Sample Listing Application Summary

Application Type

New scheduling application

Identification

Site name: Roman Road 712 on Lindley Moor

County or Unitary Authority: Kirklees Council

Location

National Grid Reference: SE10661891

Descriptive Location: In northern part of field bounded to the west by Crosland Road and

the north by New Hey Road (A643) near junction24 of the M62

Extent



Ownership & Occupancy

Details of owners and/or occupants of the site, and the extent of their ownership, where know, should be input here.

Planning

Current Planning Application/Permission/Marine Consent: This asset is not the subject of a current planning application, permission or marine consent.

Reasons

Archaeological interest:

Agger and section of the Roman Road 712, surviving as a linear earthwork, from roughly SE 106 189 to SE 109 190. Recorded by D. Haigh in 1970 as surviving between 25-40 feet wide and 1.5/2 feet high. To the west of Crosland Road the Roman road is clearly defined as an upstanding linear earthwork (8-10 metres in width). To the east of Crosland Road the line of the road is less well defined, but it is still

possible to plot its course on the ground (RPS Clouston, 1999).

Prior to the M62 being constructed (in the 1970s), another section of the road was revealed via excavation, roughly 200m to the south-west at Peat Ponds Farm. The Roman road remains encountered consisted of a shallow cobbled surface with two sets of shallow roadside ditches indicating a two-phase construction.

The surviving earthwork remains of the Roman road at the junction of Crosland Road are deemed particularly important as much archaeological evidence for this section of the Roman road has been destroyed (mainly due to the construction of the M62 motorway). The surviving earthwork is located in open fields (see attached photographs) and as such is likely to consist of well-preserved remains, like those excavated at adjacent Peat Ponds Farm.

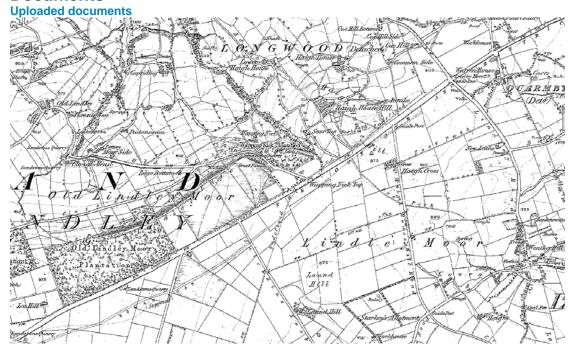
Threat

West Yorkshire Archaeology Advisory Service has been approached about a pre-planning application regarding the construction of a housing development and 'data centre' within fields to the south and south-east of the known course of Roman road 712, which could conceivably spread to direct impact on the surviving earthwork of the Roman road.

Photographs



Documents



- 1st_Edition.jpg Extract from the First Edition OS map (surveyed 185 map sheet 246) showing the route of Roman Road 712
- 2. 2011_91518__Proposed_Site__Block_Layout_327175_2__Planning_Application_.PDF Proposed Site Block Layout Planning Application Other
- 3. 2011_91518__General_327190_1__Archaeological_Desk_Based_Assessment.PDF 2011-91518_+General_327190[1] Archaeological Desk Based Assessment.PDF Other
- Lindley_Moor_Data_Campus_geophysics_report.pdf Lindley Moor Data Campus geophysics report.pdf

Bibliographic References

 Unpublished Title Reference - Author: RPS Clouston - Title: Land at Lindley Moor, Huddersfield - An Archaeological Appraisal - Date: 1999 - Type: Grey Literature Report -Source: West Yorkshire HER

Comments

No further comments

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