



# Planning • Heritage

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## French Quarter, Southampton

### Client

Linden Homes

### Location

High Street, Southampton

### Services Provided

Archaeology

### Date of Completion

Ongoing

### Key Issues

Major urban excavation implemented within a tight demolition and construction programme



Following the granting of planning permission Linden Homes instructed CgMs to manage large scale excavations of a site within the centre of commercial centre of Medieval Southampton.

CgMs undertook extensive negotiations with the City Council leading to an agreement of the investigation programme with the Council. CgMs sought competitive tenders for the excavation and following the appointment of an archaeological contractor, managed the excavation and post-excavation programme. The excavation programme had to be implemented within a very tight demolition, road closure and construction programme. This required close working with the project team and the local authority throughout the 6 month fieldwork programme. The excavation was delivered on time and within the agreed budget. Post-excavation work is on-going.

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