

Application No: AL/64/20/PL

Archaeological investigation of the adjacent development site in 2017 revealed a complex of pits, postholes, ring-ditches and boundary ditches representative of later prehistoric settlement and agricultural management. It is likely the application site will contain similar features whose significance might merit preservation, so it would be appropriate to require that it be investigated by trial trenching ahead of development in order that measures to ensure appropriate preservation might then be put in place. This process would be best secured following a version of standard condition ARC1 as follows:

No development shall take place until the applicant has secured the implementation of a programme of archaeological work in accordance with a written scheme of investigation which has been submitted by the applicant and approved by the Planning Authority.

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