

Alice Pyper

From: Alice Pyper
Sent: 25 January 2024 12:36
To: Thornton, Leila
Cc: Dumbreck, Duncan
Subject: Re: Heritage advice - 4 Rivers for LIFE river restoration schemes

Hi Leila,
I came across this consultation which I don't think I ever responded to - so sorry. I've had a look at the two consultations and screened against the HER and other sources and no Historic features have been identified that should be impacted by the proposals. Just downstream of the works at 'Into the Sticks' I have identified a 'dam' recorded on the 1st edition OS maps :

130292	A dam shown on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, diverting water to a mill leat serving the Woollen Factory PRN 108909.	https://archwilio.org.uk/arch/query/page.php?watprn=DAT130292&dbname=\$geoGroupId&tbnname=core	POST MEDIEVAL	DAM	SM9291128926	
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Let me know if you have any further queries, and again massive apologies for the delay,
Best wishes
Alice

From: Thornton, Leila <Leila.Thornton@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk>
Sent: 14 July 2023 4:19 PM
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Subject: Heritage advice - 4 Rivers for LIFE river restoration schemes

Hi Alice, hope all's well with you ?

I'm getting in touch as we are currently firming up on the detail of a couple of river restoration schemes on the upper Western Cleddau that we plan to take forward under the 4 Rivers for LIFE project. These include:

- (i) introduction of large woody material to a 600m reach of river channel at Llangloffan fen to improve channel morphology and accelerate recovery following historic straightening and deepening of the channel; and
- (ii) reintroduction of boulders to a 100m river reach in the vicinity of Penrallt on the upper Western Cleddau. Boulders have been removed from this part of the Western Cleddau through historic river management works and are still present along the banks of the river. Returning the boulders to the channel will restore a more varied channel morphology.

We are currently finalising supporting information for our FRAP applications so you will be consulted formally via that route, but I thought it would be helpful to provide advance notice of the schemes for your advice.

I have attached our project proposals for the two sites as well as our environmental screening notes. You will see that there are a number of HER records in the vicinity of the proposed works, but these do not fall within the proposed work area or access routes.

It would be useful to have your advice on these and happy to set up a meeting if you'd like any further detail ? I will actually be on leave from the 20th July for 3 weeks, but am available early next week or after my return on the 10th August. Alternatively my colleague Duncan (cc'd) will be able to provide further detail in my absence.

All the best,
Leila

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