

Westcountry Rivers Trust – Opening the Sid Catchment Assessment – River Sid - 2025

Barrier photos for **Roncombe Stream** RS1 – RS7

Extracted from Appendix 16

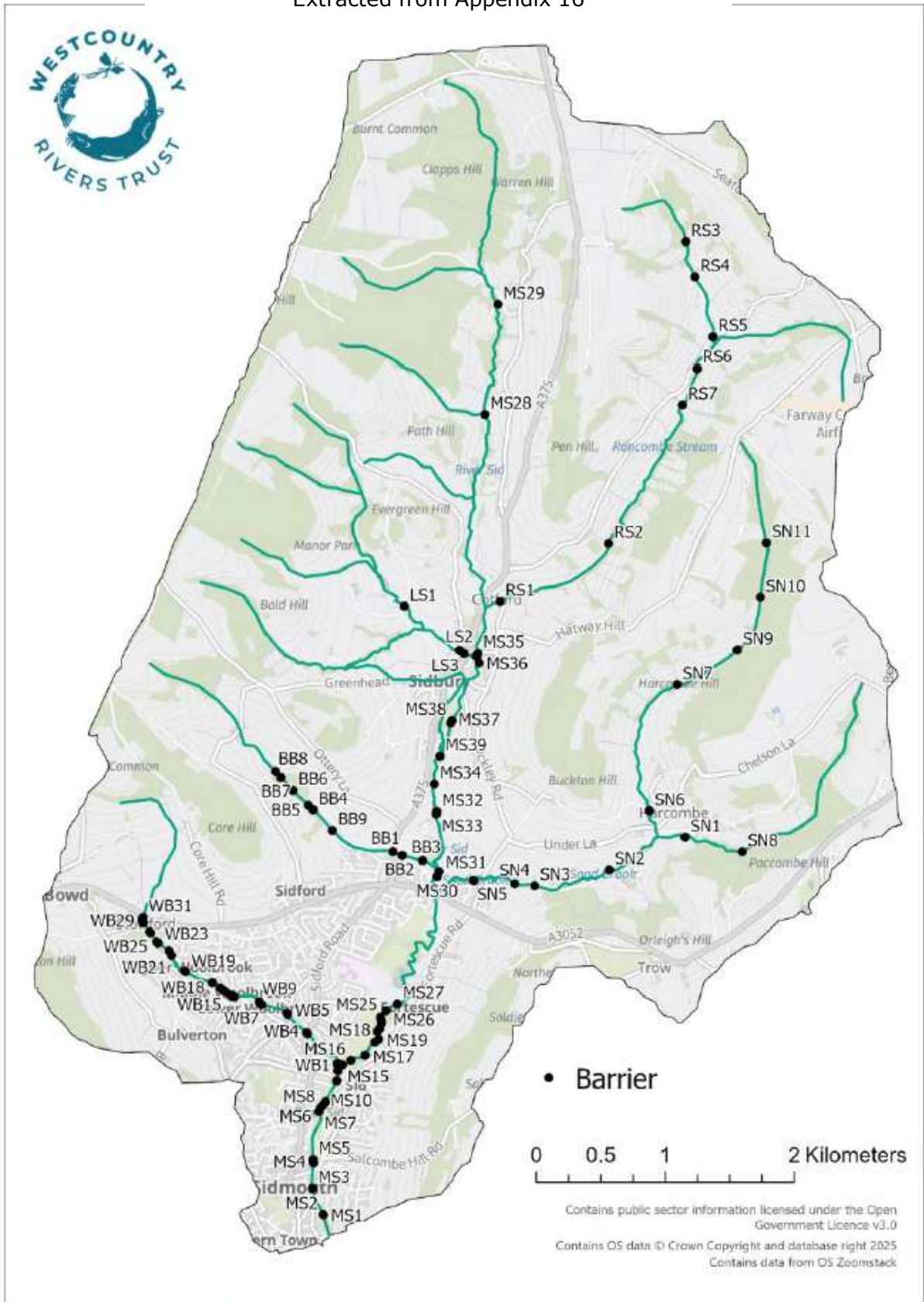






Figure 11: Map of barriers across the Sid Catchment.



Barrier ID	Waterbody	NGR	Date Visited	Photo	Type of Obstruction	Flows	Possible Action	Notes
RS1 – Cotford Road Bridge Culvert	Roncombe Stream	SY 14233 92219	25.06.25		Weir/bridge footing	non-adherent	lower footing, baffles and pre-barrage	two step weirs up to 1m high bridge footing. Shallow channel of water through/under bridge. Impassable!


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RS2	Roncombe Stream	SY 15066 92670	25.06.25	 A photograph showing a stream crossing a gravelly path in a wooded area. The path is made of loose stones and gravel, and the stream flows through it. The surrounding area is lush with green trees and ferns.	ford crossing	adherent	Clear span bridge	no barrier, but ford could be replaced with clear span bridge to spare good fry habitat.

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RS3	Roncombe Stream	SY 15681 94999	21.07.25		Stone ring/Bank	non-adherent	remove	small barrier, natural? Stone ring/bank acting as small dam with impassable chute

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RS4	Roncombe Stream	SY 15747 94726	21.07.25		collapsed revetment	mixed	remove	old wooden sleeper revetment that has collapsed into stream blocking across horizontally
RS5	Roncombe Stream	SY 15887 94259	21.07.25		large concrete 2 pipe culvert under road	unknown	flexi baffles	downstream end of culvert is suspected to be impassable due to noise of water falling. Unable to confirm due to area not being fully visible/easily accessible. Approx drop DS end of culvert 30cm and non-adherent. Depth of water in culvert pipe 5-10cm

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RS6	Roncombe Stream	SY 15762 94020	21.07.25		concrete apron of bridge with notched weir	2 ledges of non-adherent flow either side of bridge		US bridge banks revetted and banks and bed lined with chicken wire which could be harmful to DS migrants. Drop from notch in weir has head of 10-20cm, depth of water US and DS of weir 10-20cm. DS of bridge concrete extends for 2m, water flows off lip are non adherent for 20cm before landing in 50cm deep pool. depth of water over concrete 5-10cm.

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RS7	Roncombe Stream	SY 15648 93742	21.07.25		subsiding ford	non-adherent	remove and re-grade bed	old semi-natural ford crossing that has subsided, resulting in large impassable drop with shallow pool depth DS.