

Progress of Archaeological Projects conducted by AMO between December 2009 and April 2010

Item	Site	Project Duration	Development	Background	Project Director	Result
1.	Lin Fa Tei, Kam Tin, Yuen Long (元朗錦田蓮花地村)	Archaeological Survey in early December 2009 (2 weeks)	Small House Development	Cultural remains of Song dynasty were discovered in an archaeological survey in 1999.	Field Archaeology Unit of AMO	No cultural remains were recovered from test pits of the proposed small house site.
2.	She Shan Tsuen, Tai Po (大埔社山村)	Archaeological Survey in early March 2010 (2 weeks)	Small House Development	The site was first investigated during the Second Territory-wide Archaeological Survey in 1998. Surface finds such as stone adzes and pottery sherds with union jack pattern were collected by the Hong Kong Archaeological Society in 2000.	Field Archaeology Unit of AMO	No cultural remains were recovered from test pits of the proposed small house sites.
3.	Ho Pui, Yuen Long (元朗河背)	Archaeological Survey in late March 2010 (1 week)	Small House Development	The West Rail Environmental Impact Assessment Study first recorded that prehistoric pottery sherds were discovered at the site in 1999.	Field Archaeology Unit of AMO	No cultural remains were recovered from test pits of the proposed small house sites.
4.	Sha Po New Village, Lamma (南丫島沙埔新村)	Rescue Excavation in mid April to early May 2010 (1 month)	Small House Development	The site was first recorded in 1930s. Several investigations were conducted by Hong Kong Archaeological Society from 1970s to 1990s.	Field Archaeology Unit of AMO	Cultural remains of Bronze Age were retrieved from the proposed small house site.

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5.	Lung Kwu Tan, Tuen Mun (屯門龍鼓灘)	Rescue Excavation in mid April to mid May 2010 (1 month)	Small House Development	Archaeological significance of the site was confirmed by the First and Second Territory-wide Surveys. Abundant prehistoric cultural remains have been recovered by various rescue operations since 1990s.	Field Archaeology Unit of AMO	Cultural remains of Middle Neolithic were retrieved from the proposed small house site.