



**Monitoring Report No. 14**

**MOYRY CASTLE  
CARRICKBROAD  
COUNTY ARMAGH**

**AE/04/142**

**NICHOLAS BEER**

## Site Specific Information

*Site Name:* Moyry Castle

*Townland:* Carrickbroad

*SMR No:* ARM 032:005

State Care  Scheduled  Other

*Grid Ref:* J 05761466

*County:* Armagh

*Excavation Licence No:* AE/04/142

*Dates of Monitoring:* 24/08/04

*Archaeologist Present:* Nicholas Beer

*Brief Summary:* Monitoring carried out in advance of the erection of an information board, on behalf of Regeneration of South Armagh (ROSA). Nothing of archaeological significance encountered.

*Type of monitoring:* Single trench excavated by hand.

*Size of area opened:* 0.4 m x 0.4 m.

*Current Land Use:* Monument in State Care.

*Intended Land Use:* N/A

**Plan of site showing extent of area monitored:**

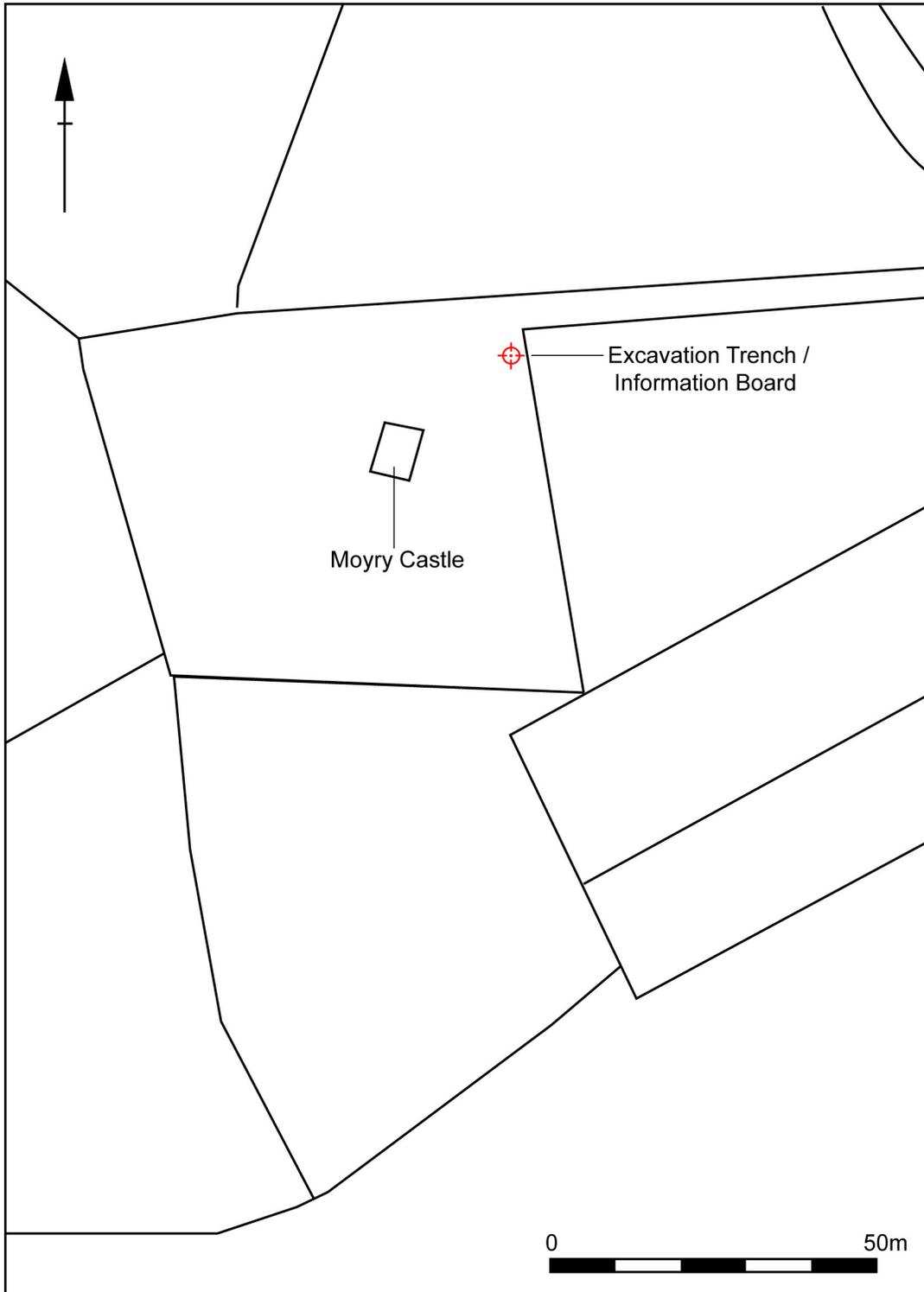


Figure One: Plan of approximate location of Moyry Castle information board

**Account of monitoring results.**

A small trench (0.4 m x 0.4 m) was excavated to a depth of 0.75 m for the installation of an information board at Moyry Castle, County Armagh. During the excavation two deposits were discovered.

The first deposit (Context No. 101) was a dark brown loam topsoil, which extended to a depth of 0.2 m. Underlying Context No. 101 was an orange brown loam deposit (Context No. 102) which extended to a depth of at least 0.75 m

No features or finds of archaeological importance were uncovered during this excavation.

**Archive:**

*Finds: N/A*

*Photographs: 3 slide images held by CAF.*

*Plans / Drawings: N/A*

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