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Glamorgan-Gwent Archaeology

Our ref: A64635/JD

ARCHAEOLOGICAL PLANNING

Head of Planning and Economic Regeneration
Newport City Council
Civic Centre
NEWPORT
NP20 4UR

20th October 2025

FAO: Emma Brinkworth

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Re: Proposed conversion of integral garage and erection of attached garage to side of dwelling.
Plot 5, Site Of 21, St Mellons Road, Marshfield, Cardiff
Pl.App.No: 25/0739**

Thank you for notifying us of this application; consequently, we have reviewed the detailed information contained on your website and can confirm that archaeological mitigation is not required. We have reviewed the area against the information in the regional Historic Environment Record (HER) which shows as follows:

The proposed works are within the Archaeologically Sensitive Area (ASA) of Newport, and just outside the border of the Historic Landscape of the Gwent Levels (HLW(Gt)2), specifically the Characterisation Area of Marshfield (HLCA020). A review of the 1st – 3rd Edition (1883; 1901; 1920) historic Ordnance Survey maps show no archaeological features within the proposed works area, except for the 'Bro Dawel' farm to the north-east, later known as 'Marshfield House'. The proposal includes internal alterations and a side extension. Whilst the works are of moderate scale, with our understanding of the historic environment, it is unlikely that significant archaeological features will be encountered or that existing features will be disturbed. Therefore, the potential impact is considered low.

As a result, there is unlikely to be an archaeological restraint to this proposed development and consequently, as the archaeological advisors to your Members, we have no objections to the positive determination of this application. The record is not definitive, however, and features may be disturbed during the course of the work. In this event, please contact this division of the Trust.

If you have any questions or require further advice on this matter, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours faithfully,

Cadeirydd / Chair: Dr Carol Bell

PSG / CEO: Richard Nicholls

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