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Digest 1 ARCHAEOLOGICAL INTERVENTIONS AT PORTMAHOMACK

Int No.	Location	Activity	Recorder	Date
1	ZONE E	Trial excavation across enclosure ditch	Harden	6/1991
2	ZONES D, E	Magnetometer survey	Garner-Lahire	3/1994
3	ZONES D, E	Resistivity	Garner-Lahire	3/1994
4	ZONES B–F	Contour survey	Сорр	3/1994
5	ZONE A	Contour survey	Сорр	3/1994
6	ZONE B	Churchyard map	Сорр	3/1994
7	ZONE E	Trial excavation in South Field	Roe	9/1994
8	ZONE D	Trial excavation in Glebe Field	Garner-Lahire	9/1994
9	ZONES B–E	Radar survey	Sympkins	9/1994
10	ZONE E	Trial excavation in West Field	Garner-Lahire	9/1994
11	ZONE E, SECTOR 1	Horizon 2 mapping in South Field	Garner-Lahire/Spall	1995–2002
12	ZONE E	Cropmark mapping	Garner-Lahire	8/1995
13	ZONE A	Crypt clearance	Harden	1992–5
14	ZONE D, SECTOR 2	Horizon 2 mapping in the Glebe Field	Roe/Garner-Lahire/Spall	1996–2007
15	ZONE J, SECTOR 3	Horizon 2 mapping and excavation	Garner-Lahire	1996
16	ZONE B	Excavation of service trench (N)	Garner-Lahire	1996
17	ZONE A	Excavation in the church, east end	Roe	1996
18	ZONE B	Test pits around church exterior	Geddes	1996–7
19	ZONE A, SECTOR 4	Excavation in the crypt	Roe	1997
20	ZONE A, SECTOR 4	Excavation in the church, west end	Roe	1997
21	ZONE B	Watching brief on the churchyard wall	Robins	1997
22	ZONE B	Excavation of service trench tretrench (S)	Roe	1997
23	ZONE A, SECTOR 4	Recording of church building	Jones	1997
24	ZONE D, SECTOR 2	Excavation in the Glebe Field (S)	Garner-Lahire/Spall	1997–2007
25	ZONE E, SECTOR 1	Excavation in the South Field	Hummler	1997–8
26	ZONE D, SECTOR 2	Pit dug for the oil storage tank in the Glebe Field	Garner-Lahire	1998
27	ZONE D	Pit dug for the foundation of a bronze statue	Garner-Lahire	1999
28	ZONE B	Recording of memorials in the churchyard	Carver	1998–2002
29	ZONE D & E, SECTOR 1 & 2	Metal detector survey of spoil heaps and ploughsoil	Garner-Lahire	1999–2002
30	ZONE E	Watching brief on construction at Highfield plot	Garner-Lahire	2005