

- 1.0 PARISH** Mattingley (formerly Heckfield)
2.0 HUNDRED Holdshot
3.0 NGR SU 47300 15915
4.0 GEOLOGY On an island of Valley Gravel encompassed by London Clay.

5.0 SITE CONTEXT

Hound Green is situated on the B3349 Reading Road at c. 60m AOD. There is a regular trapezium-shaped green on the west side of the road and this is the focal point of a settlement of substantially Modern housing. Two tracks join the Reading Road here. The first is a public right of way which leads off eastwards from the north end of the green towards Hazeley. The second track clips the south end of the green leading westwards and has now been adopted as Vicarage Lane. A tributary of the River Whitewater is bridged by the Reading Road c. 160m south-east of the settlement.

6.0 PLAN TYPE & DESCRIPTION

Common edge agglomeration

6.1 The key to understanding Hound Green can be found in the relationship of roads to green. It is clear from the Tithe Map (Heckfield, 1840) that Vicarage Lane, the track from Hazeley and the south end of the Reading Road, literally funnelled onto (or off) the green. In the case of the Hazeley track, the funnel had already been exploited as a subdivided property plot by 1840. At the north end of the Reading Road, movement was controlled by a toll gate. In 1840, there were two enclosures on the green, each with its associated crofts. One, in the north-west corner, now contains Modern buildings. The other is situated at the eastern margin, close to the road and opposite the junction with the Hazeley track. This enclosure is extant, complete with a squatter-type structure of ship-lap construction, though this is clearly not the same building as that shown on the Tithe Map. All of the features described above would be consistent with the use of Hound Green as a large pound associated with droving routes, possibly a resting place for stock. There was an ample water supply in the form of a small stream at the northern edge of the green. Control of stock movement is certainly implied by the presence of the toll gate and the instrument of that control may well have been the Church.

Approximately 400m west, down Vicarage Lane, is Chaseden (C17), formerly the Vicarage, and in association with this building, the Tithe Map shows a complex of barns, one of which still stands in front of Glebe Cottage. Hound Green is almost equidistant between the churches at Heckfield and Mattingley, both of which were in Heckfield parish in 1840. The track eastwards leads to the common grazing lands of Hazeley Heath, whilst Vicarage Lane provides access to the Green for a number of outlying farms on the western boundary of the parish. Hound Green was therefore a central place for widely dispersed settlement and, as if to confirm this status, a school was built here during C19 (9.0). It is not yet possible to determine when Hound Green was established, but if Chasedon can be dated to C17, then one might suggest that it is at least as early as that.

6.1.1 In 1840, the properties at the north-east end of the green formed a loose agglomeration with common edge characteristics.

6.1 *Site visit conditions:* strong, low sun; dry.

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7.0 ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

7.1 *AsAP* (Map 4, page 181)

7.1.1 The planned glebe plots from Chasedon (C17) east to (and including) the house known as Glencoe. Surviving structural evidence makes this the earliest part of Hound Green.

7.1.2 The small enclosure (with wooden building) on the north-east edge of the green which is a good example of a squatter plot undisturbed by Modern replacement building. In spite of Modern development, the enclosure in the north-west corner of the green retains archaeological potential. In particular, an 1840s cottage site on the southern perimeter remains undisturbed on an area of raised ground which extends almost to Vicarage Lane. The AAP is also extended to enclose the properties which have been constructed in the *funnel* track which leads north-east to Hazeley.

7.2. *AHAP* (Map 4, page 181)

Within the AAP described in 7.1.1 but with special emphasis upon Chasedon, Glebe Cottage and The Vicarage; the ecclesiastical buildings.

8.0 CHURCH & CHURCHYARD

No church

9.0 BUILDINGS

PRN	Details	Dates	Grade
4062	The Old Schoolhouse (listed under Heckfield) NB This does not appear to be the same building as the one marked on the Tithe Map which would make the extant building mid- C19 or later.	early C19	II
2526	Chaseden (The Vicarage), Vicarage Lane	C17, 18, 19	II
unlisted	Glebe Cottage: barn south of (Vicarage Lane)	C18	

10.0 SMR DATA SW 47250 15830, NE 47330 15970

SU75NW No sites

11.0 ADDITIONAL SITES / FEATURES

1	472990 159180	Squatter cottage and enclosure site, 1840
2	472910 159120	Squatter cottage site adjacent to enclosure on raised ground.

