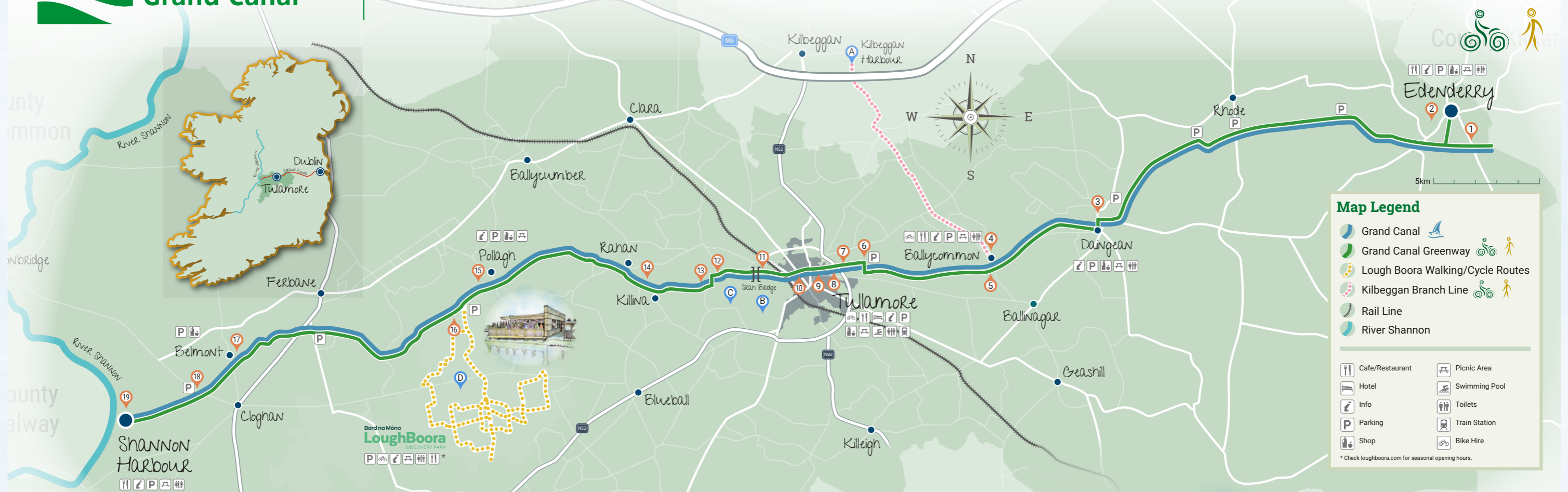




An Chanáil Mhór Grand Canal

EDENDERRY TO SHANNON HARBOUR



- Please:**
- Keep to your left, pass on the right, ring your bell!
 - Cyclists yield to pedestrians.
 - Cycle at an appropriate speed.
 - Take all your litter home.
 - Note deep water and take care, especially with children.
 - Note and respect local access.
 - Enjoy **YOUR** Grand Canal Greenway.



The Grand Canal Greenway

The Grand Canal Greenway follows the route of the historic canal which traverses Leinster from Ringsend in Dublin City to the River Shannon at Shannon Harbour in County Offaly.

The completed section of the Grand Canal Greenway which is in Offaly stretches from Edenderry in the east to Turraun in the west.

The route is punctuated by canal locks, lock houses and industrial architecture from bygone days. It follows the pleasant canal towpath, which was formally used by powerful draft horses pulling barges laden with goods and passengers.

Route Grading

Please be aware that works are ongoing and some sections may not be complete. Purpose built off-road shared pedestrian and cycleway trail constructed on canal towpath alongside open canal waters.

Generally flat with mostly quarry dust surface. Some slopes at canal bridges and canal locks. This trail is suitable for all ages and all types of bikes. Please exercise caution at the intersections with public roads, and where surface is shared with public roads, and alongside open waters.

