

1.0 PARISH	Hawley (formerly Yateley)
2.0 HUNDRED	Cron dall
3.0 NGR	4485350 158850 (Hawley Park)
4.0 GEOLOGY	Barton Sand; island of Plateau Gravels to south-west

5.0 SITE CONTEXT

The focal point of Hawley is Hawley Park, a sub-triangular area of land within 100m of the northern boundary of Rushmoor District. The Park is defined by three roads. East, and parallel with the River Blackwater is the A3272 and a band of Modern residential development. To the west is an unclassified road which skirts Hawley Common. A minor route (Fernhill Lane) forms the base of the Park triangle (south) and between this and the Rushmoor District boundary (c. 100m) Modern housing over spills from the Farnborough suburb of Fox Lane (however, the distinction is clear; earlier C20 villas in Hawley, Council housing in Farnborough). At the centre of Hawley Park is the C18 house and farm of the same name. This complex of buildings stands at c. 75m AOD, commanding views across the valley of the Blackwater. At the apex of the Park triangle (north) stands the C19 parish church.

6.0 PLAN TYPE & DESCRIPTION

Individual farmsteads and common edge settlement

Little can be said about medieval or earlier settlement at Hawley. The first known mention of the place-name in 1248 (15.0) might indicate that there was a farmstead of noteworthy size but to go further than this would be to enter into the realms of conjecture.

6.1 *Dispersed farmsteads* The Tithe Map (1846; Map 2) indicates an area of dispersed farmsteads, principally along the route of the B3272 between Blackwater and the northern suburbs of Farnborough (see sub-paragraph 7.1).

6.2 *Common edge* At 486000 158300 the Tithe Map shows a regular row, including a number of empty plots, along the B3272 (south-eastwards) and along what is now known as Fernhill Lane. The layout of the settlement suggests that it may have been of common edge origin. The dispersed farms and the common edge rows have been virtually erased by Modern development.

6.3 Hawley Park House is significant in the context of post-medieval archaeology but it has no known antecedents on the site.

6.4 *Site visit condition:* hazy sun; dry.

7.0 ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

7.1 *AsAP*

7.1.1 The documentary reference to a medieval settlement site at Hawley Green (sub-paragraph 17.1) is possibly an allusion to Hawley Green Farm on the B3272 (NGR 485700 159100). The farm buildings and paddocks as shown on the 1846 Tithe Map constitute an AAP.

7.1.2 Fernhill Farm (NGR 486100 158300) is also shown on the 1846 Tithe Map and it is possible that it was a member of a group of farms of medieval or earlier origin which are spaced along the route of the B3272.

7.2 *AsHAP*

None

8.0 CHURCH & CHURCHYARD

Holy Trinity, Blackwater, 1837. Additions and substantial re-building 1857, 1863, 1882 (*architects*: JB Clacy and C Buckeridge).

9.0 BUILDINGS

PRN	Details	Dates	Grade
4001	Great Bramshot Farmhouse	C17	II
4002	Hawley Park House (including Flats 1-7)	C18, 19	II
4004	Holy Trinity Church, Hawley Green	(1837) 1857	II
4005	Henry Randell's Farmhouses	1857	II
4006	Whitefriars, Hawley Road	C17 & later	II
	Primary school	C19	

10.0 SMR DATA SW 485000 158000, NE 486100 159560

SU85NE	No.		
	4	485000 115800	Mesolithic. Flint core & 3 flakes / blades. Farnham Museum.
	6	485290 159380	C19 parish church.
	17	485200 158500	Post-medieval. Ice-house.
	18	485400 158800	Post-medieval. Ice-house at Hawley (Park) House.

11.0 ADDITIONAL SITES / FEATURES

None.

12.0 CARTOGRAPHIC SOURCES

- Tithe Map 21M65/F7/271/2 (1846/*)
- GSGB 285 Aldershot (1976)
- OS 1: 2500 SW 485000 158000, NE 486100 159560
- OS 1: 25000 Pathfinder 1205 (SU 85/95), Farnborough and Aldershot

13.0 BIBLIOGRAPHY

14.0 PRIMARY HISTORIC SOURCES**14.1 Domesday Book**

Not listed, but **Minley** (in the same parish) is described (*qv*)
 69,10 Alfsi holds Minley. Alfwy held it from King Edward in freehold. Then and now
 it paid tax for 2 hides. Land for 1 plough. 5 villagers with 2 ploughs. The value is and
 was 20s.

