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Dear Karen,

NRW Screening Request FLA223 24-25 Gilfach near Pan y Groes, Carmarthenshire

Thank you for the felling licence consultation. I have reviewed the map boundaries against the regional Historic Environment Record (HER) and other sources and note the following features.

PRN24624	MEDIEVAL RIDGE AND FURROW	SN5971412923
PRN54679POST MEDIEVAL COAL MINESN6000013147Marked as 'old coal pit' on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of 1878, possibly remnantsof a small early coal mine.		

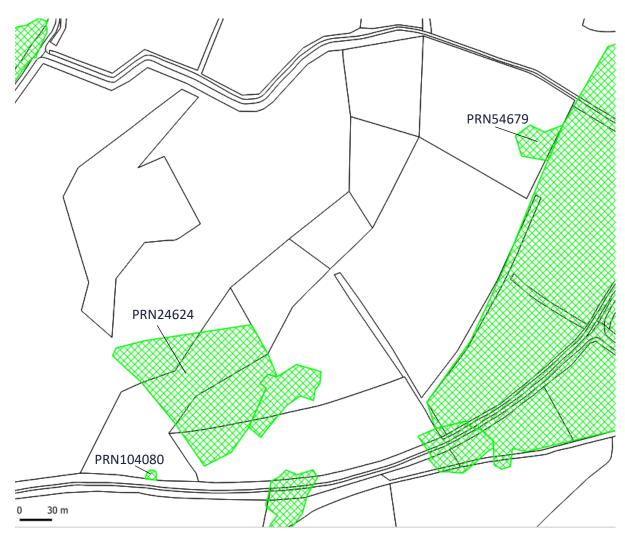
PRN104080 POST MEDIEVAL COAL MINE SN59651284 Old coal pit recorded on the historic Ordnance Survey maps but no longer shown on mastermap.





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Although we have HER records for this consultation area we believe that the area has undergone open cast mining, which has destroyed these features. Considering this, we are happy for clear-felling to continue in this area, but if you are aware of any features while forestry operations are taking place, please get in touch.

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There is always the possibility for previously unknown remains to survive within this area of which we have no knowledge. Should further archaeological features or finds be identified it is important that Heneb – The Trust for Welsh Archaeology, Heritage Management Dyfed region is informed and further information and advice can then be provided as required.

Kind regards, Alexandra Powell Heritage Management Archaeologist <u>Alex.Powell@heneb.org.uk</u>



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