

Memo

To: Director, Development Services
Attn: Brent Vivian
From: Geoff Bailey
Date: 21 May 2021 **Tel:**

**P/21/0046/FUL | Erection of 9 Dwellinghouses with Associated Garages and
Engineering Infrastructure | Site To The West Of Castlewood Glen Road Torwood**

There are no known archaeological sites within the proposed development area. Torwood Castle lies to the south and Torwood Castle and the Roman road to the south-west, but these are some distance away. The nearest site of historic interest is the massive quarry immediately to the south-west. It is so old that it does not even appear on the first edition OS map in 1860. It is believed that the stone was used in the construction of Stirling Castle.

However, the proposed housing stops just shy of the quarry. The topsoil coverage on the site is shallow and so the probability of any archaeological remains of significance is slight. We therefore have no objections to the proposed development.

Yours sincerely,

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