

Devon County Council Historic Environment Record

Civil Parish & District: Bishopsteignton, Teignbridge	National Grid Reference SX 91775 75440	Number:
Subject: Archaeological monitoring at the 7 th Tee, Teignmouth Golf Course		Photo attached? N
Planning Application no: 09/00757/FUL	Recipient museum: Royal Albert Memorial Museum	
OASIS ID: exeterar1-67494	Museum Accession no: 277/2009	
Contractor's reference number/code: EA6887	Dates fieldwork undertaken: 07.07.2009 and 16.11.2009	
<p>Description of works: Archaeological monitoring was undertaken by Exeter Archaeology during groundworks associated with the construction of a new toilet adjacent to the 7th tee at Teignmouth Golf Club, Bishopsteignton, Devon. The work was required as a condition of planning permission. Teignmouth Golf Course broadly occupies the southwestern portion of Little Haldon, a southern outlier of the hills that form Great Haldon to the north, and overlooks, from a height of some 245m AOD, the mouth of the river Teign to the south. The geology comprises Eocene gravels over Cretaceous greensand, supporting heath with mixed birch and pine scrub.</p> <p>The proposed development comprises the construction of a single new toilet block 1.8m square, a 2m square septic tank, and a soakaway trench 500mm wide and 10m long, adjacent to the 7th tee.</p> <p>Results: In all cases, groundworks exposed only c.200mm of stoney heathland soil and heather root-mat lying directly on natural flint gravel.</p> <p>Conclusion: No archaeological features, deposits, or artefacts were present.</p>		
Recorders: P. Pearce & A. Farnell (Exeter Archaeology)		Date sent to HER: 16-11-2009

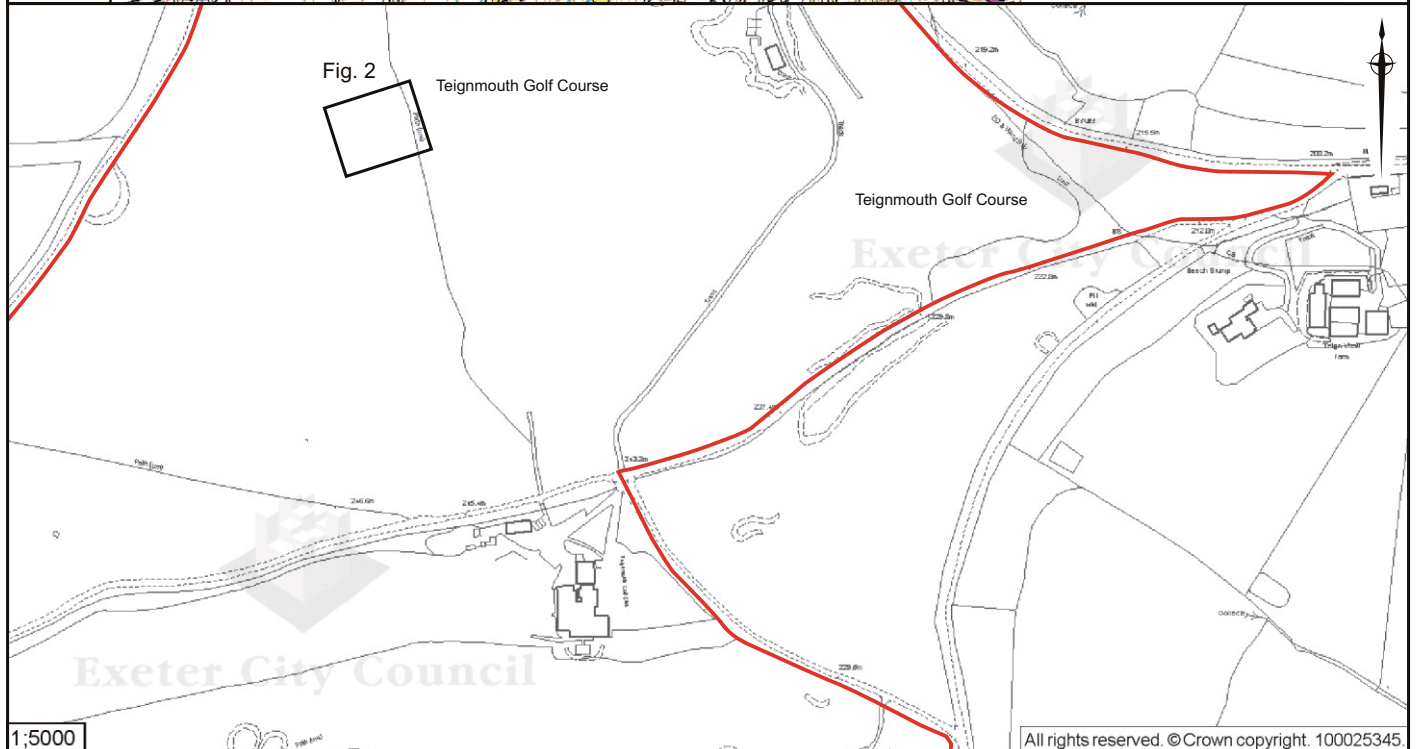


Fig. 1 Site location.