14.2 Subsidy Rolls

1334	Not listed	
1524	<i>1st survey:</i>	Not listed.
	<i>2nd survey:</i>	£1. 14. 2 (23 taxpayers)

14.3 Manorial Documents

The tithings of Yateley and Hawley were described as parcels of the manor of Crondall
 in 1567 (VCH 4: 22)

14.4 Hearth Tax

1665	110 hearths chargeable (42 houses) 7 hearths not chargeable (7 houses). Total: 49 houses.
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15.0 PLACE NAME

1248 *Halely*; 1248 *Hallee*; 1280 *Hallegh*. Perhaps OE / ME *Healhleah* or *Healhaleah*
 'clearing or meadow of the nook(s)'; alternatively 'projecting corner of administrative
 unit' (*ie* close to county boundary with Surrey - IH/vii/98)

16.0 PHOTOGRAPHS**17.0 OTHER PROJECT ELEMENTS****17.1 Other parish settlements include:**

Blackwater 484800 165000	Lay Subsidy return, 1327
Bramshot Farm 483200 156000	C10 as <i>brembelshate</i> (corner of land with brambles)
Cove Farm 484500 158300	Lay Subsidy return, 1327
Minley (<i>qv</i>) 482500 158000	
Southwood / Southward 484400 155500	1248 as <i>Sudwde</i> (wood to the south)
Hawley Green 485200 165300	Lays Subsidy return, 1327

