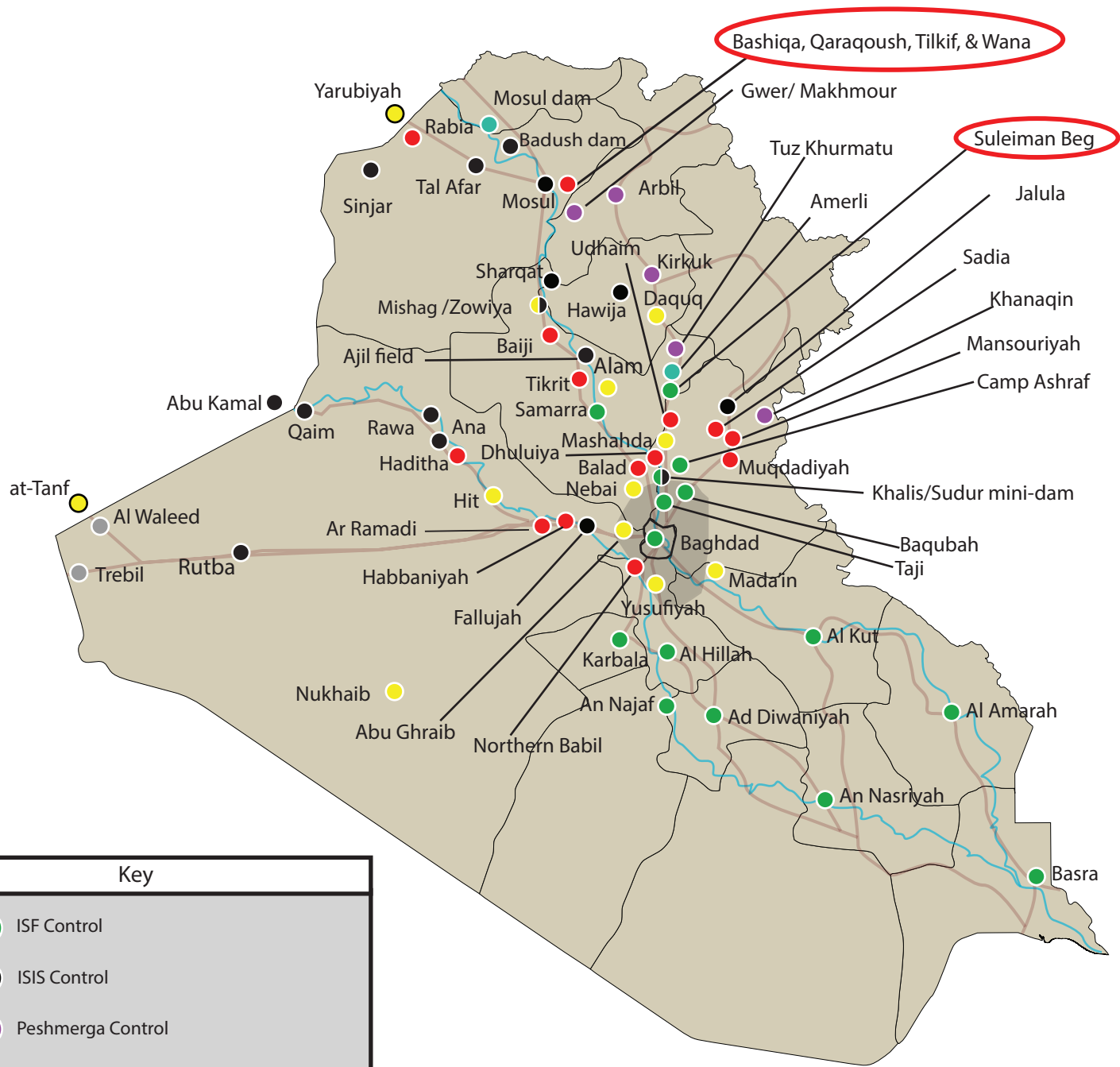


# Control of Terrain in Iraq: September 17,



Key	
<span style="color: green;">●</span>	ISF Control
<span style="color: black;">●</span>	ISIS Control
<span style="color: purple;">●</span>	Peshmerga Control
<span style="color: teal;">●</span>	ISF and Iraqi Kurdish Security Forces Control
<span style="color: grey;">●</span>	Iraqi Tribes
<span style="color: yellow;">●</span>	Areas ISW is watching
<span style="color: red;">●</span>	Contested Area
<span style="color: red; border: 1px solid red; border-radius: 50%; padding: 2px;"> </span>	Changes since last Control Map



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**Changes for September 17 update:** Suleiman Beg is now under Iraqi government control and as a result, the Kirkuk-Baghdad highway is reported to be re-opened. The Peshmerga, with U.S. air support, are currently engaged in an effort to retake areas in the Ninewa plains from ISIS; although their effort is yet to be decisive.