Alice Pyper

Subject: FW: NRW Heritage Management Advice Request - Tywi Forest NPAP

Attachments: DAT14880 Peatland Restoration Ceredigion.pdf

From: Alice Pyper

Sent: Wednesday, May 22, 2024 6:05 PM

To: 'Diamond, Candida k,' <candida.k.diamond@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk> **Subject:** RE: NRW Heritage Management Advice Request - Tywi Forest NPAP

Hi Candida.

Sorry to have missed your call earlier, I unexpectedly had to go out most of the day.

I found the earlier response to a much wider peatland restoration proposal, which covers the areas you have submitted, see attached.

I've had a look at the consultation on Llyn Gorast and Ochr Fawr and we have a number of undesignated sites recorded on the HER for these locations. I'm not sure how much detail you want me to respond with now, but in summary I would recommend a Desk Based Assessment with a site visit to collate up to date information on the condition of these sites since the area has been felled. In addition the walkover survey should assess the area for the potential of palaeoenvironmental evidence and other unrecorded historic features, and recommendations made to mitigate any negative impacts by the proposed works. This should be carried out by an archaeological contractor working to the standards and guidance of the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA), and their project design should be approved by Heneb (Dyfed Archaeology Heritage Management).

I'm happy to have a chat with you Thursday or Friday morning before submitting a response.

Best wishes

Alice

From: Diamond, Candida k, < candida.k.diamond@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk >

Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2024 1:32 PM

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Hi Alice,

Please see attached Project Description regarding two sites that are part of the National Peatlands Action Programme.

The Environmental Assessment Team have undertaken a preliminary screening exercise for the sites for environmental risk, constraints and opportunities. This comprised a desk study only, reported in the attached Low Risk File Note (LRFN).

The project was screened in 2020 and due to the time passed we have been asked to re-screen. The felling works have been completed.

The 2020 LRFN was sent to Dyfed Archaeological Trust but unfortunately we don't have a record of whether we ever received a reply.

I would be grateful if you could review the LRFN and return any comments by **Friday 24th May**. Comments can be entered into the Historic Environment section of the document or emailed to me. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

Do please call if you need to discuss this or the Cefn Croes screening sent yesterday.

Many thanks,

Candida Diamond

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