MOUNT

Unique ID: LEIC-BCC434

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Early Medieval Anglo-Saxon copper alloy mount. 7mm thick and 28mm in diameter with a weight of 8.09 grams. The object is circular in form and rectangular in cross section with a flat plain outer border and inner recessed area. This area is formed of three concentric ridges, the outer two are beaded, the inner is plain. These are dissected by four sets of three short transverse lines (with the same decoration) at cardinal points. The centre has a final beaded circle surrounding a flat raised circular platform. The inner circle and outer border have slight traces of tinning/silvering and the beaded area is gilded. The reverse has four circular cross sectioned attachment prongs. The object is almost identical to one found nearby LEIC-729A02 and is the third of this type now found in the county.

The form of mount has many parallels but not the decoration.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: EARLY MEDIEVAL Period from: EARLY MEDIEVAL Period to: EARLY MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 600

Date to: Circa AD 650

Dimensions and weight

Ouantity: 1 Thickness: 7 mm Weight: 8.09 g Diameter: 28 mm

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy Secondary material: Gold Manufacture method: Cast Completeness: Complete

Surface Treatment: White metal coated

Spatial metadata

Region: East Midlands (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Rutland (Unitary Authority)

District: Rutland (Unitary Authority)

Parish or ward: Whissendine (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SK8112

Four figure Latitude: 52.69962678 Four figure longitude: -0.80278468

1:25K map: SK8112 1:10K map: SK81SW

Grid reference source: Centred on field

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.