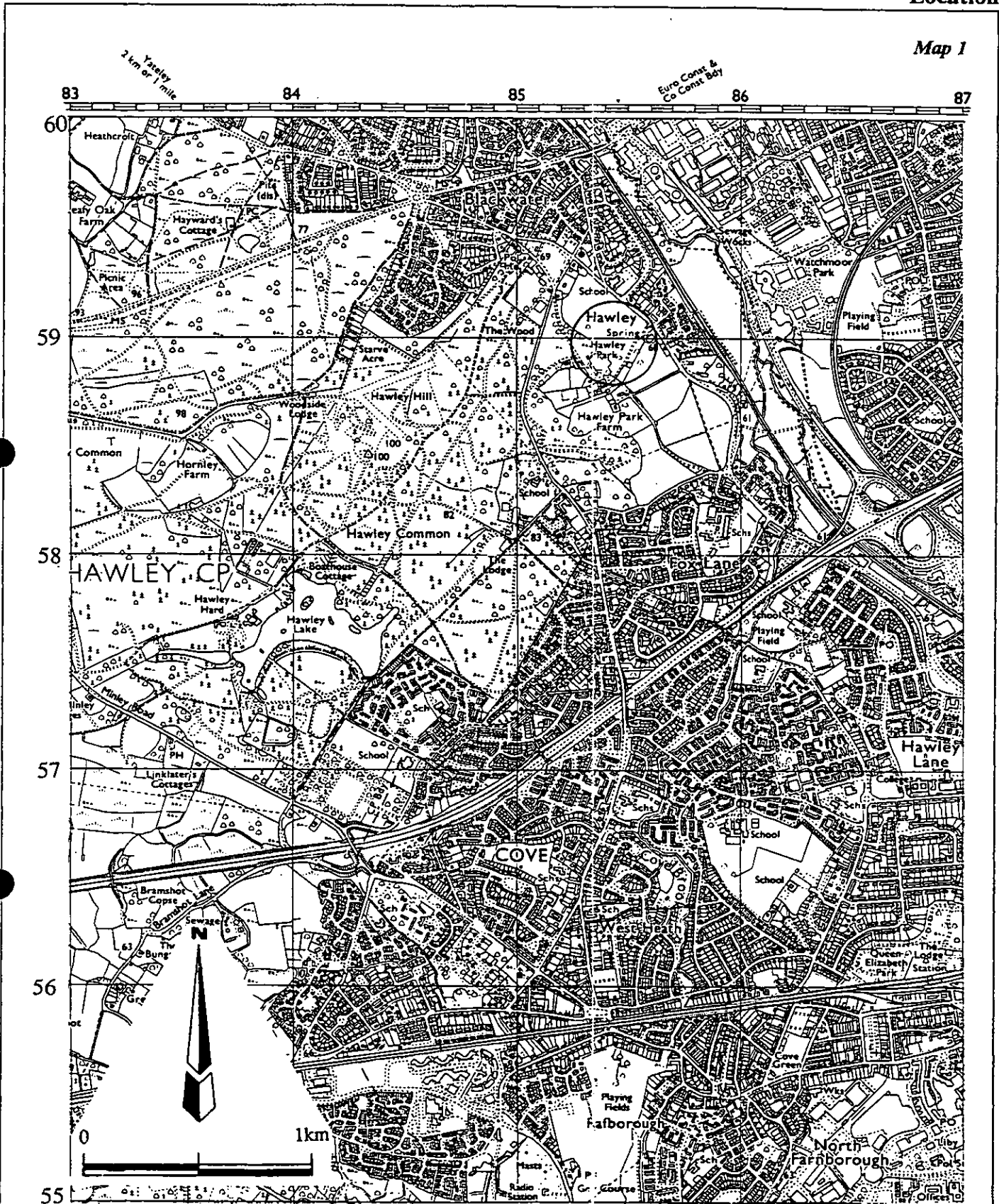
18.0 ILLUSTRATIONS

- 1 Location map at 1: 25000
- 2 Tithe Map transcription at 1: 2500 (reduced by 50%)
- 3 Map: Development and Archaeological Features at 1: 10000
- 4 Map: Areas of Archaeological Potential at 1: 10000

