

# HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL



# FIELD MONUMENTS

## ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND MONUMENTS RECORD

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11 CONCORDANCE S NC 30 NW 4 MR		12 FORM STANDING STRUCTURE		13 DIMENSIONS	
5 RELATIONSHIP OF ELEMENTS POLYGONAL CHAMBER ORIENTATED NE-SW		17 CONDITION ROBBED		10 GENERIC TYPE BURIAL CAIRN, CHAMBERED, (OCH)	
14 PERIOD/DATE NE		15 DATING METHOD TYP		18 SHAPE CIRCULAR	
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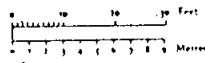
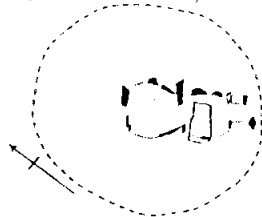
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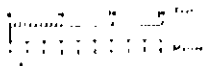
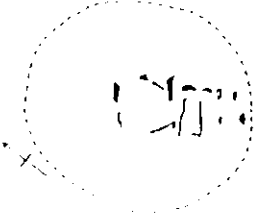
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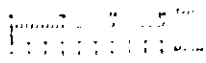
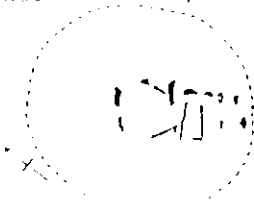
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