

Environment Agency - Thames West Area
Database Extract

SiteName: THRUPP PITS, RADLEY

District: V.O.W.H.

GridRef: SU 516975

Status: CLOSED

Landowner: J.CURTIS & SON

Operator: J.CURTIS & SON

WasteCategories: A & B

Licence: LICENCE APPLIED FOR IN 1986. APPLICATION
LATER WITHDRAWN

Monitoring: SITE INVESTIGATION UNDERTAKEN BY MJ
CARTER ASSOCIATES, SPRING 1995. (SEE REPORT
REF: JC/RA/HM/076/02). LAND FOUND TO BE
CONTAMINATED.

General: PLANNING CONSENT FOR INFILLING PART OF
AREA (8 ACRES) GRANTED IN 1961. LONG HISTORY
OF SPORADIC INFILLING WITH PREDOMINANTLY
INERT AND SOME COMMERCIAL WASTE. IN
FLOOD PLAIN OF RIVER THAMES. WESTERN
BOUNDARY ABUTS BARTON LANE FORMER
WASTE SITE. SITE OF READY MIX CONCRETE
PLANT. NEAREST RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES-
THRUPP HOUSE & THRUPP COTTAGES WHICH LIE
APPROX. 20M & 25M SOUTH OF THE SOUTHERN
BOUNDARY RESPECTIVELY. THE AUDLETT DRIVE
HOUSING ESTATE LIES APPROX. 110M NORTH
WEST OF THE SITE. WASTE DEPTH VARIES FROM
2.4 - 5 M. MAX CONCENTRATION OF METHANE
0.3% VOL. NEGLIGIBLE RISK FROM LFG
MIGRATION.

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Waste Categories

A: Inert materials (soil, brick, concrete, glass, clay, sand etc.)

B: Semi-inert materials (wood, paper, cardboard, plasterboard, plastic, etc.)

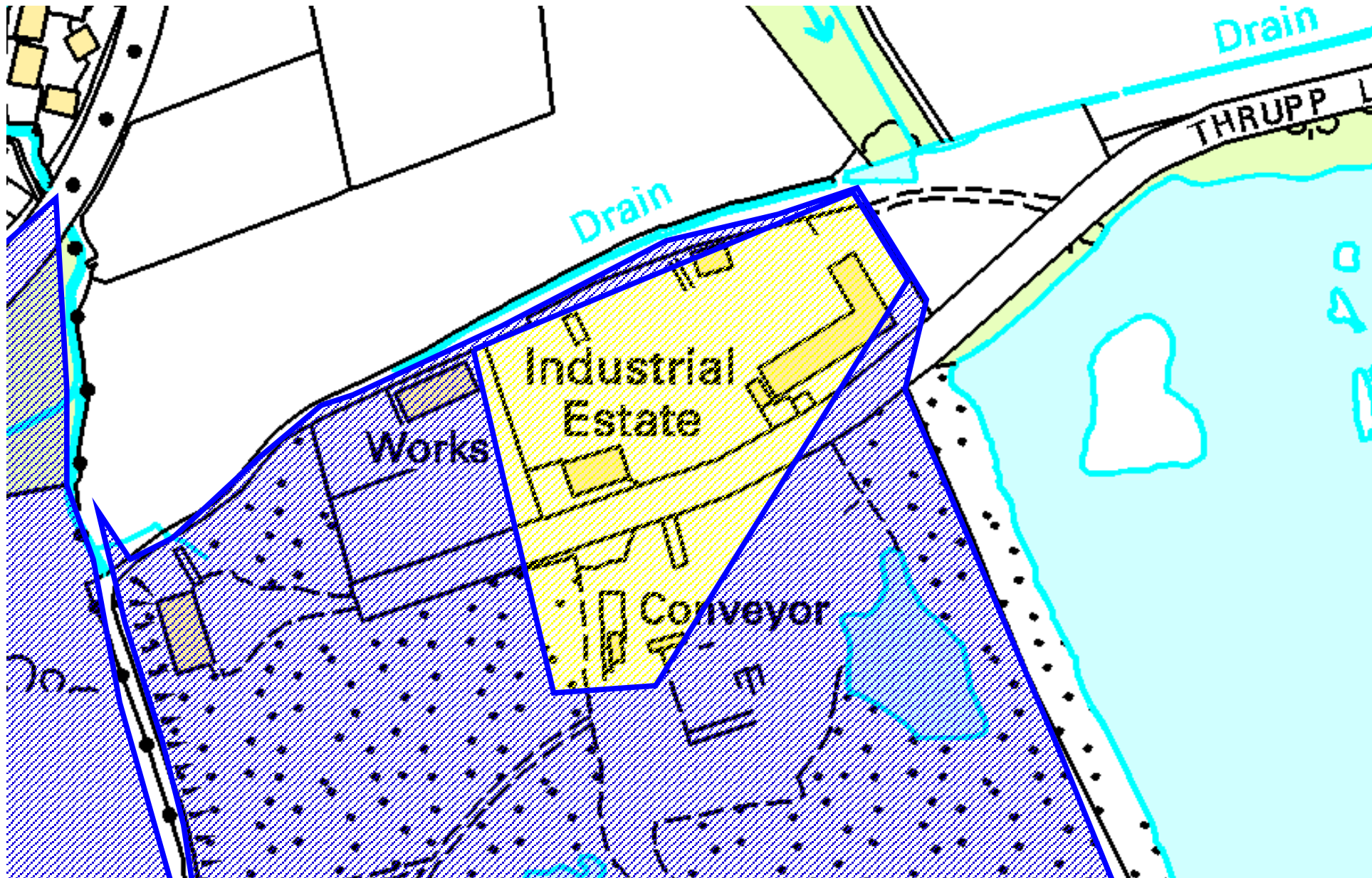
C: Biodegradable wastes (food, sewage sludge, household, garden etc.)

D: Difficult wastes (e.g. tyres, sludges)

E: Special wastes (hazardous chemical wastes, asbestos)

Thrupp Pits, Radley

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A SURVEY OF THE LANDFILL
SITES IN OXFORDSHIRE

TP0148

SITE NAME/NO : 38 Thrupp Pits - Radley

GRID REFERENCE : ~~516974~~ 516974

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DATE SAMPLED :

Also known as the Bullfield, Thrupp.

J. Curtis & Son have a consent for infilling ABGR/B20/61 -

J Curtis and Son applied for waste disposal licence in 1986, and this application is ~~still under consideration today.~~ The licence was not granted and the application was eventually withdrawn. Curtis desire to raise a section of land

immediately to the south of their headquarters. The site has been extensively excavated with some tipped waste already present. Methane was not detected from this waste.

According to Dr. P. Canon-Brookes who lives at Thrupp House, sporadic infilling has taken place over a number of years. The area immediately to the north of his property was apparently infilled in 1983 with waste originating from the Oxford, Gloucester Green development.

Dr. C-Brookes has compiled a detailed dossier of the gravel extraction and infilling history of the entire Radley, Thrupp area.