

Consultation Response from WY Archaeology Advisory Services

2024/92365 Land off, Blackmoorfoot Road and Felks Street, Crosland Moor, Huddersfield, HD4 7AD

Reserved Matters application (including the considerations of appearance, scale, layout, access (including pedestrian and cycle access into and within the site and vehicular access within the site), and landscaping) for the erection of 469 residential dwellings and associated works including landscaping and the provision of open space, pursuant to [EASTERN PARCEL] outline permission 2020/92546 (with details of points of access only) for the development of up to 770 residential dwellings (Use Class C3), including up to 70 care apartments (Use Classes C2/C3) with doctors surgery of up to 350 sqm (Use Class D1); up to 500 sqm of Use Class A1/A2/A3/A4/A5/D1 floorspace (dual use), vehicular and pedestrian access points off Blackmoorfoot Road and Felks Stile Road and associated works.

Date Responded: 16/09/24

Responding Officer: David Hunter

Responding Ref: CWY274

Useful desk based and geophysical surveys have been carried out and reports supplied.

A Site Assessment, more specific to the fireworks factory buildings, has also been undertaken. We do not consider this an adequate record of the fireworks factory complex which comprises regionally unique & purpose-built structures. Further architectural and archaeological record of this complex is required.

A written scheme of investigation for archaeological evaluation on previously un-quarried or undeveloped land has been received. This is based on the results of the geophysical survey and is acceptable. I recommend that the trenching it details is carried out prior to determination. This is to identify if significant remains are present and if any further archaeological mitigation is needed.

David Hunter 16/09/24