12.0 CARTOGRAPHIC SOURCES

- Tithe Map 21M65/F7/114/2 (1840 / 41)
- GSGB 284 Basingstoke
- OS 1: 2500 SW 47247 15879, NE 47337 15939
- OS 1: 25000 Pathfinder 1204 (SU 65/75), Basingstoke

13.0 BIBLIOGRAPHY

14.0 PRIMARY HISTORIC SOURCES

14.1 Domesday Book Not mentioned.

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14.2 Subsidy Rolls

Not mentioned under benchmark dates of 1334 and 1524. Presumably included within Heckfield.

14.3 Manorial Documents

No manorial status.

14.4 Hearth Tax

Not mentioned under benchmark date of 1665. Presumably included within Heckfield.

15.0 PLACE NAME

Not listed by Coates or Ekwall.

16.0 PHOTOGRAPHS

17.0 OTHER PROJECT ELEMENTS

17.1 Site of a fulling mill and Dyer's Greenwood (*genista tinctoria* L) is common in the area (Taverner, 1957: 60).

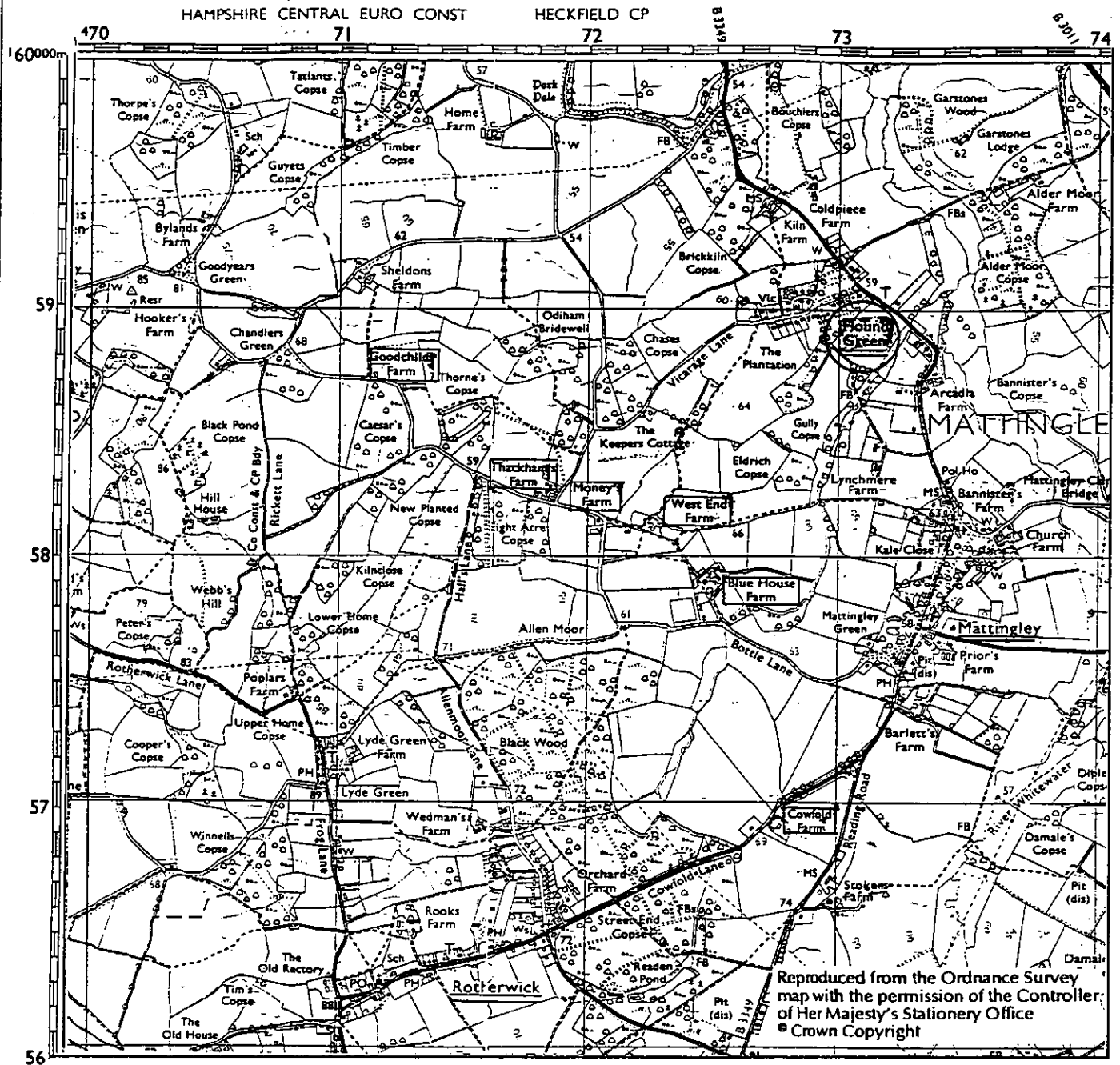
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- 4 Map: Areas of Archaeological Potential at 1: 2500

