

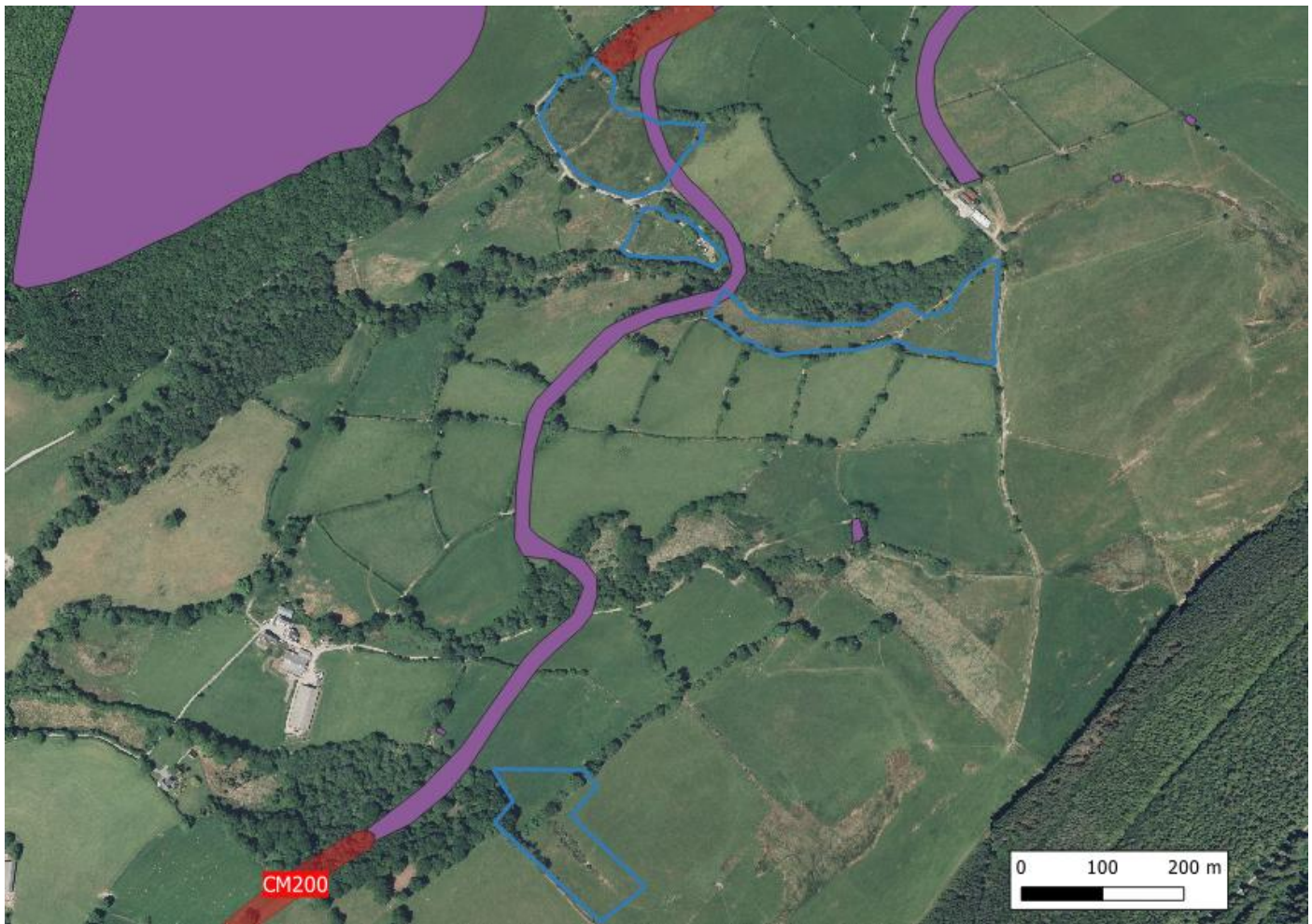
Woodland Creation: Consultation Advice Form

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EOI	Pre app ref:24-CJ-255
Application Name	Maemoi and Glanmeddyg farm
Parcel No.	
NGR	SN6749941917
Option Number (if known)	
Woodland category	native broadleaf woodland
Woodland Planner	
Service Provider	Heneb – Dyfed Archaeology
Officer	C Enright
HEF UID	
Advice (If the proposal is considered to be inappropriate at this location please provide an explanation)	<p>Due to the proximity of the planting proposal to the Scheduled Monument CM200 (Dolaucothi Roman Aquaduct), Cadw must be consulted.</p> <p>The area of the proposed planting is located within a wider landscape of significant Roman and Prehistoric activity, centred around the internationally important Dolaucothi goldmine. Given the archaeological sensitivity of the area, there is a high potential for further unrecorded archaeological remains within the application area.</p> <p>As part of the Roman gold mining complex, there are known leats (water management systems) in the area, with some sections being scheduled monuments. However, other sections of these leats remain poorly understood, and it is possible that the proposed woodland creation could disturb previously unrecorded elements of these systems.</p> <p>Recommendations: To assess the potential impact of the woodland planting on the archaeological resource, we strongly advise that a Desk-Based Assessment (DBA) be undertaken. This assessment should include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A site walkover survey to identify visible features and assess the potential for unrecorded archaeological remains.



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An evaluation of the impact of the proposed planting on the setting of the historic features, particularly in relation to the Dolaucothi goldmine and its associated leats. Additionally, Cadw may want to advise for a setting assessment of the scheduled Monument. A thorough review of available archaeological resources such as LiDAR data, aerial photographs (APs), the Historic Environment Record (HER), and other relevant archaeological assessments carried out in the area. <p>The DBA should be proportionate, with a focus on understanding the course of water management systems associated with Dolaucothi and the potential for archaeologically sensitive buried deposits.</p> <p>Additionally, the DBA should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide sufficient information to enable an informed decision on whether further archaeological investigations are necessary, such as a geophysical survey, to determine the presence of any buried archaeology. Be carried out in accordance with a Written Scheme of Investigation (WSI), which should be agreed upon with Heneb Dyfed Heritage Management and must conform to the standards and guidance set by the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists (CIfA). <p>Please contact Heneb Dyfed Heritage Management for further guidance and to discuss the next steps.</p>		
Further Assessment Required?	Yes		
Map attached?	Yes		
Date received	15-10-24	Date replied	23-10-24





Google Satellite image.

The application proposal is indicated by the blue polygons.

The Scheduled Monument (CM200) is shown in red.

The purple curvilinear polygons represent the projected route of Roman leats. Lidar imagery suggests that the exact course of these leats may not be accurately mapped and they are likely to pass through the proposed planting areas.

