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Dear Gerwyn,

**FLA 103 20-21 Parc Cynog Wood**

Thank you for your consultation. I have checked the map boundaries against the regional Historic Environment Record (HER) and other sources and note the following historic environment features recorded within the consultation area:

PRN 8502

SITE TYPE: ENCLOSURE?

PERIOD: IRON AGE? PREHISTORIC?

NGR: SN25251000

DESCRIPTION:

This evidence for this defended enclosure site is limited. The RCAHM in 1917 refers to '...certain earthworks having been removed within living memory' at this location and that the field is listed in the Tithe Schedule as 'Castle Park'. The aerial photographic evidence for an enclosure in this area is ambiguous, and no trace of any earthwork was visible on the ground in 2007.

The position of this putative defended enclosure is on the edge of a southeast facing scarp slope at 150m above sea level that drops steeply to a stream below. On the opposing side of the valley is the scheduled Iron Age defended enclosure of Parc Cynog (PRN 3843). The site lies within fields under pasture. F Murphy and R Ramsey 13 January 2008

RECOMMENDATIONS:

This extent of this site is unconfirmed; however we recommend that no ground disturbing activities take place in the vicinity of this site.

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PRN 22368

SITE TYPE: COTTAGE

PERIOD: POST MEDIEVAL

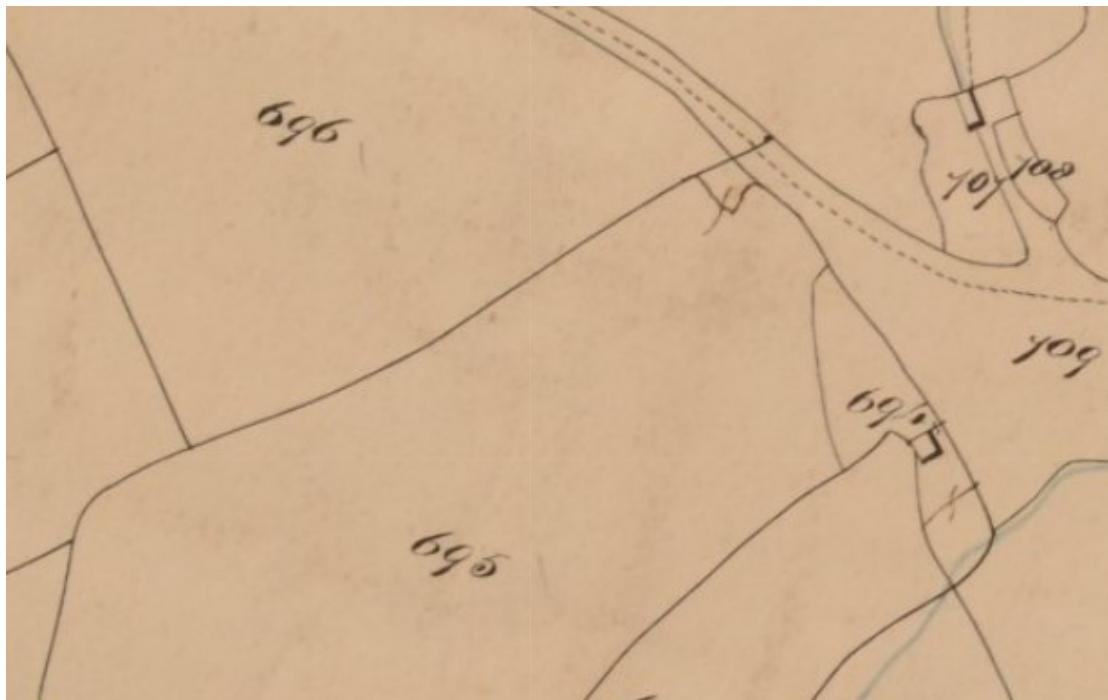
NGR: SN25531013

DESCRIPTION:

Cottage shown on parish tithe map, no trace of the cottage is recorded on the 1st edition OS map of 1889 and it would appear to have been abandoned by that date.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

We do not have information on the current condition of this site, but would recommend that forest operations do not damage any surviving structures, and do not undertake any ground disturbing activities.



Tithe map of the parish of Laugharne (1841) showing the location of a cottage (PRN22368). (National Library of Wales)

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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 Dyfed Archaeological Trust Heritage Management is informed and further information and advice can then be provided as required.

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