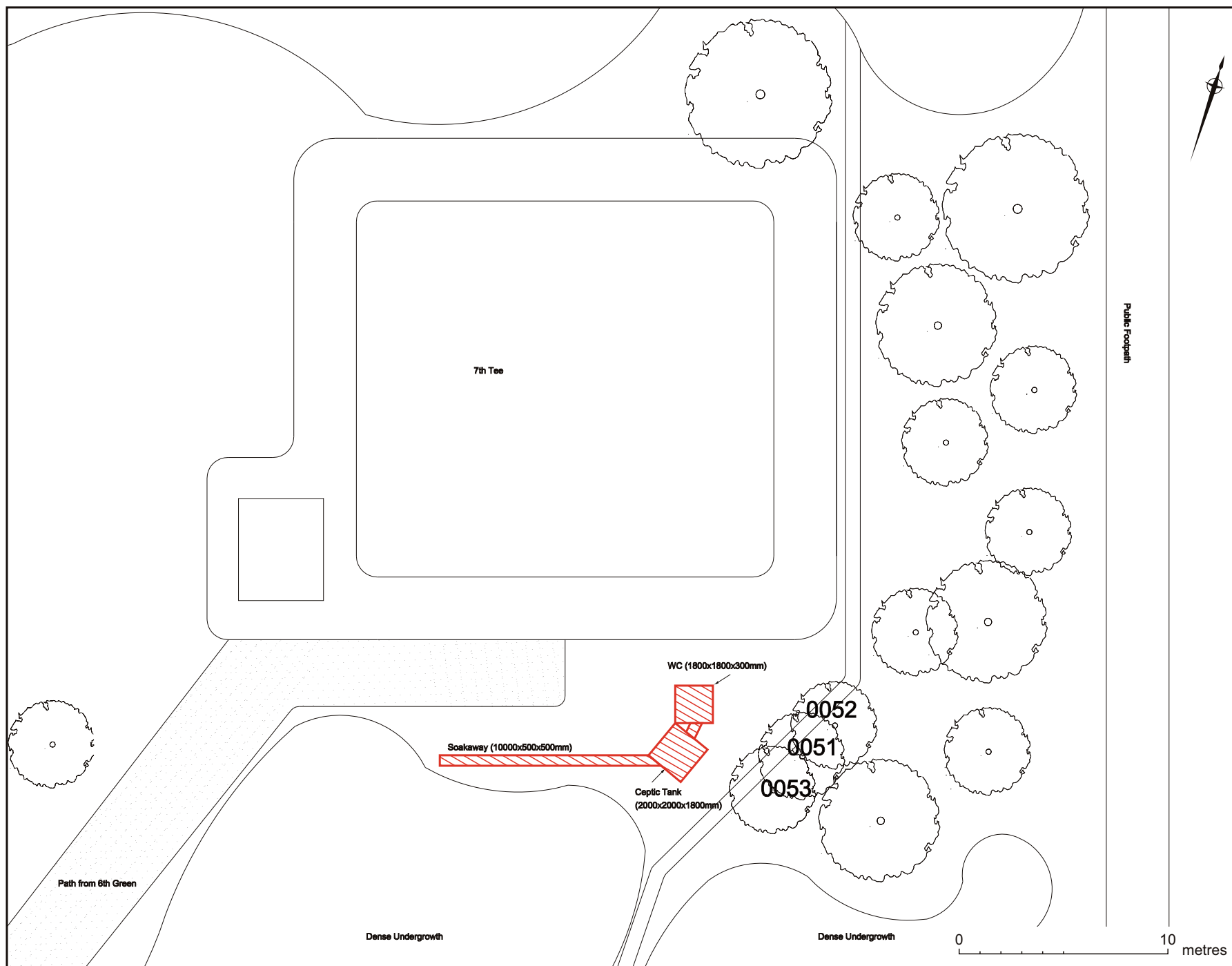


Fig. 2 Location of observations (red). Plan reproduced with the permission of MJS Printing and Design.