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16/06/98

Dear Steve,

## ST MARYS CHURCH HORNCASTLE APP S/086/1565/96

Enclosed are the results etc of the watching brief that I carried for the Vicar at Horncastle.

I don't know why it has taken me so long to be able to write that I ddn't find anything. Somehow it seemed harder that writing about having found something!

Regards Pat LB

Po:- There are some general photos, mostly people/yew tree removal.

If archive want them, let me know ~

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## ST MARYS CHURCH HORNCASTLE LINCS ARCHAEOLOGICAL WATCHING BRIEF

The formation of a tarmac turning circle to the north of the church porch, and a path to St Catherines Room, was carried out on 21st/22nd April 1998. The church is situated within the south west corner of the Roman town, and an archaeological watching brief was carried out on the excavated area. Plan 01.

A mature Yew tree was removed from the site and replanted at the Lincolnshire Trust for Nature Conservation.

Artifacts retrieved were post-Mediaeval and modern pottery, a few oyster shells and a quantity of human bone. None of the bone was 'in situ', and it was returned to the Vicar in Charge for re-burial. The remains were of several adults and a few infant bones.

No archaeological features or artifacts of pre-Mediaeval date were present.

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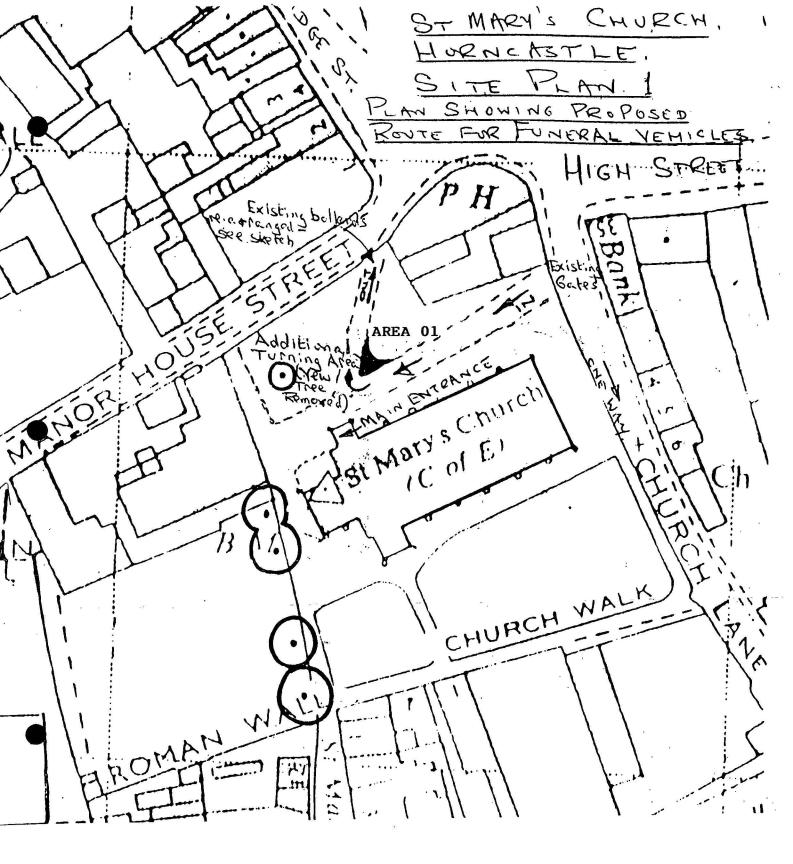
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Lincs Co. Archaeologist ELDC Planning Dept.

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