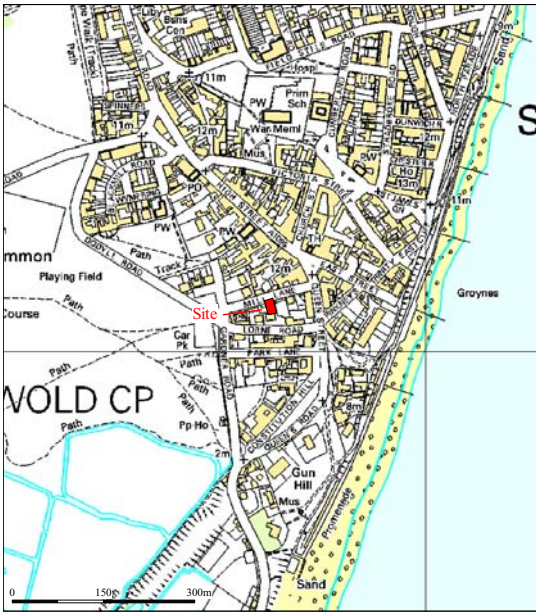
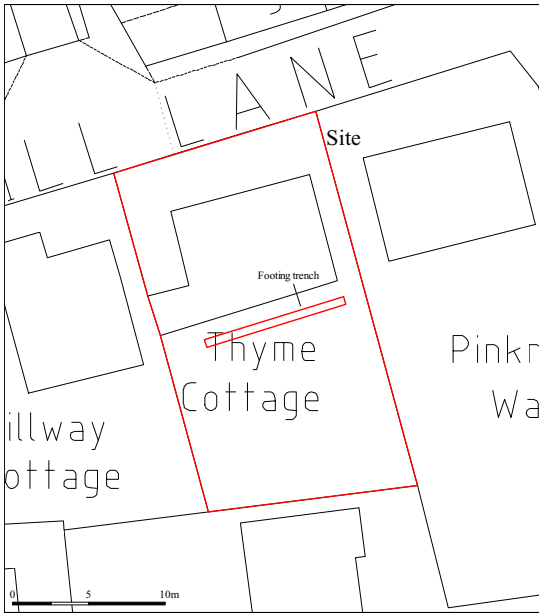


ARCHAEOLOGICAL MONITORING REPORT

SCCAS REPORT No. 2013/116	Parish: Southwold
Thyme Cottage, Southwold SWD 069	Planning Application No.: DC/12/1184
	OASIS No. Suffolkc1-159704
	HER Event No.: SWD 069
Address: Thyme Cottage, Mill Lane, Southwold, IP18 6HW	Grid Reference: TM 5074 7607
	Number of Site visits: 1
	Date of visits: 23/09/2013
<p>Archaeological monitoring of new footings for an extension to the rear of Thyme Cottage, Mill Lane, Southwold was undertaken on the 23rd September 2013. A single trench was observed running the width of the previous building, 0.5m wide and c.0.1m deep.</p>	
Location Map:	Trench plan:
	

Results:

The observed stratigraphy consisted of c.1.0m of homogenous made ground/garden soil, a dark brown/blackish sandy silt with moderate small-medium gravel inclusions and occasional Ceramic Building Material (CBM) fragments and some plastic/metal fragments close to the surface. A modern drain was observed in the western end of the trench at approx 0.5m below the surface. No definable archaeological deposits were noted.



Plate 1. Footing section facing north (western end)

It is considered relevant that the garden soil level at the rear of the property was approximately 1.2m above the surface level in the street to the front of the property – suggesting a considerable amount of buildup within the plot boundary, in common with visible parts of most of the other properties on the south side of this street.

Finds: N/A

Retained N/A

Recorded by: Simon Cass

Date: 24/09/2013