From: donotreply@HistoricEngland.org.uk

Sent: 10 June 2021 10:08

**Subject:** Listing and Designation Online Application (ref: 1476537)

Dear

Thank you for submitting your application ref: 1476537. This will now be considered by the Designation West Team, who will inform you about the progress of your application in due course. In the meantime, if you have any questions please email <a href="mailto:ApplicationsWest@HistoricEngland.org.uk">ApplicationsWest@HistoricEngland.org.uk</a> and a member of the team will get back to you.

If you indicated that you would post any documents or photographs these should be sent to:

Historic England Listing Team West 29 Queens Square Bristol BS14ND

Please quote this HE Application Reference Number in any correspondence: 1476537

Below is a summary of the application for your records. This is an automated email so please do not reply.

# **Application Summary**

### **Contact Details**

Telephone:
Alternative Telephone:
Organisation:
Job Title:
Address:

# **Application Type**

Type: New

**EAS Type:** Free Standard Service.

### Identification

Subject: TREMATON - Post Medieval Pound

Listing and Designation Online application

Primary County/Unitary Authority: Cornwall

#### Location

**Descriptive Location:** Grid Reference SX 3951 5976. At the junction of Duck Lane with Broad

Lane, Trematon, Saltash, Cornwall.

National Grid Reference: SX395597

### **Extent**

Extent saved.

### **Threat**

Is this asset under threat: Other

**Details of threat:** Trematon Pound is a small (Post Medieval 1540 AD - 1900 AD) stone

structure sited adjacent to the crossroads opposite Trematon Manor (PRN6416). It measures approximately 25ft east-west and 19ft north-south. The walls survive to a height of up to 8ft on the north side, but the other three sides have been reduced in the interest of viability for road users. The Cornwall and Isle of Scilly Historic Environment Record (HER Number 167029) record it as "Protected Status: None recorded". Historic England 'listing' would provide some protection from further

destruction or reduction.

Current Planning Application/ Permission/Marine Consent: This asset is **not** the subject of a current planning application,

permission or marine consent.

## **Ownership & Occupancy**

Owner: You are **not** the owner of part or all of the subject.

Occupier: You are **not** the occupier of part or all of the subject.

Owner/Occupier Details: Saltash Town Council - Email: <a href="mailto:enquiries@saltash.gov.uk">enquiries@saltash.gov.uk</a> - Telephone:

01752844846 - Owner - Owner - The Guildhall., 14 Lower Fore Street,

Saltash, , , PL12 6JX

#### Reasons

**Historical Interest:** Trematon Animal Pound is believed to be centuries old, possibly

medieval or even older. used to impound stray animals till the owner

paid a redemption fee or any taxes due.

It probably fell into disuse as an animal pound in the early 20th century. In the 1900 the Village Postman had a Tin Hut in the pound

where he rested and sorted mail.

In 1996 Saltash Old Cornwall Society decided that its restoration would be a society project in accordance with the society motto "Gather up the fragments that none may be lost" with the owners, Saltash Town Council's, support. The then Saltash Mayor opened up the restored Pound to public leisure and recreational use commenting that it was probably the oldest property in Saltash Town Council ownership: noting that restoration was carried out using traditional methods of

mortar and cow dung.

# **Photographs**

Uploaded Photograph/s: IMG\_0008.JPG - External - Pound exterior looking West towards gate

IMG\_0001.JPG - External - Trematon Pound exterior looking east IMG\_0028.JPG - Other - descriptive plaque on wall inside Trematon

Pound

Other Photograph/s: You will post photographs.

### **Documents**

Uploaded Documents: Cornwall Scilly HER\_record\_167029.pdf - Cornwall & Isles of Scilly

HER record no 167029

 $\label{eq:herman} \mbox{HER\_email.docx - HER Enquiries \& P Clements email}$ 

1868\_OS\_map\_of\_Trematon.docx - 1868 OS map shows Pound at

Trematon

1889\_OS\_map\_of\_Trematon.docx - 1889 OS map shows Pound

(disused) at Trematon

Other Documents You will post documents.

**Bibliographic References:** You have **not** provided any bibliographic references.

### Comments

#### Correspondence received from Applicant – 11th June 2021

Re.: my application

As you can see from my application it lacks any 'bibliographic references'. If Saltash Town Council does know of any please can they be sent on to Historic England at the address on their reply quoting the application reference number.

**Thanks** 

#### Correspondence received from Applicant – 15th June 2021

Dear all.

Attached is a copy of an email received from <a href="mailto:kresenkernow@cornwall.gov.uk">kresenkernow@cornwall.gov.uk</a>. It is <a href="mailto:lnformation">Information Classification CONTROLLED</a> but I have asked and received permission to share it with Saltash Town Council and Saltash Heritage.

It would seem there possibly is a lot more information about Trematon Pound: but it is not digitalised therefore it is not available online. I have checked the online National Archive records – but did not get far with that: - and I am not going all the way to Redruth and spend hours, if not days, going through their paper records.

I have submitted my application, with all the supporting information I do have, to Historic England for Trematon Pound to be listed and received an 'automatic' acknowledgement. I submitted the application both electronically and by post (Royal Mail) including copies of historic maps, photographs, documents and two Saltash & District Observer articles.

If anyone should want copies of my application, please let me know.

