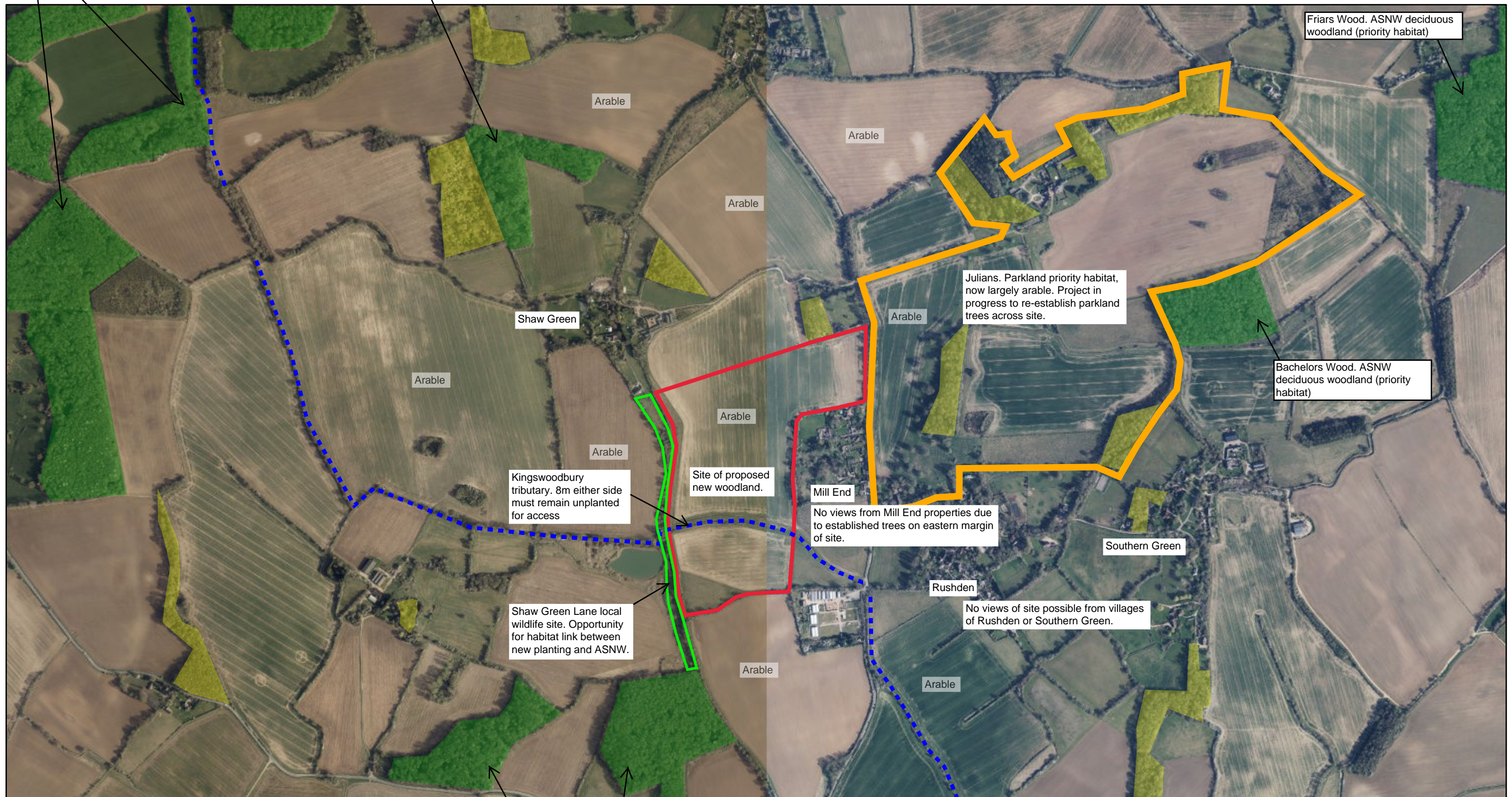


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Spital Wood/Bush Spring. ASNW deciduous woodland (priority habitat)

Coles Wood. ASNW deciduous woodland (priority habitat)

Friars Wood. ASNW deciduous woodland (priority habitat)



Shaw Green

Julians. Parkland priority habitat, now largely arable. Project in progress to re-establish parkland trees across site.

Bachelors Wood. ASNW deciduous woodland (priority habitat)

Kingswoodbury tributary. 8m either side must remain unplanted for access

Site of proposed new woodland.

Mill End  
No views from Mill End properties due to established trees on eastern margin of site.

Southern Green

Shaw Green Lane local wildlife site. Opportunity for habitat link between new planting and ASNW.

Rushden  
No views of site possible from villages of Rushden or Southern Green.

Munches Wood & Baskets Wood. ASNW deciduous woodland (priority habitat)

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- ASNW deciduous woodland
- Deciduous woodland
- Site boundary
- Parkland boundary
- Local Wildlife Site
- Watercourse

Summary: The site predominantly has an enclosed feel, due to the slope down to the tributary from the north and south, and adjacent areas of woodland. The northern and southern ends of the site have a more open aspect due to their elevation. The northern end has relatively expansive views, although not far beyond the boundary of the site. The southern end has views across the site to the north but is enclosed to the south. Only one property at Shaw Green overlooks the site.

The surrounding landscape is characterised by a mix of arable farmland and stands of ancient deciduous woodland.