Hawley

Location

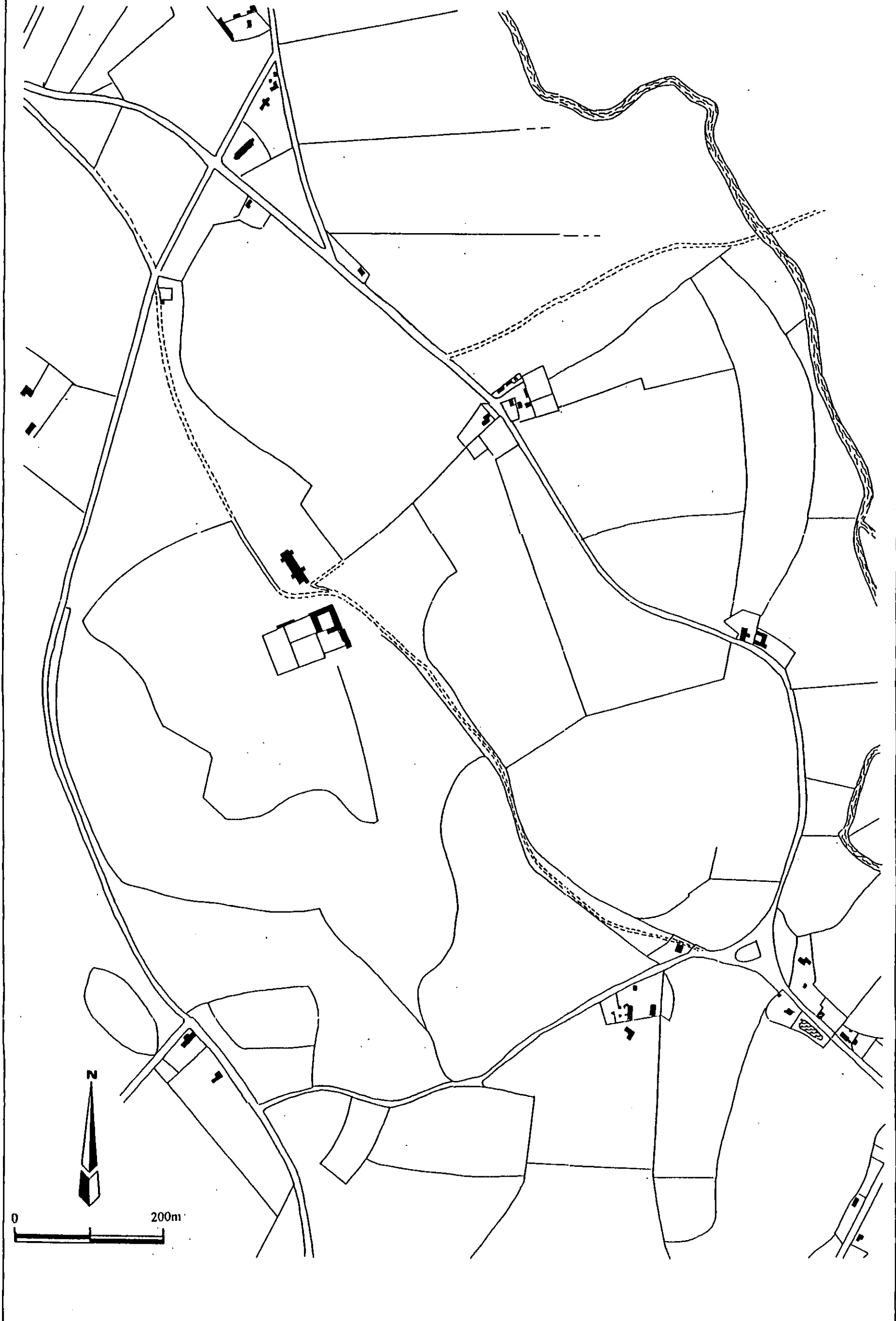
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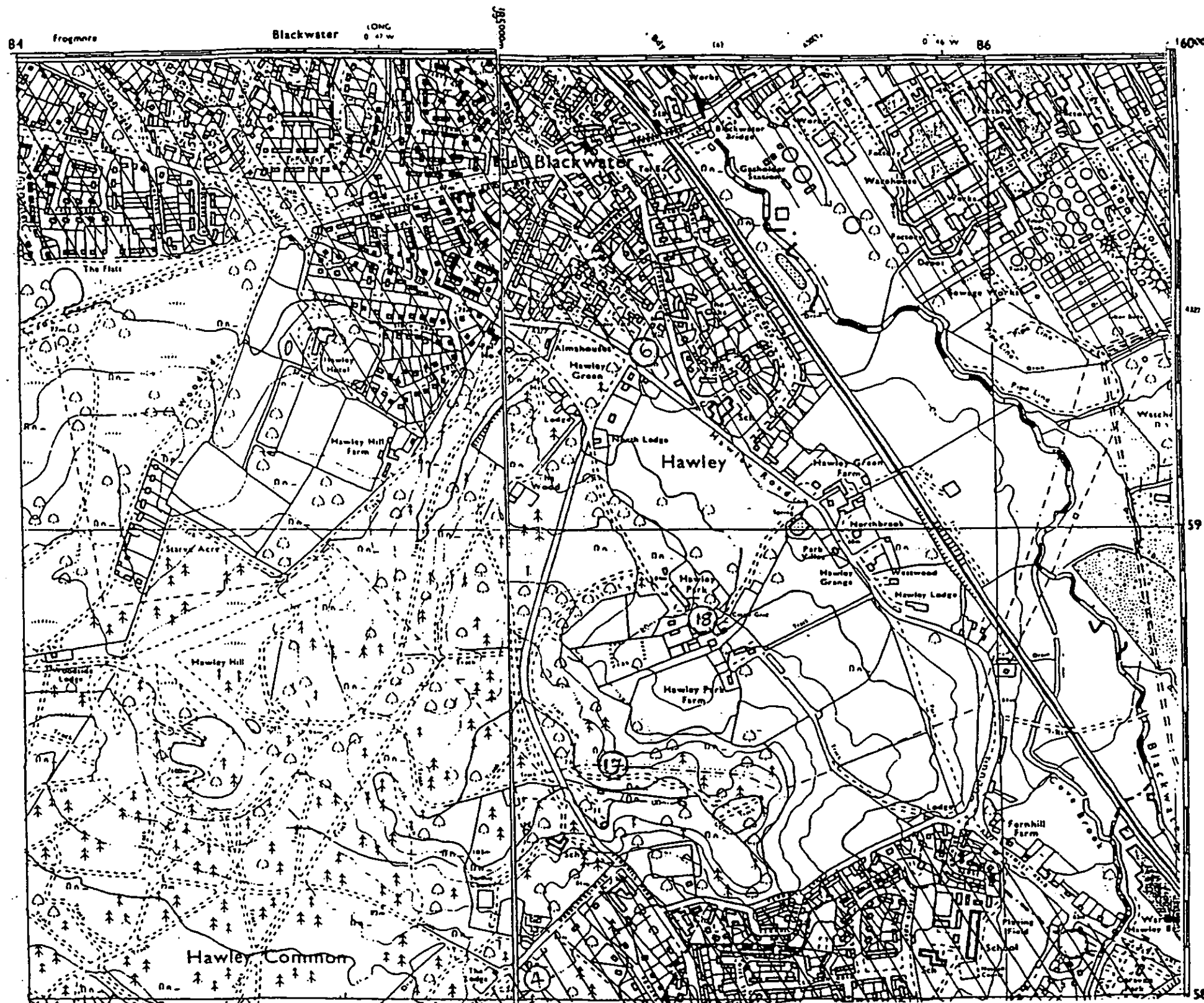