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Location

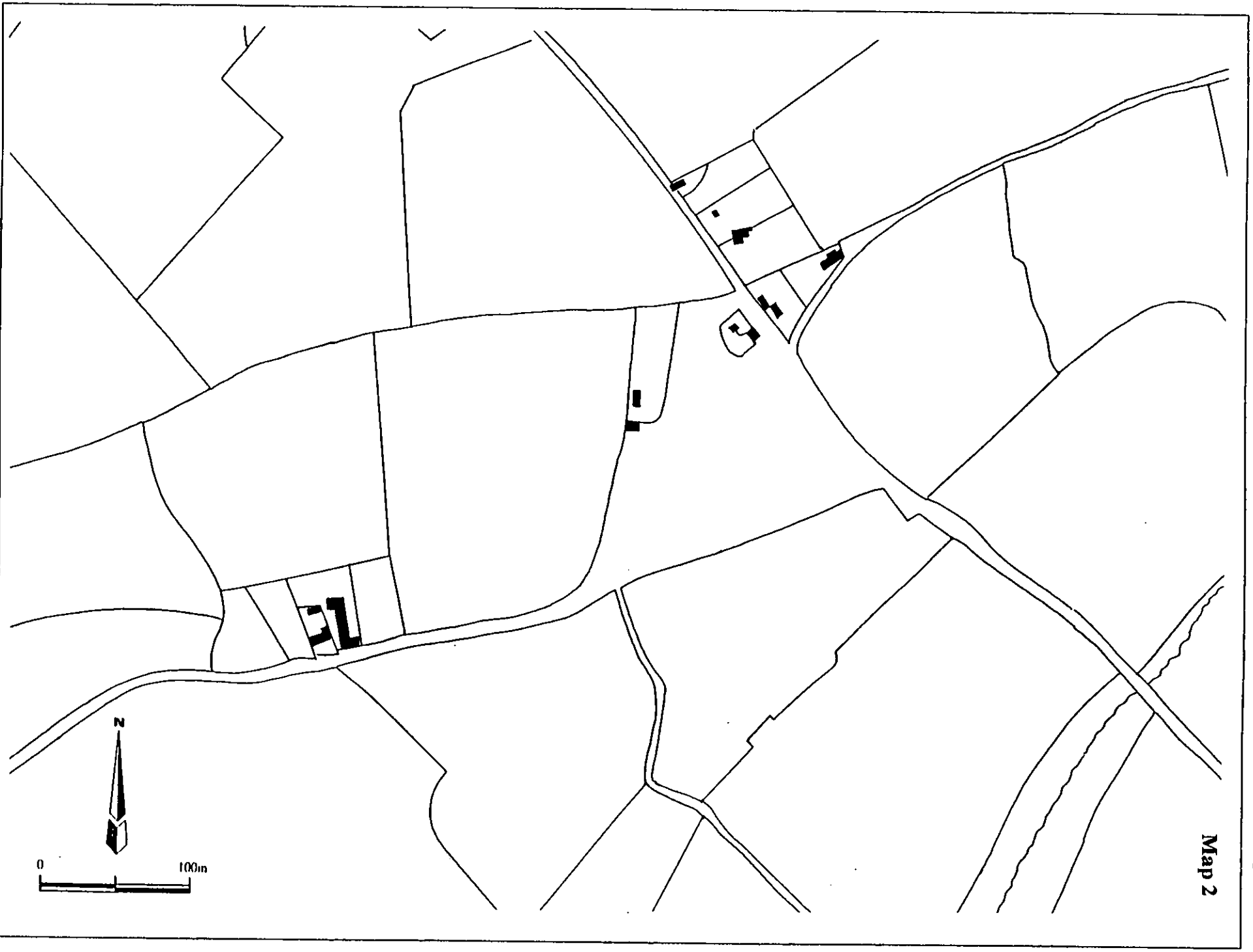
