



OS 1st Edition 1841/42



OS 2nd Edition 1914

Legend:

 Proposed ACA

Location and boundary of the Architectural Conservation Area

The ACA is comprised of a contiguous group of three single storey terraced structures located along the north side of the R551.

Historical development of the area

In the first edition of the OS map 1841/42 a group of buildings with a similar footprint is shown at this location. These buildings represent the historical core of the village of Asdee. Asdee Castle was built in the late 12th century by one of the O'Connors of Carrigafoyle. There are no extant above ground remains of Asdee Castle but it is reported that stones from the castle were used to construct some of the earlier houses in the village. The special interest in the proposed ACA lies in the significance of this group of vernacular structures which are a very good representative example of the type of vernacular terraced structure which would have been common throughout the villages of north Kerry in the 19th and early 20th century. There are no Protected Structures within the proposed ACA.

Implications of ACA designation

Within the ACA there are restrictions on certain works to exteriors of structures. In addition to the usual requirements of planning law, works that would materially affect the special character of the ACA may require planning permission. Works such as the removal of historic building fabric and its replacement with modern materials will require planning permission. Refer to Section 5 - ACA of the text.

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