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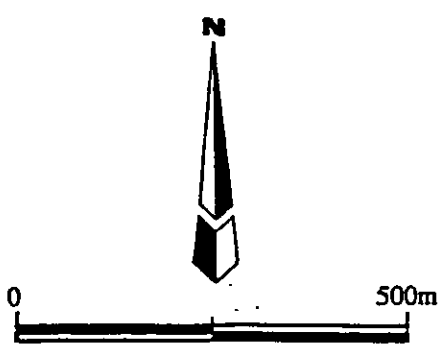
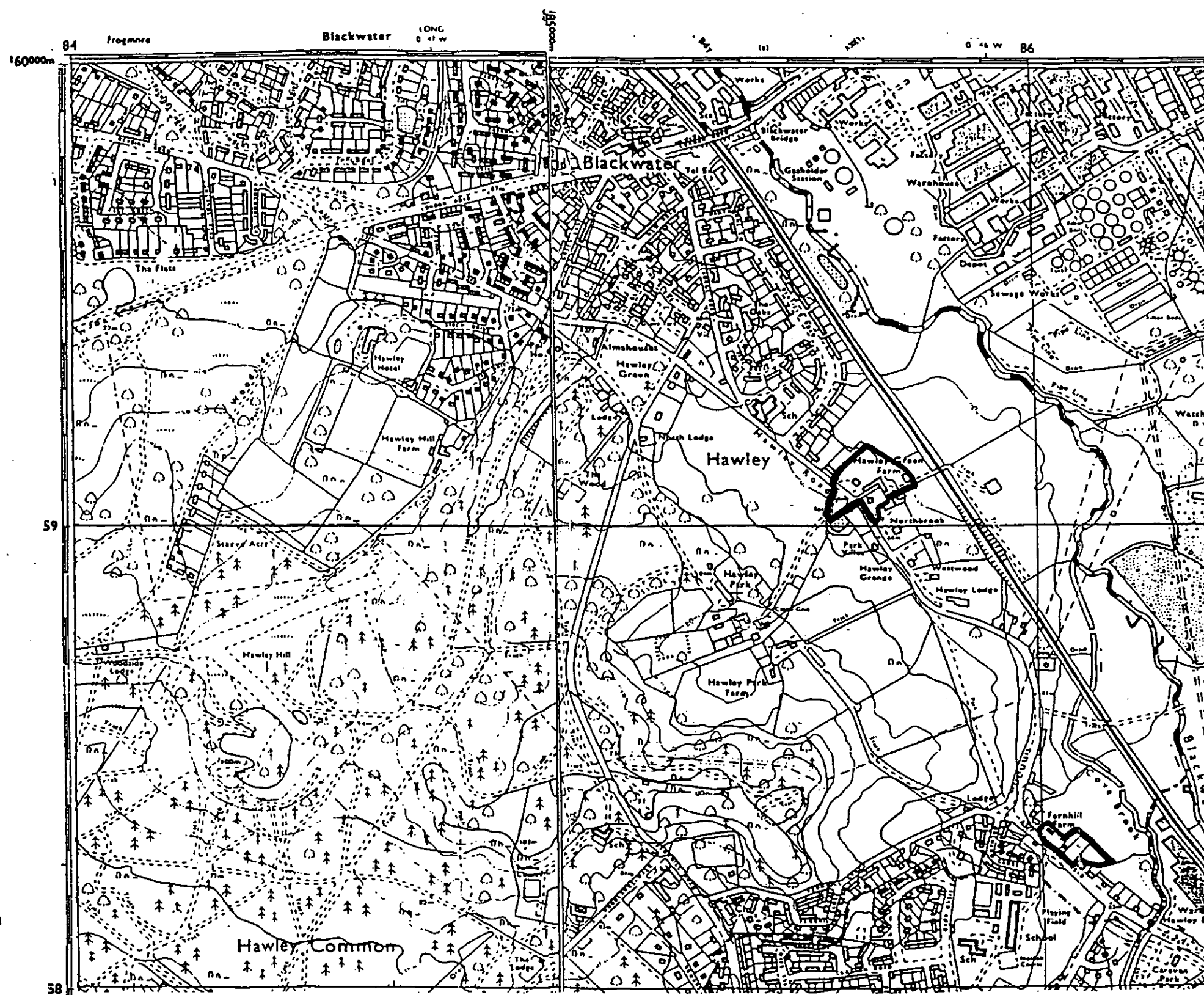
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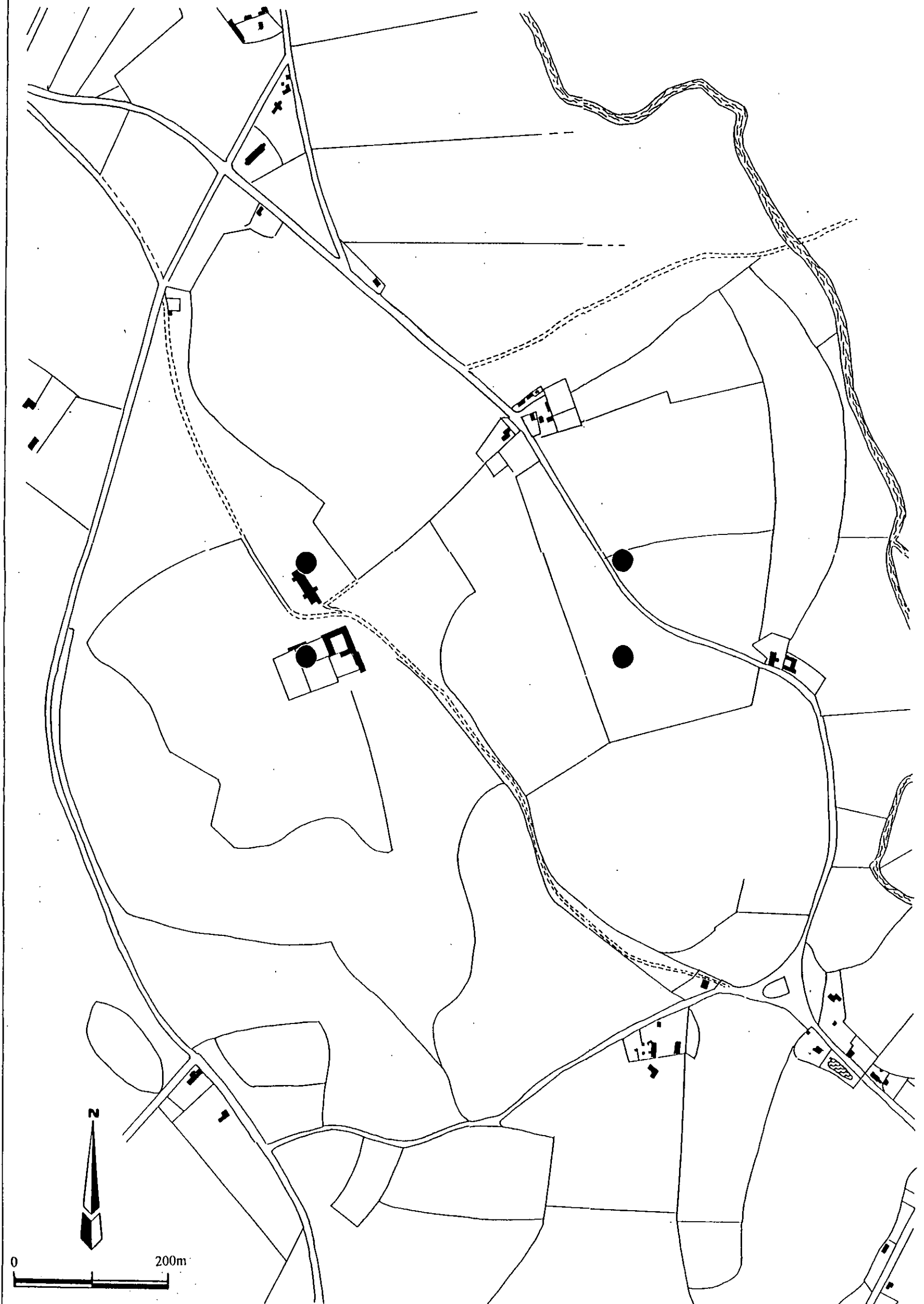