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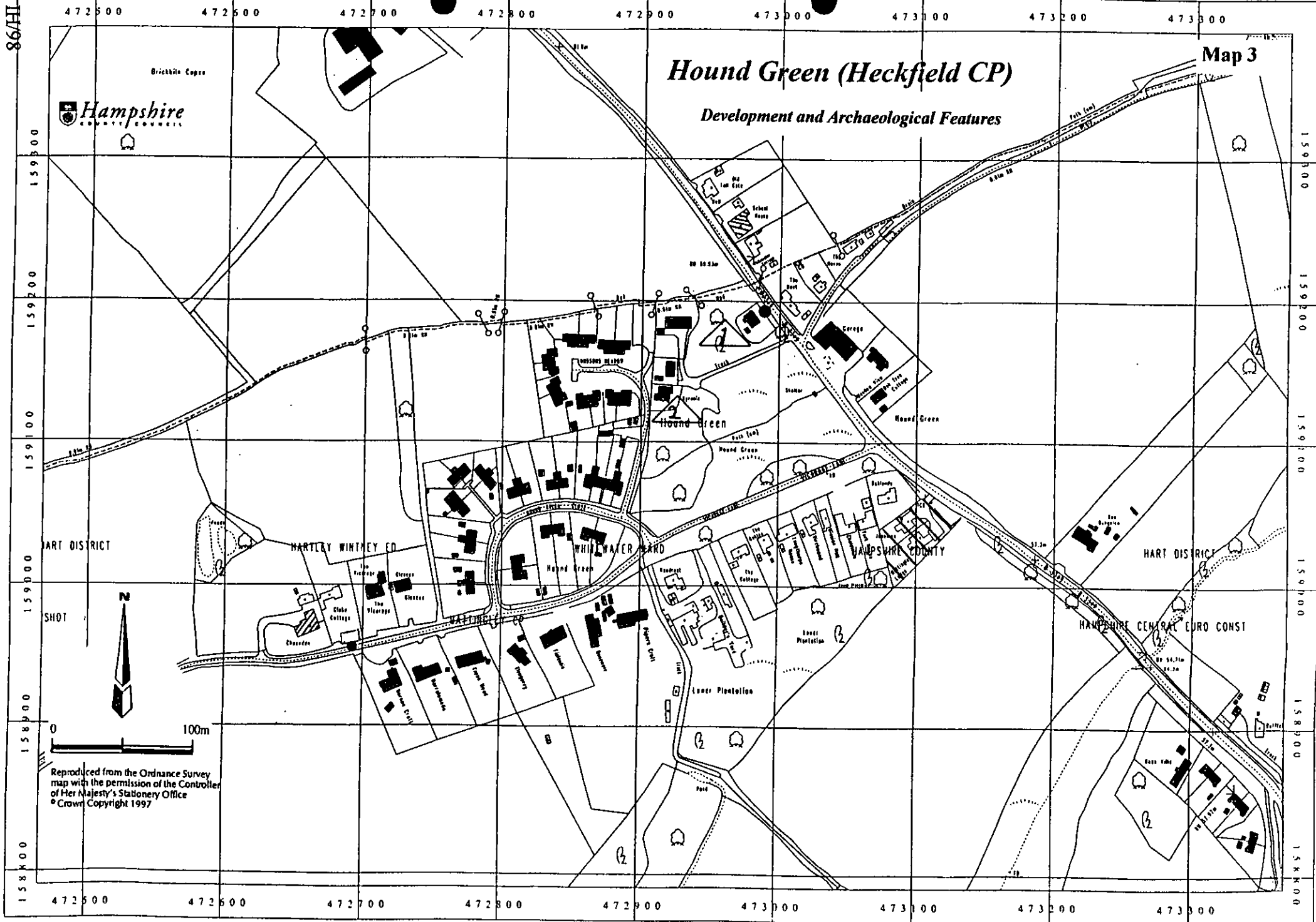