On 14 Jun 2021, at 13:01, Kresen Kernow <a href="mailto:kresenkernow@cornwall.gov.uk">kresenkernow@cornwall.gov.uk</a> wrote:

Information Classification: CONTROLLED

Dear

Thank you for your email.

We are currently working on the Manorial Documents Register Project for Cornwall, information about which can be found at <a href="https://kresenkernow.org/our-collections/manorial-documents/">https://kresenkernow.org/our-collections/manorial-documents/</a>. I've checked with the project archivist who says that depending on the manor there was usually an officer appointed yearly at court to oversee the pound and stray animals etc. This information and any fines tenants would have received would be noted in the court rolls/books and accounts. Information about repairs would probably be noted in the steward accounts.

Trematon Manor was owned by the Duchy of Cornwall. Court rolls for the Duchy of Cornwall are mainly held at the National Archives, information about which is available at <a href="Manors: further research - The National Archives">Manors: further research - The National Archives</a>. Archives for the Duchy are held by the Duchy of Cornwall Office, <a href="Duchy of Cornwall Office">Duchy of Cornwall Office</a> | <a href="The National Archives">The National Archives</a>. We do hold a plan of the manor, reference X59/14, which was produced to confirm and enfranchise the estates of conventionary tenants of the manor in 1845.

The information board shown on one of your pictures states that the pound was also used by the parish. We hold a large collection of records for St Stephens by Saltash parish, catalogued under the reference number P214. This collection doesn't contain records specifically relating to the pound, but there may be information in the churchwardens' accounts (reference P214/5). The full catalogue for this collection can be searched on our online catalogue <a href="https://kresenkernow.org/">https://kresenkernow.org/</a>.

You would be welcome to visit us to view any of the records or books we hold. We are open Tuesday to Thursday for booked appointments only. We are operating two sessions a day: morning (9.30am-12.30pm) and afternoon (1.30pm-4pm). Each person needs a separate booking. When booking please let us know whether you need the archive or the library. You need a space in the library if you wish to view books (except rare books), pamphlets and serials as well as parish registers, wills and newspapers which are on microfiche/film. An archive booking is required to view documents and rare books. More information about visiting us can be found on our website <a href="https://kresenkernow.org/visit-us/">https://kresenkernow.org/visit-us/</a>.

With all best wishes

Archivist/Kovskrifyades Cornwall Council/Konsel Kernow

#### Correspondence received from Historic England – 28th June 2021

25 June 2021

Dear

#### **TREMATON - Post Medieval Pound.**

Thank you for your application for the assessment of the Pound at Trematon for listing. We appreciate your time and enthusiasm spent considering places that could be added to the National Heritage List for England and the research and photographs you supplied.

We have now carefully considered the contents of your application. Unfortunately, the current circumstances of the building do not fall into any of the three categories used by the Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport to prioritise designation resources on those sites that are most in need of protection. Those categories are:

- 1. **Threat**: any candidate for designation demonstrably under serious threat of demolition or major alteration
- 2. **Strategic Priority**: any candidate for designation of a type that is a strategic designation priority under the Historic England Action Plan, Historic England's programme of strategic work. You can find a list of this year's projects on our website
- 3. **Evident Significance**: any building or site that possesses evident significance that makes it obviously worthy of inclusion on the National Heritage List for England

Historic England is therefore currently unable to take your application further. Should the situation change, particularly with regard to any specific threat to the building, you could submit a new application in the future. It is felt that while the restoration of the building has been carried out sympathetically the loss of much of the structure means that the building doesn't qualify for national designation but is of local significance.

There are other approaches to the protection of this building that you can take. Your local authority can advise you on the local designation options available if you are not already aware of them, and you may wish to speak to your local Historic Environment Records Officer or conservation group for advice on such mattersor to present them with any additional information they do not have. Please click on the link below to download our 'Frequently Asked Questions' document for further information:

http://services.historicengland.org.uk/webfiles/GetFiles.aspx?av=3507BB50-537D-4413-A9F6-A0C08CC3AA26&cn=61574D38-24D5-49CF-8170-55AE4A22340F

Please consult our website for more information at https://historicengland.org.uk/.

We are sorry if this is a disappointing response. Historic England administers a large number of applications for designation on behalf of the Department for Digital, Culture, Media and Sport. The Department has decided that the finite resources available for the assessment of designation applications have to be prioritised to the categories most in need of attention. All applications are rigorously assessed on their individual merits - please see our website for further explanation of the criteria used to decide on designation, and for guidance on submitting designation applications. Answers to additional questions that you may have can also be found in the 'Frequently Asked Questions' document.

Yours sincerely

#### Correspondence from applicant to Historic England – 28th June 2021

#### Dear

Please may I ask that the decision to not 'list' Trematon Pound be 'reviewed'. Several Pounds in England are listed because they are considered by Historic England to be a structure, building or site that possesses evident significance that makes it obviously worth inclusion on the National Heritage List for England. Some of them have been reduced in height: suffered other damage; some repaired. But yet they are considered worthy of listing. This must also true for Trematon Pound.

The two most recent examples of listed Pounds I have been able to find is HE list entry number 1434683 at Stonewall in Staffordshire listed 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2016 - and HE list entry number 1413953, Milton Pound at Mole Valley in Surrey listed 5<sup>th</sup> April 2013.

Historic England listing Trematon Pound would reduce the threat of further structural reduction or other damage – which if it remains un-listed is and does remain a threat.

Thank you.

#### **END OF REPORT**