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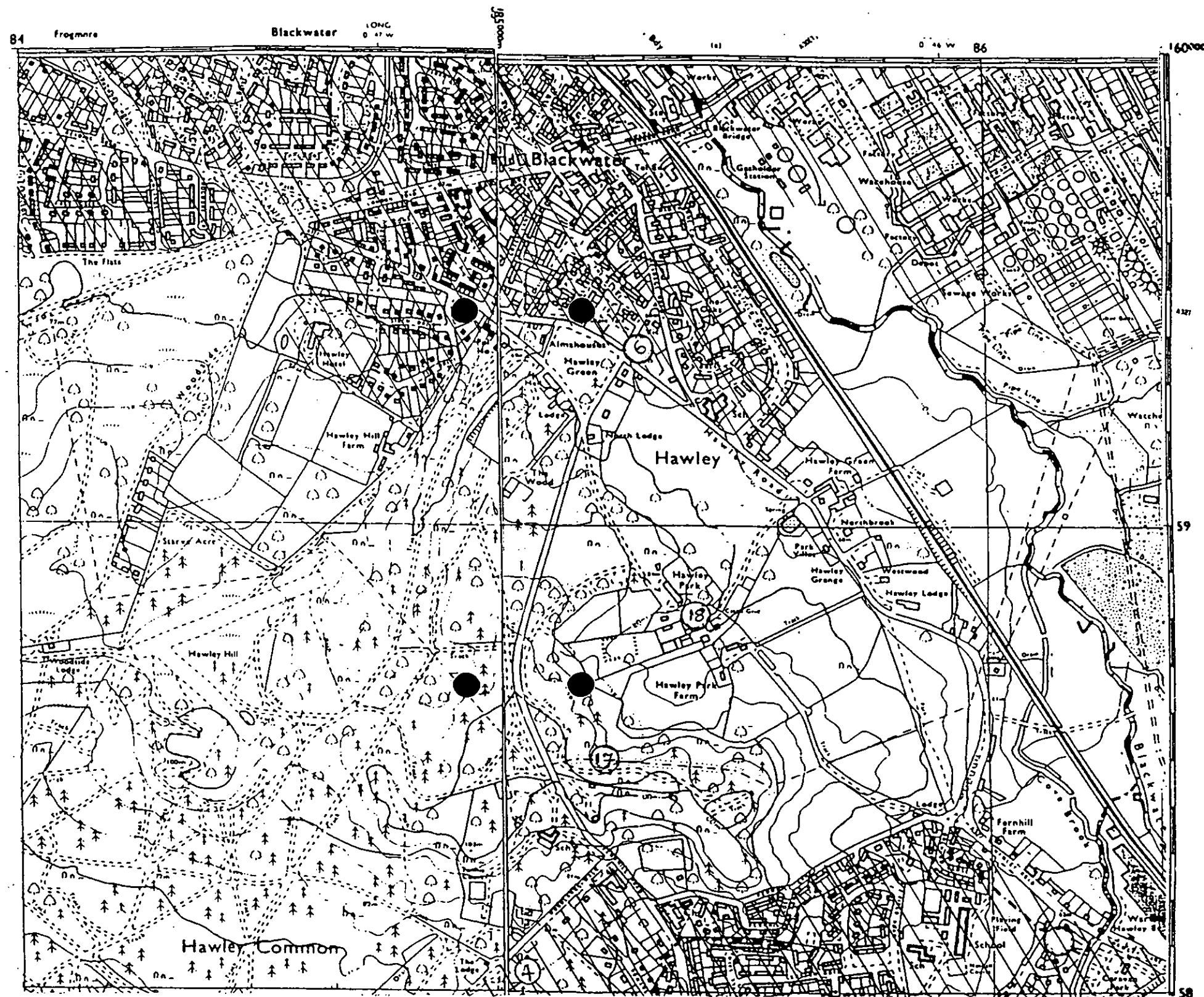


