

CIL request: Spend of remaining funds

These are the details of the request of the CIL committee and Kenilworth Town Council for permission for the remaining CIL money that was awarded to Kenilworth Revealed – and which was not used because in the end we were not able to get wifi installed at the museum – to be used instead to “mark out” the Abbey. The plan is to mark out the floorplan of the Abbey in Abbey Fields using dashed lines of stone “blocks” (6” × 3” × 2”) acquired from the same stone mason who provided the other plaques for the project, Figure 1.

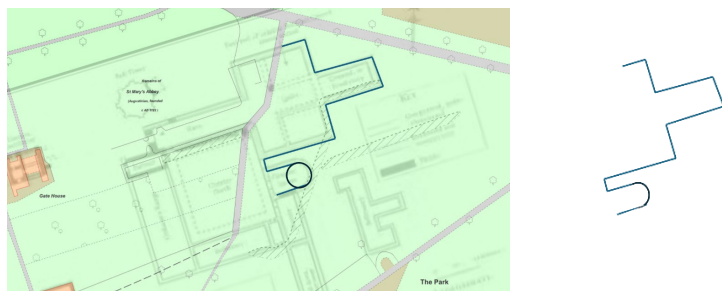


Figure 1: Part of the Abbey that would be marked out.

These dashed lines will clearly show the (huge) size of the Abbey and will improved the Kenilworth Revealed App experience as in the “real views” for the nave and chapter house the location of the Abbey will be visible – and of course this matches to what is seen in the virtual view.

This plan has been approved by Harriet Sharp of Historic England, who requested that the stone “blocks” be of red sandstone to match the colour that the Abbey was, and Sally Watts and Craig Mundy of WDC who will do the installation. In addition to the Abbey outline, the location of the altar will be shown using grey “blocks”.

The costs are as follows:

- 87 red stone blocks + 10 grey stone blocks: £2500
- Installation (over 2 days): £865

Total = £3365, which is less that the £3532.80 remaining on the CIL grant.