APPENDIX V **OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOODLAND EXPANSION**

MAP 8 URBAN FRINGE / COMMUNITY WOODLANDS

EXPLANATORY NOTE: The Preferred, Potential and Sensitive categories have been created on this map using the following GIS parameters:

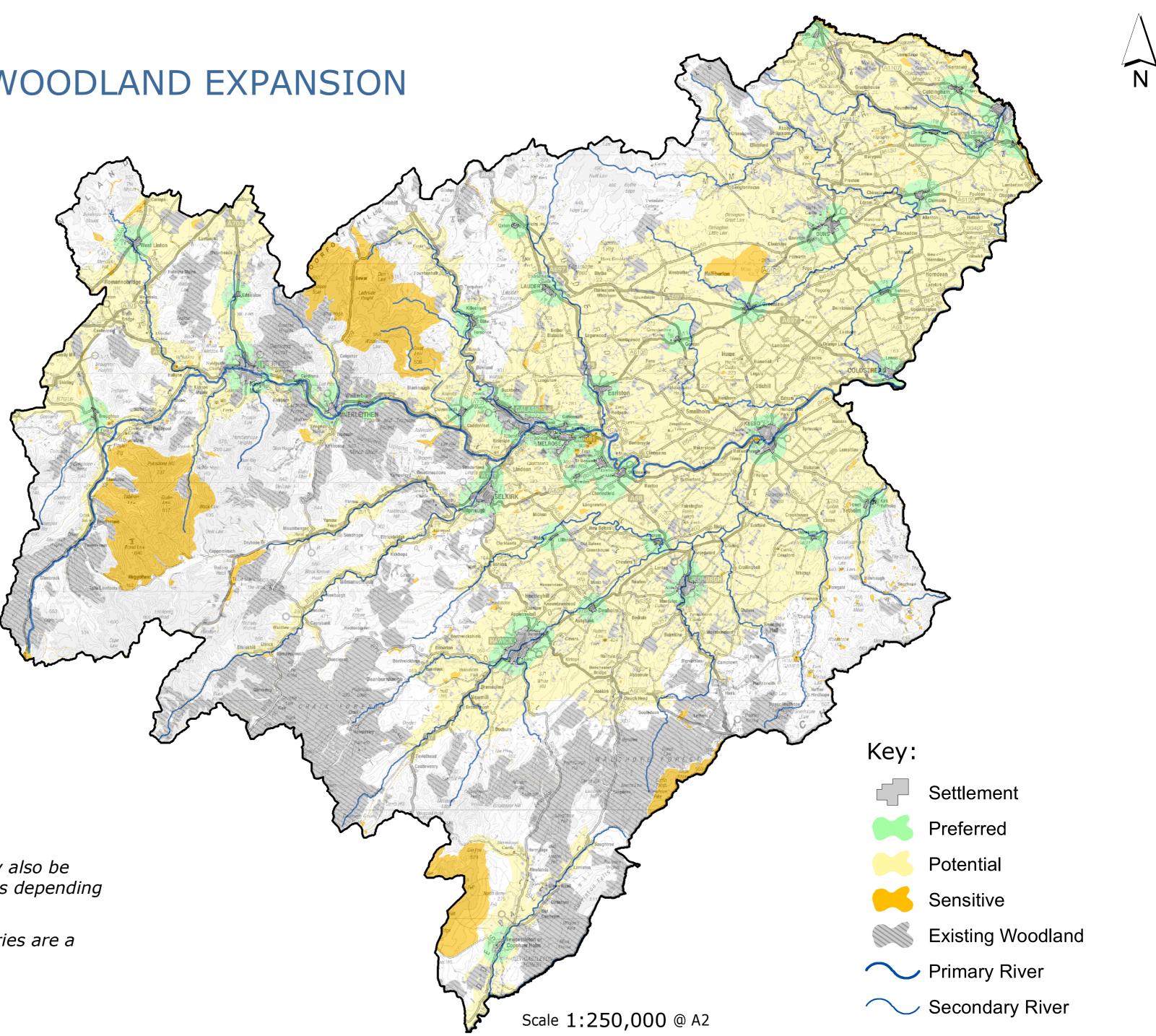
Preferred - includes all land within a 1km buffer zone around the boundary of all settlements with a population of >200 (as defined by the Local Plan)

Potential - includes all land classified by the Borders Landscape Assessment as Lowland, River Valley, Coastal and Upland Fringe Landscape Types (i.e. where smaller settlements occur)

Sensitive - includes designated Wildlife Sites and SAM

* Appropriate native woodland planting may also be preferred or potential within SSSIs and SACs depending on the nature of the sensitivity.

* NB: The River Tweed and its main tributaries are a designated SSSI.



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