Surface Water

The scheme area lies within the Lower Shannon catchment and the Shannon Estuary South catchment. Limerick City is the largest urban centre within either of the catchment boundaries.

The Old Shannon passes Castleconnell before flowing through Limerick City, where it becomes tidal and is then rejoined by the Ardnacrusha tailrace at Parteen.

The surface water bodies as recognised by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) are shown on the adjacent map.

