SMR Number 4402 - MBD4402 Site Name GASWORKS, Bridge Street

SMR Number Site Name Record Type

4402 - MBD4402 GASWORKS, Bridge Street Building

Site of former 19th century gas works

## Monument Types and Dates

GAS WORKS (1867, 19th Century - 1800 AD to 1899 AD)

Evidence EXTANT BUILDING

### **Description and Sources**

#### Description

Turvey Gas Company was formed circa 1867. The company was taken over in the 1930s by the Olney Gas-Light Coke & Coal company, who were in turn taken over in 1936 by the Northampton Gaslight Company. By 1974 only two single-storey sheds could be identified on the site, and by 1996 the area had been developed for housing.

Bedfordshire Mercury, Laying of gas pipelines (Newspaper Article). SBD10545.

Bedfordshire Mercury, Theft of coal (Newspaper Article). SBD10545.

Kelly's Directory, 1869 (Article in serial). SBD10539.

Kelly's Directory, 1936 (Article in serial). SBD10539.

#### **Sources**

Newspaper Article: Bedfordshire Mercury. Theft of coal

Newspaper Article: Bedfordshire Mercury. Laying of gas pipelines

Article in serial: Kelly's Directory. 1936 Article in serial: Kelly's Directory. 1869

# **Associated resources - None recorded**

## Location

### **National Grid Reference**

Centred SP 9396 5244 (35m by 60m) SP95SW Area

### **Administrative Areas**

Civil Parish TURVEY, BEDFORD BOROUGH, BEDFORDSHIRE

Unitary Authority BEDFORD BOROUGH, BEDFORDSHIRE

Address/Historic Names - None recorded

# Designations, Statuses and Scorings

## **Associated Designations**

Conservation Area Turvey Conservation Area Active DBD3246

Other Statuses and Cross-References

SHINE Candidate (No) Active
Historic Environment Record - 4402 Active

## Ratings and Scorings - None recorded

# Land Use

Associated Historic Landscape Character Records - None recorded

### Other Land Classes - None recorded

### Related Monuments - None Recorded

# Finds - None recorded

Associated Events/Activities - None recorded

Associated Individuals/Organisations - None recorded