

Southern Shield

Good/ Best Practice feedback

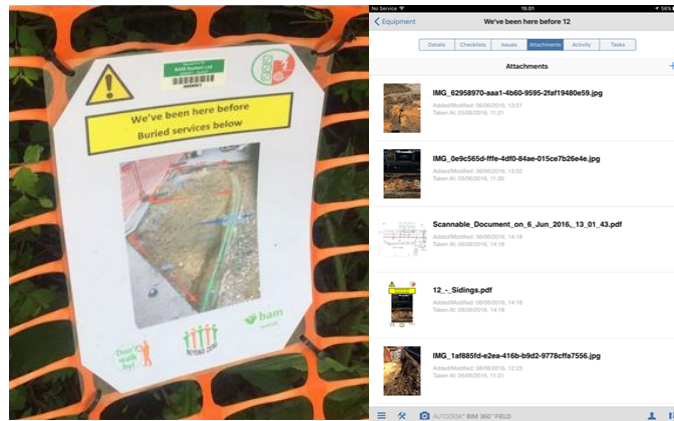
Nature of works

Construction management software

Date of good practice note

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BIM360 field- 'We've been here before'



Description of the good practice

One way to use BIM360 field, is to record services that you've encountered as pieces of equipment; then attach photos, it coordinates and sketches to that piece of equipment. This can then be communicated to others via "we've been here before" posters which are positioned near the service. By scanning a barcode on the poster with BIM360 field, these attachments can then be accessed to help with future excavations.

What are the benefits?

BIM360 field allows a centralised location for collating services encountered and installed during excavations. This assists with the production of future permits to dig, whilst the posters themselves act as reminders to those on site.

Are there any drawbacks?

To use the barcode reading facility you need an iPad with a fully synced version of BIM360 field.

Supporting Information

Barcodes can either be produced on this website <http://www.barcodez.net/index.php>

The can also be purchased by PAT labels online at the cost of £31.08, will buy you 500 equipment ID labels and 500 clear gloss overlay labels.