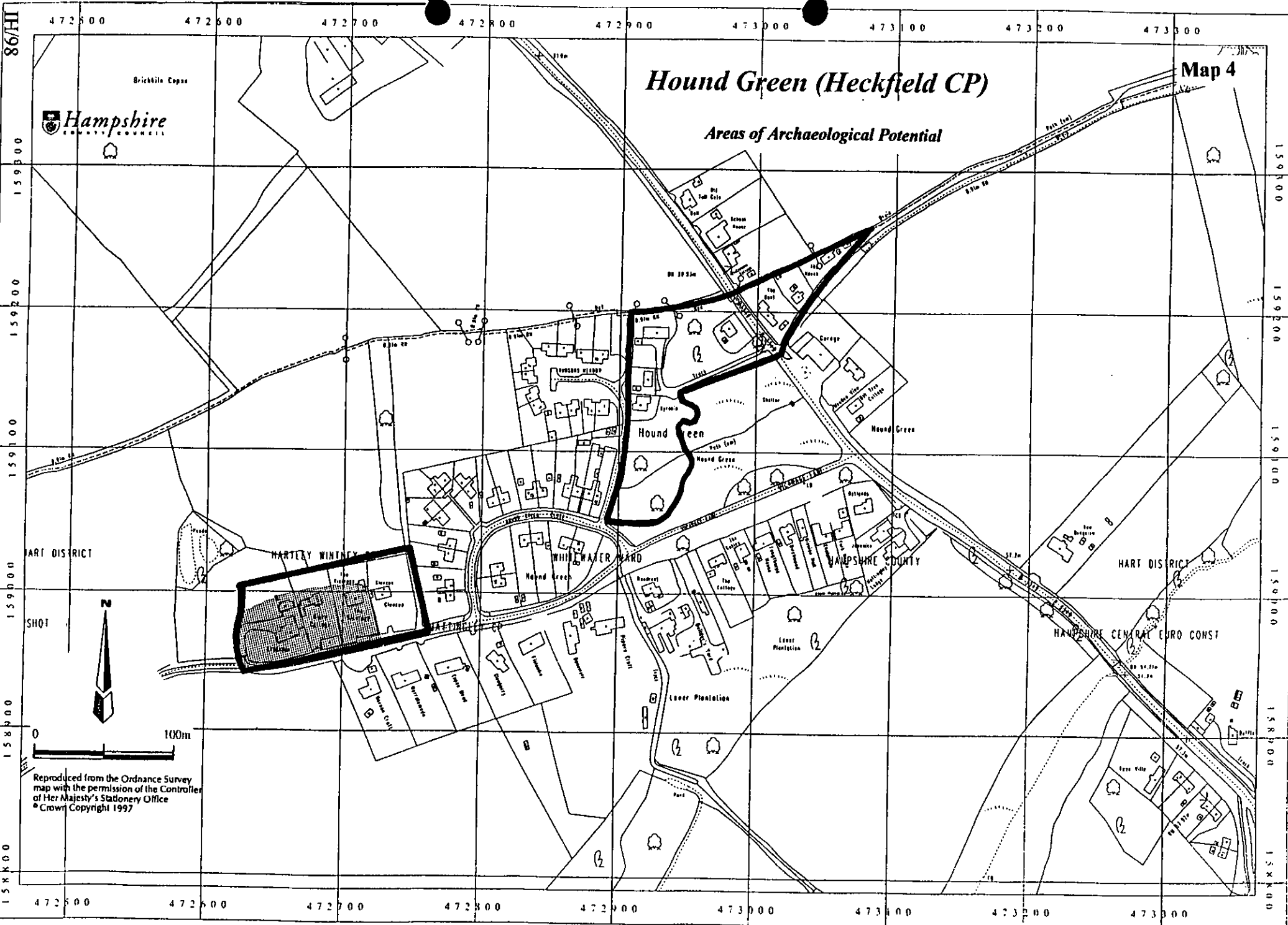
Hound Green

transcribed from the Tithe Map of 1840

Map 2



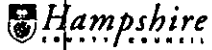




Hound Green (Heckfield CP)

Areas of Archaeological Potential

Map 4



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HART DISTRICT

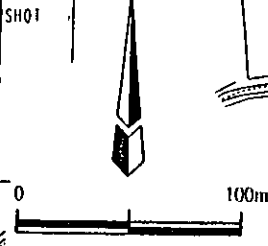
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WHITWATER PARK

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