

Heritage Asset Survey

Building Name:		Building Reference Number:	
Iron Bridge		LL5071	
Building Address:		Listing Grade:	
Queens Avenue Aldershot Hampshire		I <input type="checkbox"/>	II <input type="checkbox"/>
Listing Criteria Met (see Box B of the SPD)	B, E, K	II* <input type="checkbox"/>	Locally Listed <input type="checkbox"/> +
Date Locally Listed:	26 th March 2012	Conservation Area:	Yes: + No:
<p>Canal bridge (known as Iron Bridge) taking Queens Avenue over the Basingstoke Canal. c1865-70. Cast iron with brick side walls and stone steps leading down to tow path. Decorative painted balustrade with star motif and flower/star and leaf decoration. Red brick piers (rebuilt) with concrete coping and decorative lamp standards. Lamps topped with crowns. Steel Post and rail balustrade to steps to tow path.</p> <p>Bridge replaced pontoon built by Royal Engineers in 1854 to connect North and South Camps.</p> <p>Condition Survey: 1 - 5</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <input type="radio"/> 1 Very Bad <input type="radio"/> 2 Poor <input type="radio"/> 3 Fair <input type="radio"/> 4 Good <input type="radio"/> 5 Excellent </p>			
Roof	n/a	Walls	5
Weather Penetration	n/a	Stability	5
Spread	n/a	Plumb	5
Sag	n/a	Local Building Cracking	4
Covering	n/a	Pointing	3/4
Abutments	n/a	Roofspread	n/a
Weathering Detail (Valleys etc.)	n/a	Spalling	n/a
Flashing	n/a	EV. Rising Damp	5
Rain Water Goods	n/a	Settlement	n/a
Chimneys	n/a	Lintels	n/a

Other Features	4	Timber Frame	n/a
Windows / Doors	n/a	Nogging	n/a
Front Principal Windows	n/a	Post Joints	n/a
Other Windows	n/a	Masonry	4
Doors and Surroundings	n/a	Stucco / Render-Plaster	n/a
Boundary Walls or Gates	n/a	Outbuildings	n/a

Historical Context:

This 'Iron Bridge' as it is known locally replaced a pontoon built by Royal Engineers in 1854 to connect North and South Camps. The bridge is present on the 1872 OS map (1:2500). Given the importance of the bridge in providing a formal linkage between camps and forming an integral part of the processional route of soldiers along Queens Avenue, this building is included on the List of Buildings of Local Significance due to its high evidential, historic, aesthetic and community values.

Sources:

The Story or Aldershot (1980) Cole H. p 346

Ownership Type (please tick the appropriate box below):

Private	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local Authority	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Religious / Charity	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stat Undertakers	<input type="checkbox"/>
Company	<input type="checkbox"/>	Crown	<input type="checkbox"/>

Photographs

Date Taken: 23/09/2010

Any Further Comments:

Surveyor: JW	Date: 23/09/2010
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Iron Bridge, Queens Avenue, Aldershot – west balustrade



Iron Bridge, Queens Avenue, Aldershot – lamp standard detail

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Iron Bridge, Queens Avenue, Aldershot - balustrade detail



Iron Bridge, Queens Avenue, Aldershot - view from tow path

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Iron Bridge, Queens Avenue, Aldershot – steps from path



Iron Bridge, Queens Avenue, Aldershot – steps and bridge from tow path