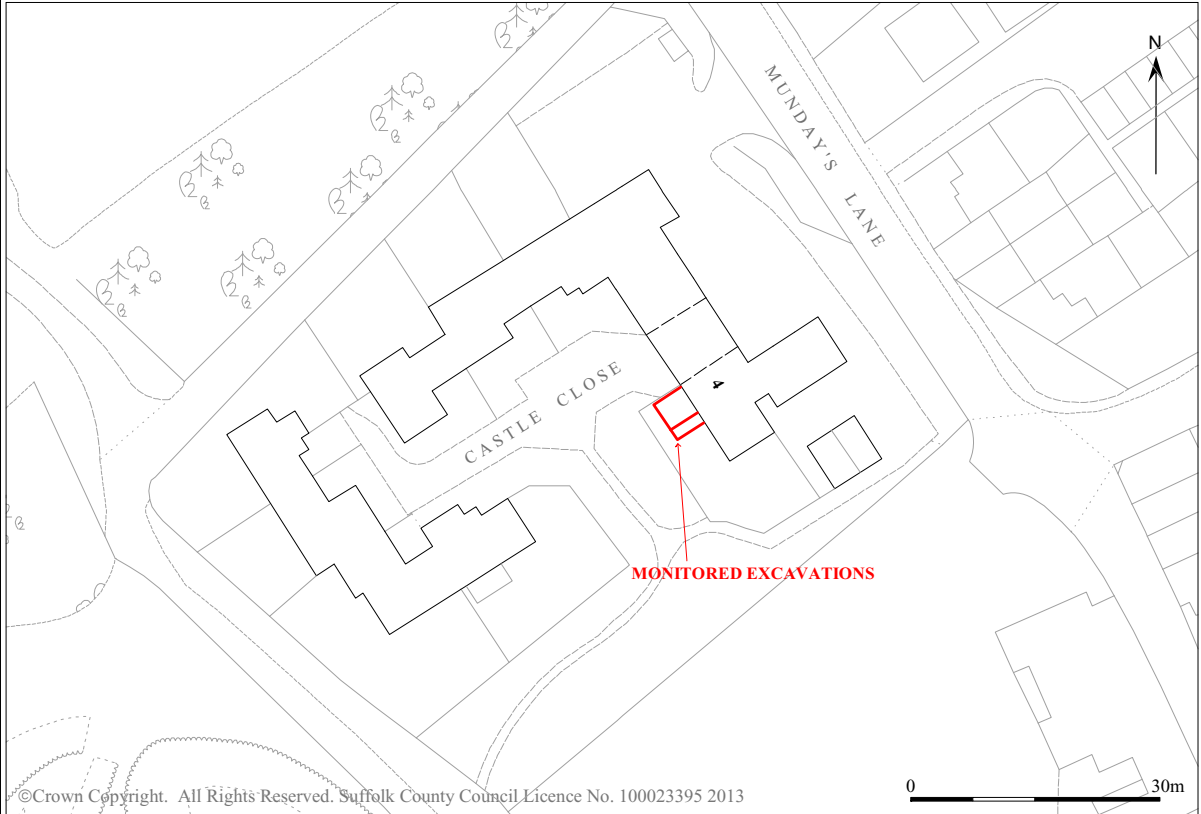


ARCHAEOLOGICAL MONITORING REPORT

SCCAS REPORT No. 2013/093	Parish: Orford
4 CASTLE CLOSE ORFORD	Planning Application No.: C/07/0682/FUL
	HER Event No.: ORF 132
	<i>OASIS ref: suffolkc1-154168</i>
Address: 4, Castle Close Orford	Grid Reference: TM 4200 4997
	Number of Site visits: 2
	Date of visits: 27th and 28th June 2013
Nature of the work: excavation of foundation trenches for extension to existing property.	
Reason for condition: site is located in the medieval historic core of Orford and close to the site of a group of Roman cremations (ref. ORF 011)	
% of total seen: 100% of footing trenches	
Location Map:	
	
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Results: Groundwork undertaken for the construction of an extension to the rear of 4, Castle Close, Orford, was archaeologically monitored. The extension was being built on a strip foundation. The foundation trench was hand excavated and was inspected over a period of two consecutive days.

The trench measured 0.6m deep. It was cut through the garden topsoil and just onto the surface of an underlying deposit of pale orange sandy silt. It was not possible to ascertain if this was the natural subsoil or a later deposit.

No archaeological features were identified in the trench and no artefacts were recovered.



Plate 1. Stratigraphy as revealed by the footing trench.

Finds: none

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Date: 1st July 2013