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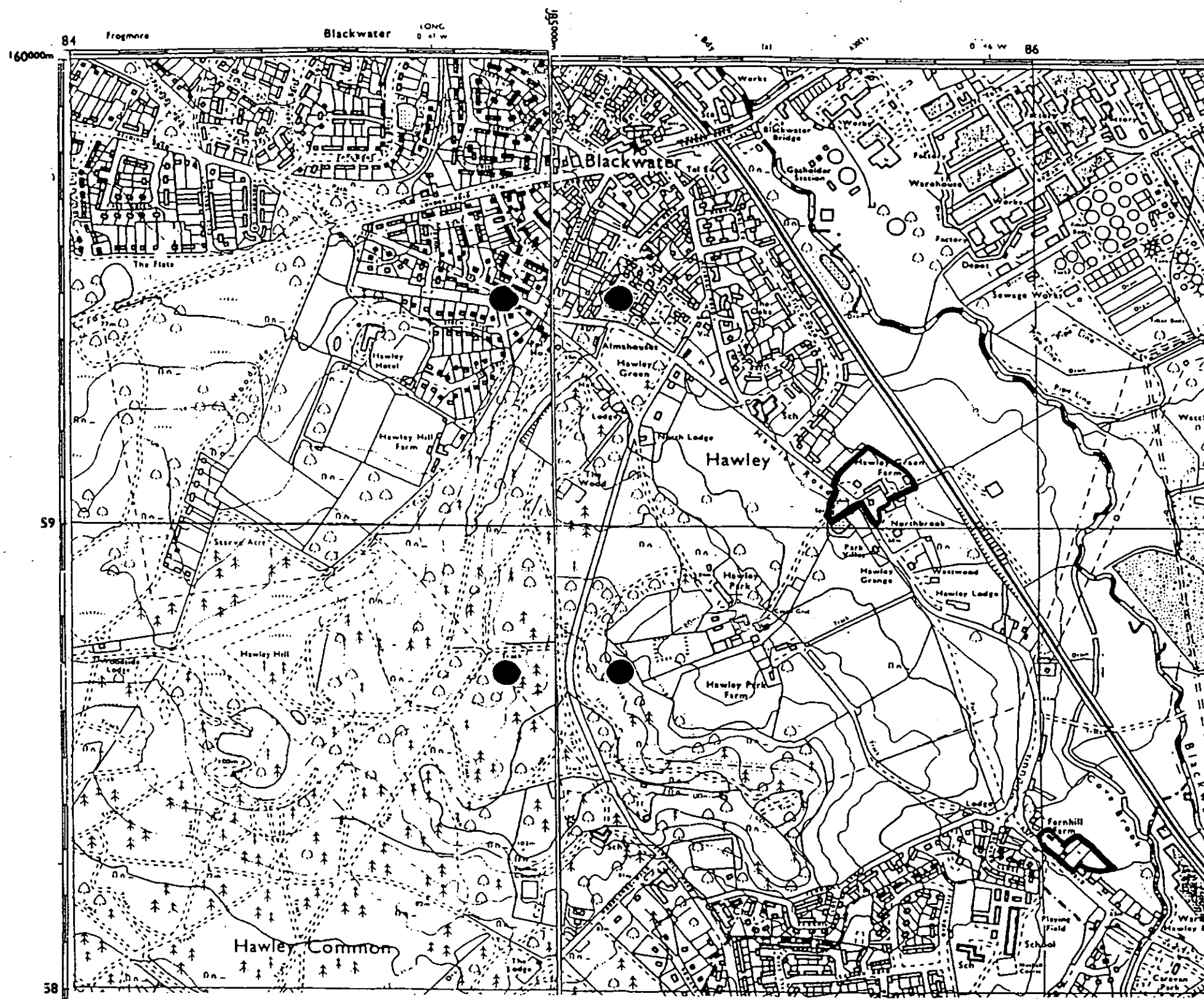


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Areas of Archaeological Potential

Map 4



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